FORM 4

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Instruction 1(b).

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and A	ddress of	Reporting	Person	*	2. Issuer N	lame a i	nd Ticker or Tr	ading Symbol	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s)					
					Microsoft	Corpo	oration (MSFT	7)	to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Rudder, Eric								_ Directo	_ 10% Owner					
(Las	t) (Firs	st) (Midd	lle)		3. I.R.S. Id	lentific	ation Number	4. Statement for	\underline{X} Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
,	, (, (,		of Reporti	ng Pers	son,	Month/Day/Year						
One Microsof	t Wav				if an entity	_			Senior Vice President					
				[(3)								
	(Str	eet)			1			5. If Amendment,	7. Individ	ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
	,						Date of Original	X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
Redmond, W	399						(Month/Day/Year)		led by More than One Reporting Person					
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(C	ate) (Zip)		Table I — Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of	2. Trans-	2A.	3. Tran	s- 4. S	Securities A	cquire	d (A) or	5. Amount of	6. Owner-	7. Nature of Indirect				
Security	action		action		posed of (E	-		Securities	ship	Beneficial Ownership				
(Instr. 3)	Date	Execution	Code	(Ins	str. 3, 4 & 5	6)		Beneficially	Form:	(Instr. 4)				
, ,	(Month/	Date,	(Instr. 8)		,			Owned Follow-	Direct (D)	ĺ ,				
		if any	Code	V A	Amount	(A)	Price		or Indirect					
		(Month/Day/		` `		or		Transactions(s)	(I)					
		Year)				(D)		(Instr. 3 & 4)	(Instr. 4)					
Common	04/29/03		M		102,400	Α	\$2.3125							
Stock														
Common	04/29/03		S		100,000	D	\$25.83	39,420 ⁽¹⁾	I	Eric D. Rudder and Elizabeth Savage FBO				
Stock										Revocable Living Trust				
Common								39,922 ⁽¹⁾	I	Eric D. Rudder and Elizabeth Savage, Joint Tenants				
Stock								Í						

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

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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3. Trans-	3A.	4.	5.]	Number of Derivative	6. Date		7. Title an	d Amount	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	sion or	action	Deemed	Trans-	Se	ecurities Acquired (A)	Exercisable		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect
Security	Exercise	Date	Execution	action	or	Disposed of (D)	and Expiration Secur		Securities		Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial
	Price of		Date,	Code			Date		(Instr. 3 &	(4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership
(Instr. 3)	Derivative		if any	l	(In	nstr. 3, 4 & 5)	(Month/Day/ Year)					Owned	of	(Instr. 4)
	Security	Day/ Year)	(Month/	(Instr.								Following	Deriv-	
		l ′	Day/ Year)	8)								Reported	ative	
			,									Transaction(s)	Security:	
				Code	V (.	(A) (D)	Date	Expira-	Title	Amount	1	(Instr. 4)	Direct	
					`		L	tion		or			(D)	
				ll			cisable	Date		Number			or	
										of			Indirect	
										Shares			(I)	
													(Instr. 4)	
Employee Stock	\$2.3125 ⁽²⁾	04/29/03		M		102,400(2)	01/30/98	07/30/03	Common	102,400 ⁽²⁾		0		
Option (Right to Buy)									Stock					

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Adjusted to reflect a 2-for-1 stock split effective February 14, 2003.
- (2) This option was previously reported as covering 51,200 shares at \$4.63 per share, but is adjusted to reflect a 2-for-1 stock split effective February 14, 2003.

By: /s/ Shauna L. Vernal, Attorney-in-Fact for Eric D. Rudder

04/30/03 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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