FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [MCHP]	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
			[mem]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle)				X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2016		President, CEO, C	Chairman			
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(Street) CHANDLER	AZ	85224-6199	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (C Form filed by One Reporti Form filed by More than C	ing Person			
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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 D Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/15/2016		М		25,295	A	\$47.95	4,864,064 ⁽¹⁾	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and by Family Limited Partnership.

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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Units	\$47.95	05/15/2016		M			25,295	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	25,295	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Of the 4,864,064 shares held, 1,911,128 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 2,952,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family Limited Patnership.
- 2. The restricted stock units will vest in full on May 15, 2016 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended June 30, 2012. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

Remarks:

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

05/18/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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