FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D	.C. 20549
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SMITH BRADFORD L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MICROSOFT CORP [ MSFT ]									k all app Direc	onship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title		son(s) to Is  10% O	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/13/2021									Pres	ident/Chie				
(Street)  REDMOND WA 98052-6399  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Ind Line) X	lividual 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. Transact Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Disposed O 5)		es Acquired (A Of (D) (Instr. 3,		) or 4 and	Securit Benefic			: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
		Code	v			Amount (		or P	rice	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)			(111501.4)					
Common Stock 09/13/2						2021			A		25,673 <sup>(1</sup>	) /	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	\$0 709,818			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)	Derivative Security  Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Derivative Security  Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)  8		4. Transa Code ( 8)		nstr. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)  Amount or Numb of Share		Price of trivative curity str. 5)			10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents Stock Award under the Executive Incentive Plan that will vest over four years with 25% vesting on August 31, 2022, and then 12.5% vesting each six months thereafter, subject to continued employment.

> Ann Habernigg, Attorney-in-Fact for Bradford L. Smith

09/15/2021

\*\* 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).
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