MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

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

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **MOORTHY GANESH**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

(Check all applicable)

[MCHP]

11/15/2016

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Director

below) COO

10% Owner

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

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(State)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 7. Nature of Indirect Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price (D)

> Shares held Indirectly,

Common 11/15/2016 Stock

28,693 A 4,584,673 (1) I M

by Trust and by Limited Partnership.

(1)

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

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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)		8. I De Sec (In
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 65.19	11/15/2016		M		28,693	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	28,693	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
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MOORTHY GANESH C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

COO

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).
- (1) Of the 4,584,673 shares held, 1,631,737 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 2,952,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family Limited Partnership..
- The restricted stock units will vest in full on November 15, 2016 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting (2) date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended December 31, 2012. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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