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* BACH ROBERT J							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]									hip of Report pplicable) ector icer (give title		erson(s) to Is	
(Last) C/O MIC		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2007									^ be	ow) resident, Entert		below)					
ONE MICROSOFT WAY (Street) REDMOND WA 98052-639 (City) (State) (Zip)				99	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) 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																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)							Execution Date			Code (Instr. 5)					nd Sec Ben Owr	mount of Irities eficially ed Following orted	For (D)	Ownership rm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	Trar	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock	12/05	5/2007				S		6,250	[1)	D	\$3	34	555,132		D			
Common Stock 12/						12/05/2007					6,2500	[1)	D	\$34	4.5	5 548,882		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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date, Transaction Code (Inst					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber res					

Explanation of Responses:

1. The sale was made under a 10b5-1 plan previously adopted by the reporting person.

Remarks:

<u>Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact for Robert J. Bach</u> 12/05/2007

** 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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