RAGOT CHRISTIAN

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** RAGOT CHRISTIAN	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP [CMCO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2012	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Street) AMHERST NV 14228	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		

AMHERST, NY 14228

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	esed of 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)
Common Stock							23,751	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		P	500	A	\$ 17.6268	24,251	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		P	500	A	\$ 17.604	24,751	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		P	500	A	\$ 17.582	25,251	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		P	500	A	\$ 17.586	25,751	D	

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Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.63	26,251	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.6336	26,751	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.648	27,251	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.6492	27,751	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.64	28,251	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.6166	28,751	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	500	A	\$ 17.6184	29,251	D
Common Stock	02/13/2012	P	200	A	\$ 17.65	29,451	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. mNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	325	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	650	

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Restricted
Stock (1)
Units

(4)
Common Stock 1,300

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAGOT CHRISTIAN 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY X AMHERST, NY 14228

Signatures

Mary C. O'Connor, Power of Attorney for Christian Ragot

02/15/2012

**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 contingent right to receive one (1) share of Columbus McKinnon Corporation common stock.
- Originally a 1300 restricted stock unit award, 650 restricted stock units became fully vested and non-forfeitable on July 27, 2010 and 325 restricted stock units became fully vested and non-forfeitable on July 27, 2011. The remaining 325 restricted stock units become fully vested and non-forfeitable on July 27, 2012, if reporting person remains a director of issuer.
- Originally a 1300 restricted stock unit award, 650 restricted stock units became fully vested and non-forfeitable on July 26, 2011. The remaining 650 restricted stock units become fully vested and non-forfeitable 50% on July 26, 2012 and 50% on July 26, 2013, if reporting person remains a director of issuer.
- Represents restricted stock units issued to reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2010 Long Term Incentive Plan (4) dated as of July 26, 2010, subject to forfeiture; units become fully vested and non-forfeitable 50% on July 25, 2012, 25% on July 25, 2013 and 25% on July 25, 2014, if reporting person remains a director of issuer.

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