FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Brummel Lisa E							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]									ationship of Reportin k all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)		wner (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2011										Senior Vice President					
(Street) REDMOND WA 98052-6399 (City) (State) (Zip)				99	_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivi ine) X	Form Form	ual 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)							A. Deem xecutior any //onth/Da	Date,	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				and Secur Benef		cially d Following	6. Own Form: (D) or I (I) (Inst	Direct ndirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
							v	Amount	(A (D	() or ()	Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)			(111341.4)					
Common	Stock	/2011				F		25,822	2	D	\$26.23		3 217,715])						
Common Stock																614 ⁽¹⁾			I	By 401(k)		
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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/E	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Pri Deriv Secu (Insti	ative rity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Ind (I) (In	nership m: ect (D) ndirect Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Balance as of August 31, 2010

Remarks:

Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-infact for Lisa E. Brummel

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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