## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					er Name <b>and</b> Ticker soft Corporation, M		ng Symbol	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Raikes, Jeffrey S. (Last) (First) (Middle) One Microsoft Way (Street) Redmond, WA 98052					5. Identification Num orting Person, tity (voluntary)	]	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year <b>11/27/2002</b> 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Group Vice President 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Table I –	– Non-E	Derivative Securit	es Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	action	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		ode	4. Securities Acquir (Instr. 3, 4 & 5) Amount	(A) or	Price	Securities Beneficially Owned Follow- ing Reported Transactions(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	11/27/02		M		10,000	(D) A	\$4.80	(Instr. 3 & 4)					
Common Stock	11/27/02		S		10,000	D	\$58.47	5,260,925	D				
Common Stock								7,412	I	Held in 401(k) account			

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).

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## FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5	5. Numbe	r of Derivative	6. Date		7. Title an	d Amount	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	S	Securities	Acquired (A) or	Exercis	xercisable of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect	
Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	E	Disposed	of (D)	and Exp	oiration	Securities		Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial
	Price of	Date	Date,	Code		-		Date		(Instr. 3 &	: 4)	(Instr. 5)			Ownership
(Instr. 3)	Derivative		if any		C	Instr. 3, 4	& 5)	(Month/D	ay/	ľ			Owned	of	(Instr. 4)
l í	Security	(Month/	(Month/	(Instr.	ľ			Year)					Following	Deriv-	
		Day/ Year)	Day/ Year)	8)									Reported	ative	
				[ .									Transaction(s)	Security:	
				Code	7	(A)	(D)	Date	Expira-	Title	Amount		(Instr. 4)	Direct	
						()	(-)		tion		or			(D)	
								cisable	Date		Number			or	
											of			Indirect	
											Shares			(I)	
														(Instr. 4)	
Employee stock	\$4.80	11/27/02		M	Т		10,000	8/22/97	02/22/03	Common	10,000		0	D	
option (Right to										stock					
Buy)															

Explanation of Responses:

By: /s/ <u>Keith R. Dolliver</u> <u>12/02/02</u> Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-Fact for Jeffrey S. Raikes Date \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

\*\*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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