FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MUNDIE CRAIG J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [ MSFT ]									Check all a	ship of Reportin applicable) rector	ng Pe	10% C	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE MICROSOFT WAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2004										Officer (give title below) Senior Vi		Other (specify below) e President		
(Street)  REDMO			98052-63 Zip)	99	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ine) X Fo	-7				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date						ection 2A. Deemd Execution if any (Month/Da		n Date,	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Sed Ber Ow	mount of urities eficially ned Following orted	For (D)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Tra	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(		
Common Stock			08/02/2004				F		529		D	\$28	.52	12,986		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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv	r osed ) :. 3, 4	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		ount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		,	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

<u>Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact for Craig J. Mundie</u> <u>08/04/2004</u>

\*\* 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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