MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

August 05, 2008

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

Symbol

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

LAMBERT DAVID S

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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(Last) C/O MICRO INCORPOR CHANDLE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2008					Director 10% Owner Other (give title below) Other (specify below) VP, Fab Operations					
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-D	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution any		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (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	08/01/2008			G	810	D	\$ 31.57	156,372 (1)	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and Reporting Person's Children (1)	
	08/01/2008			M	1,400	A		157,772 (2)	I		

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Common Stock						\$ 31.57			Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and Reporting Person's Children (2)
Common Stock	08/01/20	08	F	437	D	\$ 31.57	157,335 (<u>3)</u>	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and Reporting Person's Children (3)
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474									
				infori requi	matio ired to ays a	n contain respond	ed in this form I unless the form valid OMB co	n are not orm	SEC 1474 (9-02)
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									
1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transac		Number Derivative	6. Date Exerci Expiration Da		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Property Security (Inst
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 31.57	08/01/2008		M	1,400	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Restricted Stock Units	9,800	;

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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LAMBERT DAVID S C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

VP, Fab Operations

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, Attorney-in-Fact

08/05/2008

**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 156,372 shares held, 933 shares were held Directly; 152,650 shares were held by Trust; 1,339 shares were held by Reporting Person's sons; and 1,450 shares were held by Reporting Person's daughters.
- (2) Of the 157,772 shares held, 2,333 shares were held Directly; 152,650 shares were held by Trust; 1,339 shares were held by Reporting Person's sons; and 1,450 shares were held by Reporting Person's daughters.
- (3) Of the 157,335 shares held, 1,896 shares were held Directly; 152,650 shares were held by Trust; 1,339 shares were held by Reporting Person's sons; and 1,450 shares were held by Reporting Person's daughters.
- (4) 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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