STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

Form 4

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may continue.

(Time of Type I	(Capolises)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Cox David Shawn			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O COLUCOMPANY PARK DRI	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2016					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP Retail/NA & EMEA					
DODTI AN	(Street) D, OR 97229		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			
FORTLAIN.	D, OK 97229							Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/			n Date, if Transaction(A) or D Code (Instr. 3,			ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
_				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	02/01/2016			M	388	A	<u>(1)</u>	948	D		
Common Stock	02/01/2016			F	162 (2)	D	\$ 54.24	786	D		
Common Stock	02/01/2016			M	419	A	(1)	1,205	D		
Common Stock	02/01/2016			F	175 (2)	D	\$ 54.24	1,030	D		

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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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derive Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D)	erivative (Month/Day/Year) ecurities cquired A) or visposed f (D) nstr. 3, 4,			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	<u>(1)</u>	02/01/2016		M		388	02/01/2015(4)	(3)	Common Stock	388
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/01/2016		M		419	02/01/2016(5)	(3)	Common Stock	419

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Cox David Shawn C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229			SVP Retail/NA & EMEA				

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact 02/03/2016

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.

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- (2) Shares surrendered to the Company as payment to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of the restricted stock units.
- (3) N/A
 - On 1/30/14 the reporting person was granted 1,554 restricted stock units, 25% of the restricted stock units vest annually (a) on the first anniverary of the first day of the first full calendar month following the award date (the "Vest Date"), and (b) on each of the three
- subsequent anniversaries following the first anniversary of the Vest Date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the designated vest dates. 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.
 - On 1/29/15 the reporting person was granted 1,673 restricted stock units, 25% of the restricted stock units vest annually (a) on the first anniverary of the first day of the first full calendar month following the award date (the "Vest Date"), and (b) on each of the three
- subsequent anniversaries following the first anniversary of the Vest Date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the designated vest dates. 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.

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