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* Hogan Kathleen T | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ✓ Officer (give title below) Other (specify) | | | | ecify below) | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/19/2018 | | | | | | | | | EVP, Human Resources | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Indi | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | | | |
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| (City) (S | tate) | (Zip | D) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | | | 2. Transact Date | Execu | Execution Date, | | 3. Transaction 4. Secur Code (Instr. 8) 3, 4 and | | rities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D I 5) | | | Beneficially Owned F | | ollowing Direct (D) or Indi | |) or Indirect (I) | t (I) Indirect Beneficial | | |
| | | | (Month/Day | /Year) if any (Mont | h/Day/Year) | Code \ | / A | nount | | (A) or (D) | or (D) Price | | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | | Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 03/19/2 | 19/2018 | | F | | 2,020 | 0 | D | \$94.6 | | 226,033 | | | 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) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | version Date (Month/Day/Year) e of vative | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transac (Instr. 8) | tion Code | e 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 Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | ng | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following | e s ally g | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) (D) | | Date Expiration Date | | ation Title | | | Amount or Number of S | hares | | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

 $\frac{Carolyn\ Frantz,\ Attorney-in-Fact\ for\ Kathleen}{T.\ Hogan} \quad \underline{03/20/2018}$

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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January 1, 2018

Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: Microsoft Corporation - Power of Attorney

To whom it may concern:

I revoke my prior Microsoft Corporation - Power of Attorney. This will confirm that, effective as of the date above, I have granted each of the individuals listed be authority to, on my behalf, execute and file the the Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities (Form 4) and the Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership (Form 5), in connection with transactions in Microsoft Corporation securities, as my Attorney-In-Fact. Such power of attorney shall remain in full force and effect until either (i) I am no longer subject to the reporting requirements under Section 16 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended or (ii) I have provided you with written notice withdrawing this authority.

The individuals who are authorized to act as my Attorney-In-Fact under this Power of Attorney are as follows:

Keith R. Dolliver Ann Habernigg Carolyn Frantz Peter A. Kraus Christyne Mayberry

Ben O. Orndorff

This Power of Attorney is effective immediately upon filing with the Securities Exchange Commission and for purposes of my future Form 4 and Form 5 filings relating to Microsoft securities and transactions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Kathleen T. Hogan Kathleen T. Hogan