MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4/A

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and A DREHOBL | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [MCHP] | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------|--|-------------|--|---|----------|
| (Last) C/O MICRO INCORPOR CHANDLE | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2008 | | | | | Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Security, MCU & Tech Div. | | | | |
| CHANDLE | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2008 | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea | ar) Execution any | med on Date, if Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acq Transaction(A) or Disposed Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) | | | d of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 11/03/2008 | | | M | 1,600 | A | \$ 24.65 | 8,849 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/03/2008 | | | F | 595 | D | \$ 24.65 | 8,254 | D | |

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 out 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. P Der Sec (Ins |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Common Stock (1) | \$ 24.65 | 11/03/2008 | | M | 1,600 | (2) | (2) | Restricted Stock Units | 12,800 | |
| Common Stock | <u>(3)</u> | 10/31/2008 | | A | 467 | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 467 | |
| Common Stock | <u>(3)</u> | 10/31/2008 | | A | 5,341 | <u>(5)</u> | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock | 5,341 | |
| Common Stock | (3) | 10/31/2008 | | A | 6,866 | <u>(6)</u> | <u>(6)</u> | Common Stock | 6,866 | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DREHOBL STEPHEN V C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

VP, Security, MCU & Tech Div.

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- This Amended Form 4 is filed to accurately report the disposition of derivative securities associated with the acquisition of non-derivative securities listed in Table 1. All subsequent reports filed after this date are deemed to include the modification herein.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in eight equal quarterly installments beginning May 1, 2008. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Microchip Technology Incorporated common stock.
- The restricted stock units will vest in full on the first anniversary of the first business day of the month following the date of grant as long (4) as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating profit in the six month period ending March 31, 2009. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.
- The restricted stock units will vest in full on the fourth anniversary of the first business day of the month following the date of grant as (5) long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating profit in the six month period ending March 31, 2009. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.
- The restricted stock units vest in eight equal quarterly installments beginning November 2, 2009, as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating profit in the six month period ending March 31, 2009. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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