

SIMONCIC RICHARD J
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
SIMONCIC RICHARD J

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, Analog and Intrfc Prod Div

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY
INCORPORATED, 2355 WEST
CHANDLER BOULEVARD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/01/2009

(Street)
CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/01/2009		M		1,375	A	\$ 27.25	79,056 ⁽¹⁾	I	Held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and Reporting Person's Wife and Mother-in-Law ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock	08/01/2009		F		455	D	\$ 27.25	78,601 ⁽²⁾	I	Held Directly and Indirectly

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 79,056 shares held, 7,276 shares were held Directly; 71,555 shares were held by Trust; and 225 shares were held by Reporting Person's wife and mother-in-law.
- (2) Of the 78,601 shares held, 6,821 shares were held Directly; 71,555 shares were held by Trust; and 225 shares were held by Reporting Person's wife and mother-in-law.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in eight equal quarterly installments beginning May 1, 2008. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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