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(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

[COLM]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2009

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

(First)

(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

PORTLAND, OR 97229

(City)	(State) (Z	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			ties I (A) of I of (D 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)		
_			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	05/18/2009		M	334	A	\$ 0	845,604	D			
Common Stock	05/18/2009		M	265	A	\$0	845,869 (1)	D			
Common Stock							424,331	I	by DSRA, LLC (2)		
Common Stock							349,244	I	Grat's (3)		

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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. 5. Number Transaction Code Derivative (Instr. 8) 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	05/18/2009		M	334	05/18/2007(4)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	334
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	05/18/2009		M	265	05/17/2008(4)	(5)	Common Stock	265

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact 05/19/2009

**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).

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Reporting Owners 2

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A total 50,133 shares previously reported as indirectly beneficially owned by the reporting person through a grantor retained annuity trust were transferred by the trust to the reporting person on December 31, 2008 and now are held directly.

- (2) DSRA, LLC ownership is allocated as follows: Ms. Bany 5%, Ms. Bany's spouse 5% and the remaining 90% is owned by trust for the benefit of Ms. Bany's children, for which Ms. Bany's spouse is the trustee.
- (3) Shares held in grantor retained annuity trusts for which Ms. Bany is trustee and income beneficiary.
- (4) Restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the Date Exercisable indicated. One share of Common Stock will be automatically delivered to the reporting person for each restricted stock unit that vests.
- (5) N/A

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