

MOORTHY GANESH

Form 4

October 03, 2017

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MOORTHY GANESH

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC
[MCHP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

10/02/2017

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
COO

C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY
INCORPORATED, 2355 WEST
CHANDLER BOULEVARD

(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
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code V | Amount | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 206,252 | 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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|-----|---|-----------------|---|----------------------------|----|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/02/2017 | | A | | 164 | | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 164 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/02/2017 | | A | | 226 | | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 226 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/02/2017 | | A | | 725 | | (4) | (4) | Common Stock | 725 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/02/2017 | | A | | 5,569 | | (5) | (5) | Common Stock | 5,569 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as
Attorney-in-Fact

10/03/2017

____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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Microchip Technology Incorporated common stock.

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- (2) The restricted stock units will vest in full on November 15, 2018 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended December 31, 2017. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

- (3) The restricted stock units will vest in full on November 15, 2019 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended December 31, 2017. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

- (4) The restricted stock units will vest in full on November 15, 2020 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended December 31, 2017. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

- (5) The restricted stock units will vest in full on November 15, 2021 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended December 31, 2017. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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