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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Buer Gene P

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP [CMCO]

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Month/Day/Year)

05/21/2013

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify VP North America

140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON **PARKWAY**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

Issuer

below)

AMHERST, NY 14228

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	Perivative Securities A	cquired, Disposed o	f, 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)	4. Securities Acquire on(A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Pri	D) 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					27,599	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2013		F	501 (1) D \$ 18.9	27,098 (2)	D	
Common Stock					825.8282 (3)	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. onNumber 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.45					05/19/2009	05/18/2018	Common Stock	432
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.81					10/20/2011	10/19/2018	Common Stock	10,000
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.27					05/18/2010	05/17/2019	Common Stock	7,680
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.24					05/17/2011	05/16/2020	Common Stock	6,490
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.5					05/23/2012	05/22/2021	Common Stock	6,460
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.43					05/21/2013	05/20/2022	Common Stock	11,146
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.95					05/20/2014	05/20/2023	Common Stock	9,299 (10)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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Buer Gene P 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY AMHERST, NY 14228 VP North America

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Gene P. Buer 05/23/2013

**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) Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation upon vesting of 1,389 restricted stock units on 5/21/2013.
 - Includes 19,056 shares of restricted stock issued to reporting person subject to forfeiture in whole or part; 2,104 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable 5/17/2014; 2,567 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable 33.33% per year for three years beginning
- (2) 5/23/13; 4,169 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable 33.33% per year for three years beginning 5/21/14; 4,408 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable 25% per year for four year beginning 5/20/14; and the remaining 5,808 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable on 5/21/2015, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (3) Reports shares allocated to account of reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation Employee Stock Ownership Plan, as amended (the "ESOP").
- (4) Fully exercisable, subject to IRS limitations.
- (5) Exercisable 33.33% per year for three years beginning 10/20/2011, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (6) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/18/2010, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (7) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/17/2011, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (8) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/23/2012, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (9) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/21/2013, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (10) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/20/14, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.

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