MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

February 18, 2015

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SANGHI STEVE Issuer Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC (Check all applicable) [MCHP]

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2015

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, CEO, Chairman

C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY **INCORPORATED, 2355 WEST** CHANDLER BOULEVARD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially 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. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of (D)	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 (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(msu: 1)	CI 1.11
Common Stock	02/13/2015		S	10,832	D	\$ 51.1	4,893,240 (1)	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and by Family Limited Partnership.
Common Stock	02/13/2015		S	37,602	D	\$ 50.96	4,855,638 (2)	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and

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							by Family Limited Partnership.
Common Stock	02/15/2015	M	22,612	A	\$ 50.91	4,878,250 (3) I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and by Family Limited Partnership.
Common Stock	02/15/2015	M	3,500	A	\$ 50.91	4,881,750 (4) I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and by Family Limited Partnership.

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 50.91	02/15/2015		M		22,612	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	22,612
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 50.91	02/15/2015		M		3,500	(6)	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	14,000

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer

Director 10% Owner

Other

SANGHI STEVE C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

X

President, CEO, Chairman

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact

02/18/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
- Of the 4,893,240 shares held, 1,856,304 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 3,036,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family **(1)** Limited Partnership.
- Of the 4,855,638 shares held, 1,818,702 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 3,036,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family **(2)** Limited Partnership.
- Of the 4,878,250 shares held, 1,841,314 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 3,036,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family (3) Limited Partnership.
- Of the 4,881,750 shares held, 1,844,814 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 3,036,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family Limited Partnership.
- The restricted stock units will vest in full on February 15, 2015 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting **(5)** date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.
- The restricted stock units will vest in four equal quarterly installments beginning May 15, 2014, as long as the individual remains a **(6)** service provider through the vesting date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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