### FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1 0					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.								_ Director10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle)					6. Identification Num	ıber 4	4. Statement for	X Officer (give title below) _ Other (specify below)					
					orting Person,	ľ	Month/Day/Year						
One Microsoft Way					tity (voluntary)	1	10/31/2002	Group Vice President					
(Street)						5	5. If Amendment,	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
						þ	Date of Original	X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
Redmond, WA 98052						C	(Month/Day/Year)	Form filed by More than	g Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)					Table I —	– Non-D	erivative Securit	es Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1. Title of Security	2. Trans-	2A. Deemed	<ol><li>Trans</li></ol>	-	4. Securities Acquir	ed (A) o	r Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of	6. Owner-	7. Nature of Indirect			
(Instr. 3)	str. 3) action Execution action Code (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)							Securities	ship Form:	Beneficial Ownership			
	Date,	(Instr. 8	r. 8)				Beneficially	Direct (D)	(Instr. 4)				
	(Month/ Day/ Year)		Code	V	Amount	(A)	Price	Owned Follow-	or Indirect (I)				
	(iear)	(Month/Day/ Year)				or		ing Reported Transactions(s)	(Instr. 4)				
		real)				(D)		(Instr. 3 & 4)					
Common Stock	10/31/02		S		161,000	D	\$53.72	5,385,945	D				
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Common Stock								7,412		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<br/>(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5. Number of Derivative		6. Date		7. Title and Amount	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	Securities Acqu	Exercisa	able	of Underlying	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect	
Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	Disposed of (D)	and Expiration		Securities	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial	
	Price of	Date	Date,	Code			Date		(Instr. 3 & 4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership
(Instr. 3)	Derivative	(Month/ Day/	Dav/		(Instr. 3, 4 & 5)		(Month/Day/ Year)				Owned	of	(Instr. 4)
	Security			(Instr. 8)	ľ	Following					Deriv-	· · ·	
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		1000)		ľ							Transaction(s)	Security:	
											(Instr. 4)	Direct	
											r í	(D)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date	Expira-	Title Amount or			or	
							Exer-	tion	Number of			Indirect	
							cisable	Date	Shares			(I)	
												(Instr. 4)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

## By: /s/ <u>Shauna L. Vernal</u>

<u>10/31/02</u> Date

Shauna L. Vernal, Attorney-in-Fact for Jeffrey S. Raikes \*\*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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