COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

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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).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bragdon Peter J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

(Check all applicable)

[COLM]

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2017

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

EVP/CAO, Gen. Counsel & Sec.

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

(State)

(First)

(Street)

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

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PORTLAND, OR 97229

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/07/2017		M	3,655 (1) (2)	A	\$ 0	19,002	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2017		F	1,329 (3)	D	\$ 54.79	17,673	D	

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

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Bragdon Peter J C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229

EVP/CAO, Gen. Counsel & Sec.

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon 03/08/2017 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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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).
- On 3/3/14, the reporting person was granted a performance restricted stock unit grant for 2,252 target shares. 3,655 shares were earned on 3/7/17, based on achieving 162.3% of certain performance criteria for the period 1/1/14 - 12/31/16. Restricted stock units vest and settle in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- On September 26, 2014 the RSUs were adjusted to reflect COLM 2-for-1 stock split. **(2)**
- Shares surrendered to the Company as payment to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of the restricted stock units.

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