FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  THOMPSON JOHN WENDELL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [ MSFT ]										ip of Reporting Person(s) to plicable) ctor 10%		Issuer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2014									Officer (give title below)		Othe belov	r (specify v)
ONE MICROSOFT WAY  (Street) REDMOND WA 98052-63-9  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of 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				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					nd 5) Secu Bene Own		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	- 1	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/05/201						14			P		23,194	A	\$43.11	∟ <b>64</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		7,279	I	By Trust
Common Stock															1,066	D		
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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ansaction ode (Instr.		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)			and it of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Prio Deriva Secur (Instr.	ative ity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

## Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$43.10 to \$43.14. The price reported above reflects the weighted average purchase price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.

## Remarks:

<u>Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-fact for John W. Thompson</u>

08/06/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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