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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cusick Thomas B.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

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

C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE

(Street)

(State)

02/01/2013

(First)

01/31/2013

Sr. VP & CFO

PARK DRIVE

(City)

Common

Stock

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

F

Code V (D) Price Amount

D

(Instr. 3 and 4) D

Common 02/01/2013 Stock

M 508

181

\$0 Α 8,790

D

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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 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 Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of S
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 51.09	01/31/2013		A	15,871		01/31/2014(1)	01/30/2023	Common Stock	15,
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/31/2013		A	2,097		02/01/2014(3)	02/01/2017	Common Stock	2,0
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/01/2013		M		508	02/01/2013(3)	02/01/2016	Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Keiauonsnips						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Cusick Thomas B.								

Cusick Thomas B. C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229

Sr. VP & CFO

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact 02/04/2013

**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) The option grant vests over 4 years with 25% becoming exercisable on each anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.
- (3) 25% of the restricted stock units shall 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

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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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