MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

Common

Stock

11/15/2014

November 18, 2014

FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION									OMB APPROVAL			
	UNITED	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549								3235-0287		
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(Print or Type	Responses)											
1. Name and a SIMONCIO	Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC [MCHP]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
							(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)						
INCORPO	OCHIP TECHNO RATED, 2355 W ER BOULEVARI	EST	11/15/2	2014				VP, Analog	g and Intrfc Pr	od Div		
(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 						
CHANDLE	ER, AZ 85224-61	99						Person	lore than One R	leporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-			_	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year)			Date, if	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Year) (Instr. 8) (A)				Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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)		G1 1 1 1		
Common Stock	11/15/2014			M	3,936	D	\$ 43.655	85,958 <u>(1)</u>	I	Shares held Directly and Indirectly, by Trust.		

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1,242 D $\frac{\$}{43.655}$ 84,716 $\frac{(2)}{}$ I

Shares held Directly

Indirectly, by Trust. (2)

and

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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 Derive Security (Instr.
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 43.655	11/15/2014	M	3,936	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	3,936	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SIMONCIC RICHARD J C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

VP, Analog and Intrfc Prod Div

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact

**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 85,958 shares held, 7,652 shares were held Directly; 78,306 shares were held by Trust.
- (2) Of the 84,716 shares held, 7,652 shares were held Directly; 76,064 shares were held by Trust.

The restricted stock units will vest in full on November 15, 2014 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting

(3) date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating profit in the quarter ended December 31, 2010. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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