#### COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

Form 4

August 17, 2006

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BANY SARAH** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

[COLM]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2006

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_\_ Other (specify Officer (give title

C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE

PARK DRIVE

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PORTLAND, OR 97229

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	08/15/2006		S	4,000	D	\$ 50.0694	110,910	D			
Common Stock	08/15/2006		S	4,000	D	\$ 50.0656	106,910	D			
Common Stock	08/15/2006		S	3,100	D	\$ 50.0261	103,810	D			
Common Stock	08/04/2006		S	2,000	D	\$ 50.6775	1,087,011	I	By GRATs		
	08/15/2006		S	2,000	D		1,084,511	I			

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Common Stock					\$ 50.0694			By GRATs
Common Stock	08/15/2006	S	2,000	D	\$ 50.0656	1,082,511	I	By GRATs
Common Stock	08/15/2006	S	1,525	D	\$ 50.0261	1,080,986	I	By GRATs
Common Stock						100	I	By Children's Trust (2)

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

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. Transa Code (Instr.	ection	5. aNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit Amou Under Secur (Instr	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BANY SARAH C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229

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**Signatures** 

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact 08/17/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* 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) Shares held in grantor retained annuity trusts for which Ms. Bany is trustee and income beneficiary.
  - Shares held in trust, of which Ms. Bany's husband is trustee, for the benefit of Ms. Bany's children. Ms. Bany disclaims beneficial
- (2) ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that she is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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