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(Print or Type	e Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SANGHI STEVE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earlies				n		X Director 10% Owner				
INCORPO	ROCHIP TECHN DRATED, 2355 W ER BOULEVAR	EST	(Month 05/25/	/Day/Year 2016)			XOfficer (give below) Presiden	title Ot below) t, CEO, Chai	her (specify rman		
				nendment, ionth/Day/Y	Date Origin 'ear)	nal		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Та	ble I - Noi	n-Derivativ	e Seci	ırities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ction Date 2A. Deeme Day/Year) Execution I any (Month/Day		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	05/25/2016			S		D	\$ 50.3994	4,776,567 (1)	I	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and by Family Limited Partnership. (1)		
Common Stock	05/26/2016			S	39,150	D	\$ 50.3573	4,737,417 (2)	Ι	Shares held Indirectly, by Trust and		

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Common Stock	05/26/201	6	S :	50,000 I	D ^{\$} 50.60		4,687, [,]	417 I		(2) Share Indire by Tr by Fa Limit	ted ership. es held ectly, rust and umily	
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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expira (Mont e	ation Da	ion Date		le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exerci	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Reporting Owners												
Reporting Owner Name / Address				Directo	or 10% O	wner	Relati Officer	ionships r			Other	
SANGHI STEVE C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199								dent, CE0	O, Ch	airman		

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact

05/27/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Of the 4,776,567 shares held, 1,823,631 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 2,952,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family Limited Partnership.
- (2) Of the 4,737,417 shares held, 1,784,481 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 2,952,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family Limited Partnership.
- (3) Of the 4,687,417 shares held, 1,734,481 shares were held by The Sanghi Trust; and 2,952,936 shares were held by The Sanghi Family Limited Partnership.

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