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obligation may cont <i>See</i> Instru 1(b).	ns Section 1	7(a) of the	e Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section a) of the Investment Company Act of 1940						n		
(Print or Type F	Responses)										
0			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]				-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
()			3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)07/21/2008					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP Finance\CAO			
				Amendment, Date Original (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 			
								Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		n Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
C				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	07/21/2008			М	300	А	\$0	973	D		
Common Stock	07/21/2008			F	107 (1)	D	\$ 38.17	866	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on of Derivative 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)		8. De Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ O	07/21/2008		М	300	07/20/2007 <u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	300	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Cusick Thomas B. C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMP 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229	PANY		VP Finance\CAO				
Signatures							
By: Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact	07/23/2008						
**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) 25% of the restricted stock unit grant shall vest on each of the first and second anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 50% shall vest on the third anniversary of the grant date.

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