GEORGE EDWARD S

Form 4

February 15, 2018

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
XDirector10% OwnerOfficer (give titleOther (specify below)		
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
Owned		
7. Nature of indirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)		
(S)		

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

By Trust

(1)

28,544

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.23	02/14/2018		M	11,608	05/21/2010(3)	05/20/2019	Common Stock	11,6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GEORGE EDWARD S C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229



Signatures

Lindsey Kantawee, Attorney-in-Fact 02/15/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Shares held by Edward S. George and Vilora Lynn George, Trustees of the Amended and Restated George Family Trust, dated May 15, 2006.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$76.20 to \$77.11, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Columbia Sportswear Company, any security holder of Columbia Sportswear Company, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.

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(3) On 5/21/09 the reporting person was granted 11,608 stock options. The option grant vests one-third of the shares on the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

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