FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address                   |                  |            | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [ MCHP ] | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |  |                      |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|--|--|----------------------|--|--|
| HUGO MARTINEZ ALBERT J                |                  |            | [ mem ]   | X  | Director   | 10% Owner            |  |  |
|                                       |                  |            |   |  | Officer (give title                                    | Other (specify       |  |  |
| (Last)                                | (First) (Middle) |            | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)                              |  | below)   | below)               |  |  |
| C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED |                  |            | 08/19/2011  |  |  |                      |  |  |
| 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD          |                  |            |   |  |  |                      |  |  |
| (Street)                              |                  |            | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                      | l  | dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |                      |  |  |
| CHANDLER                              | AZ               | 85224-6199 |   | X  | X Form filed by One Reporting Person                   |                      |  |  |
|                                       |                  |            |   | l  | Form filed by More than                                | One Reporting Person |  |  |
| (City)                                | (State)          | (Zip)      |   |  |  |                      |  |  |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | ution Date, Transaction D Code (Instr. |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially Owned<br>Following Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
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|                                 |  |   | Code                                   | v | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4)   |   | (111511. 4)   |
| Common Stock                    |  |   |  |   |   |               |       | 22,878   |   | Shares<br>held<br>Indirectly,<br>by Trust.                        |

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Secue Acquer or Di (D) (I |   | 5. Numb<br>Derivati<br>Securiti<br>Acquire<br>or Dispo<br>(D) (Inst<br>and 5) | ve Expiration Date es (Month/Day/Year) Securities Ur Derivative Se 3 and 4) |                     | 7. Title and Am<br>Securities Und<br>Derivative Sect<br>3 and 4) | erlying         | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
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|  |   |  |   | Code  | v | (A)   | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date   | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares                 |  | (Instr. 4)   |  |  |
| Restricted Stock<br>Units                        | (1)   | 08/19/2011                                 |   | A   |   | 2,837   |   | (2)                 | (2)  | Common<br>Stock | 2,837   | \$0  | 2,837  | D  |  |

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Microchip Technology Incorporated common stock.
- 2. The restricted stock units will vest in equal 50% annual installments on each of the two anniversaries of the tenth business day of the second month of the fiscal quarter in which the grant is made.

#### Remarks:

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

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

08/23/2011

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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