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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Johnson Esther

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

(Check all applicable)

[MCHP]

08/10/2018

(Middle)

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

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

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

(First)

(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

CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

(State)

08/10/2018

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Code

Amount (D) Price

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 08/10/2018 Stock

M 686

6,687

D

Stock

Common

507 M

7,194

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. 5. Number Transactionof Code Derivative (Instr. 8) 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. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 87.41	08/10/2018		M		686	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,372	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 87.41	08/10/2018		M		507	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,015	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact 08/10/2018

**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).
- The restricted stock units will vest in two equal annual installments on each of the two anniversaries of the tenth business day of the second month of the fiscal quarter in which the grant is made, as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date(s).

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