FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address	. 0		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [ MCHP ]		ionship of Reporting Person(sall applicable)	s) to Issuer	
SANGHI STEVE			[ mem ]	X	Director	10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Midd		(Middle)		X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)	
C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD		ICORPORATED	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2008		President, CEO, Chairman		
(Street) CHANDLER	AZ	85224-6199	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Ch Form filed by One Reportin Form filed by More than Or	ig Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			,		

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities A Disposed Of (I	acquired (A D) (Instr. 3,	) or 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V		Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		1,945	D	\$37.91	4,047,297(1)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		100	D	\$37.9	4,047,197 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		1,538	D	\$37.89	4,045,659(3)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		2,617	D	\$37.88	4,043,042(4)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		2,445	D	\$37.87	4,040,597 <sup>(5)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(5)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		1,600	D	\$37.86	4,038,997 <sup>(6)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(6)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		s		1,612	D	\$37.85	4,037,385 <sup>(7)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		1,388	D	\$37.84	4,035,997(8)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(8)</sup>
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		3,598	D	\$37.82	4,032,399(9)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(9)</sup>

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			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		3,300	D	\$37.81	4,029,099(10)	I	Held Directly and Indirectl by Trust <sup>(10)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/15/2008		S		6,302	D	\$37.8	4,022,797(11)	I	Held Directly and Indirectl by Trust	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		2,100	D	\$37.99	4,020,697 <sup>(12)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectl by Trust <sup>(12)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		2,642	D	\$37.98	4,018,055(13)	I	Held Directly and Indirectl by Trust	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		8,958	D	\$37.97	4,009,097 <sup>(14)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(14)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		100	D	\$37.96	4,008,997(15)	I	Held Directly and Indirect by Trust	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		437	D	\$37.88	4,008,560 <sup>(16)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirect by Trust <sup>(16)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		300	D	\$37.85	4,008,260 <sup>(17)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirect by Trust <sup>(17)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		200	D	\$37.84	4,008,060 <sup>(18)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirect by Trust <sup>(18)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		900	D	\$37.83	4,007,160 <sup>(19)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirect by Trust <sup>(19)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		1,531	D	\$37.82	4,005,629 <sup>(20)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirect by Trust <sup>(20)</sup>	
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		2,480	D	\$37.81	4,003,149(21)	I	Held Directly and Indirect	

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			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
										by Trust <sup>(21)</sup>
Common Stock	05/16/2008		S		37,252	D	\$37.8	3,965,897 <sup>(22)</sup>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust
Common Stock	05/16/2008		G		7,706	D	\$38.13	3,958,191(23)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust <sup>(23)</sup>

#### 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)		Derivative				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	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)		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Of the 4,047,297 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,016,350 shares were held by Trust. 2. Of the 4,047,197 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,016,250 shares were held by Trust. 3. Of the 4,045,659 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,014,712 shares were held by Trust. 4. Of the 4,043,042 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,012,095 shares were held by Trust. 5. Of the 4,040,597 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,009,650 shares were held by Trust. 6 Of the 4 038 997 shares held 30 947 shares were held Directly: 4 008 050 shares were held by Trust 7. Of the 4,037,385 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,006,438 shares were held by Trust. 8. Of the 4,035,997 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 4,005,050 shares were held by Trust.  $9. \ Of the \ 4,032,399 \ shares \ held, \ 30,947 \ shares \ were \ held \ Directly; \ 4,001,452 \ shares \ were \ held \ by \ Trust.$ 10. Of the 4,029,099 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,998,152 shares were held by Trust. 11. Of the 4,022,797 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,991,850 shares were held by Trust. 12. Of the 4,020,697 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,989,750 shares were held by Trust. 13. Of the 4,018,055 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,987,108 shares were held by Trust. 14. Of the 4,009,097 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,978,150 shares were held by Trust. 15. Of the 4,008,997 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,978,050 shares were held by Trust. 16. Of the 4,008,560 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,977,613 shares were held by Trust. 17. Of the 4,008,260 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,977,313 shares were held by Trust. 18. Of the 4,008,060 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,977,113 shares were held by Trust. 19. Of the 4,007,150 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,976,213 shares were held by Trust. 20. Of the 4,005,629 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,974,682 shares were held by Trust. 21. Of the 4,003,149 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,972,202 shares were held by Trust. 22. Of the 3,965,897 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,934,950 shares were held by Trust.

23. Of the 3,958,191 shares held, 30,947 shares were held Directly; 3,927,244 shares were held by Trust. Remarks:

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-

in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/19/2008

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

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