BROD FRANK H

Form 4

September 01, 2010

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BROD FRANK H**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/30/2010

Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title below)

C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION, ONE MICROSOFT WAY

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Chief Accounting Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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

REDMOND, WA 98052-6399

(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 ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) ode (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/30/2010		F	1,667	D	\$ 23.93	93,750	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2010		A	25,893 (1)	A	\$ 0	119,643	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2010		A	15,982 (2)	A	\$ 0	135,625	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2010		A	10,000 (3)	A	\$ 0	145,625	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2010		F	9,135	D	\$ 23.64	136,490	D	

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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	isable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	or	
									Number	
				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BROD FRANK H C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY REDMOND, WA 98052-6399

Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-fact for Frank H.

Brod 09/01/2010

**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) Represents stock award which shall vest over 4 years at the rate of 25% on August 31, 2010 and then at the rate of 25% on each August 31 thereafter, subject to continued employment.
- (2) Represents stock award which shall vest over 5 years at the rate of 20% on August 31, 2011, and then at the rate of 20% on each August 31 thereafter, subject to continued employment.
- (3) Represents stock award which shall vest over 4 years at the rate of 25% on September 30, 2010 and then at the rate of 25% on each August 31 thereafter, subject to continued employment.

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