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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Bjornholt James Eric

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC  
 [MCHP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 VP and CFO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY  
 INCORPORATED, 2355 WEST  
 CHANDLER BOULEVARD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/01/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/01/2009		M		165	A	\$ 24.09
Common Stock	11/01/2009		F		53	D	\$ 24.09
Common Stock	11/01/2009		M		31	A	\$ 24.09
Common Stock	11/01/2009		F		10	D	\$ 24.09
	11/01/2009		M		76	A	6,734

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Common Stock						\$ 24.09		
Common Stock	11/01/2009		F	25	D	\$ 24.09	6,709	D
Common Stock	11/01/2009		M	77	A	\$ 24.09	6,786	D
Common Stock	11/01/2009		D	25	D	\$ 24.09	6,761	D
Common Stock	11/02/2009		M	106	A	\$ 24.09	6,867	D
Common Stock	11/02/2009		F	34	D	\$ 24.09	6,833	D

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 24.09	11/01/2009		M	165	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	165	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 24.09	11/01/2009		M	31	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	31	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 24.09	11/01/2009		M	76	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	76	\$ 0
Restricted Stock	\$ 24.09	11/01/2009		M	77	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	77	\$ 0

