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* <u>Hood Amy</u>							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [ MSFT ]									all app	licable)		p Person(s) to Issue 10% Owne	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2016									belov			Other (specify below)	
(Street) REDMOND WA 98052-639 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. 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																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution		Date,			ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	, l	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11150.4)			
Common Stock 09/19/						9/19/2016					80,926	26 <sup>(1)</sup> A		\$	556,883		D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				urity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	t (D) lirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents stock award under the Executive Officer Incentive Plan that will vest over 4 years at the rate of 25% starting on August 31, 2017, and then at the rate of 12.5% each six months thereafter, subject to continued employment.

## Remarks:

Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-Fact for Amy E. Hood

09/21/2016

\*\* 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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