FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES I	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BROD FRANK H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]									Check all D	ship of Reportir applicable) irector fficer (give title		Owner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2012										elow) `	below unting Office	<i>I</i>)	
(Street) REDMOND WA 98052-6399 (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								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																		
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Common Stock 10/01/				L/2012						912		D	\$29	.76	138,686	D		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Conversion Date Security Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		on of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price Derivativ 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:

Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-infact for Frank H. Brod

10/02/2012

** 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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