FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* SANGHI STEVE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [MCHP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
				X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/07/2014		President, CEO, Cha	airman		
2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD								
(Street) CHANDLER	AZ	85224-6199	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che	,		
					Form filed by More than One	e Reporting 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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 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	11/07/2014		М		50,000	A	\$25.29	4,782,614 ⁽¹⁾	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and by Family Limited Partnership ⁽¹⁾

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)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)	\$25.29	11/07/2014		M		50,000		03/31/2009	04/01/2015	Common Stock	145,000	\$0	95,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\ Of the\ 4,782,614\ shares\ held,\ 1,745,678\ shares\ were\ held\ by\ The\ Sanghi\ Trust;\ and\ 3,036,936\ shares\ were\ held\ by\ The\ Sanghi\ Family\ Limited\ Partnership.$

Remarks:

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

** Signature of Reporting Person

11/12/2014

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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