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MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

November 21, 2013

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bjornholt James Eric

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

[MCHP]

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

VP and CFO

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/21/2013

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

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

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

Table I. Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Peneficially Owned

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	,	` 17 I abi	ie I - Non-L	erivative	Secu	riues Acq	luirea, Disposea (or Beneficia	my 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/21/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	2,396	D	\$ 42.94	11,562	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust.
Common Stock	11/21/2013		S	163	D	\$ 42.87	11,399	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust.

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	J
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(Instr. 3)		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	,		Securities		(Instr. 5)]
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bjornholt James Eric C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

VP and CFO

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact

11/21/2013

**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) The sale(s) reported in this Form 4 was/were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 22, 2011.

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MACNAMARA BRIAN G 6903 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE SUITE 1500 BETHESDA, MD 20817

SVP, Controller

Signatures

By: Elizabeth A. Abdoo For: Brian G. Macnamara

02/06/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- (1) This transaction represents the release of restrictions on shares of restricted stock from the 2009 Performance Grant which vest based on performance objectives, and the inclusion of such shares into unrestricted common stock
- (2) These shares represent the forfeiture of restricted stock under the Comprehensive Stock Plan for the performance years 2009 2011.

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