FORM 4

### **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Ferson			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [ MCHP ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
DAY L B			[ mem ]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle)					Officer (give title	Other (specify			
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)			
C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED			08/02/2004						
2355 WEST CHAI	NDLER BOULEVA	RD							
(a)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	(Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)	AZ	85224-6199	08/03/2004	X	Form filed by One Repo	orting Person			
CHANDLER	AL	03224-0177			Form filed by More than	One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities	Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(msu. 4)
Common Stock								2,735	D	

# 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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		5. Numb Derivati Securiti Acquire or Dispo of (D) (II 4 and 5)	ve es d (A) osed ostr. 3,	6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$29.19 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/02/2004		A		6,000		09/02/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/02/2014	Common Stock	6,000	\$0	6,000	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vests in 12 equal monthly installments, commencing September 2, 2004. The option is first exercisable on September 2, 2004.
- 2. This Amended Form 4 is filed to accurately report the grant price. All subsequent reports filed after this date are deemed to include the modification herein.

#### Remarks:

<u>Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

08/10/2004

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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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