FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	d Address of el Lisa E		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]										all app Direct Office	olicable) etor er (give title	Other		Owner (specify			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2005									belov	,	ice Pr	below) e President	
(Street)	treet) EDMOND WA 98052-639			99	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Individine) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transac Date (Month/Da					ay/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr. 5						4 and Se Be Ov		Amount of ecurities eneficially		nership Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		action(s)			(111501.4)			
Common Stock 08/01/							2005		F		471		D	\$25	.92 42,8		2,883	D		
Common Stock															4		443 ⁽¹⁾		I	By 401(k)
	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)	ve Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of		6. Date I Expiration (Month/I		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Pric Deriva Secur (Instr.	itive ity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dir or I (I) (10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Balance as of July 31, 2005

Remarks:

Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-infact for Lisa E. Brummel

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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