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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
Nelson Ronald E.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]

(Check all applicable)

[COLN

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2018 _X_ Director _____ 10% Owner Other (specify

C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE

(First)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

PORTLAND, OR 97229

(City)

1.Title of

(State)

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

7,611

Common Stock

07/02/2018

Code V Amount
M 365

A (1)

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	07/02/2018		M	365	07/01/2017(2)	(3)	Common Stock	365

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nelson Ronald E.
C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY
14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE
X

PORTLAND, OR 97229

Signatures

Lindsey Kantawee, Attorney-in-Fact 07/03/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Dat

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.

On 6/10/2016 the reporting person was granted 1,095 restricted stock units, one-third of the restricted stock units vest annually (a) on 7/1/2017 (the "Initial Vest Date"), and (b) on each of the two subsequent anniversaries of the Initial Vest Date. One share of Common Stock will be automatically delivered to the reporting person for each restricted stock unit that vests. If a vesting date falls on a weekend

- or any other day on which the Nasdaq Stock Market ("NSM") or any national securities exchange on which the Common Stock then is principally traded (the "Exchange") is not open, affected RSUs shall vest on the next following NSM or Exchange business day, as the case may be.
- (3) N/A

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