FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHA	NGES IN	BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Klein Peter S					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]									Check	all app Dired	olicable)		ssuer Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/29/2011									X	belov	w) ``	below ncial Officer		
(Street) REDMOND WA 98052-639			99	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Se Be Ov		ount of ities icially d Following ted	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	Trar		action(s) 3 and 4)		(11301.4)
Common Stock 08/				08/29	9/2011				F		1,665 D		\$25	.25 170,721		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) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)		Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		te	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe		ount	ı		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-fact for Peter S. Klein</u>

08/31/2011

** 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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