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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Popp Susan			Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]					Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First) (1	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
COMPANY PARK DRI	01/21/2011					VP/Human Resources							
	(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					
PORTLAND, OR 97229								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock	01/21/2011			M	518	A	\$ 0	2,296	D				
Common Stock	01/21/2011			F	206 (1)	D	\$ 59.55	2,090	D				
Common Stock	01/24/2011			M	487	A	\$ 0	2,577	D				
Common Stock	01/24/2011			F	194 (1)	D	\$ 60.79	2,383	D				
	01/24/2011			M	1,360	A	\$0	3,743	D				

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Common Stock

Common Stock 01/24/2011 F $501 \frac{(1)}{10}$ D $\frac{\$}{60.79}$ 3,242 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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ction of Derivative Securities 3) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and 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	Amoun or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	01/21/2011		M		518	01/21/2011(3)	01/21/2014	Common Stock	518
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	01/24/2011		M		487	01/23/2010(3)	01/23/2013	Common Stock	487
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/24/2011		M		1,360	01/24/2011(4)	01/24/2011	Common Stock	1,360

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
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C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY			VP/Human			
14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE			Resources			
PORTLAND, OR 97229						

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Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact

01/25/2011

**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 surrendered to the Company as payment to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of the restricted stock units.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.
- Restricted stock units vest over 4 years, 25% on the each anniversary of the grant 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.
 - Restricted Stock Units vest 100% on the third anniversary of the grant date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the third anniversary of the grant date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the designated vest dates. If a vesting date
- (4) 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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