SIMONCIC RICHARD J

11/01/2009

Form 4

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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
SIMONCIC RICHARD J Sy			2. Issuer Name a Symbol MICROCHIP 7		_	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2009				Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Analog and Intrfc Prod Div				
CHANDL	ER BOULEVAR	D									
				ed(Month/Day/Year) App				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non	-Derivativ	ve Sec	urities A	canired. Dispose	ed of, or Be	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution E any (Month/Day	Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ay/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or			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	11/01/2009		M	1,375	` '	Price \$ 24.09	79,250 <u>(1)</u>	Ι	Shares held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and by Reporting Person's Wife and Mother-in-Law		

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Common Stock					\$ 24.09			Shares held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and by Reporting Person's Wife and Mother-in-Law (2)			
Common Stock	11/01/2009	M	45	A	\$ 24.09	78,840 (3)	I	Shares held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and by Reporting Person's Wife and Mother-in-Law (3)			
Common Stock	11/01/2009	F	15	D	\$ 24.09	78,825 <u>(4)</u>	I	Shares held Directly and Indirectly by Trust and by Reporting Person's Wife and Mother-in-Law (4)			
Reminder: Re	SEC 1474 (9-02)										
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										

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		(с.д., ри	us, cans, warrants, c	ptions, coi	ivertible seem	itics)				
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 conf 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. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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Restricted Stock Units	\$ 24.09	11/01/2009	М	1,375	(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1,375	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 24.09	11/01/2009	M	45	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	45	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SIMONCIC RICHARD J C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

VP, Analog and Intrfc Prod Div

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact

**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 79,250 shares held, 7,470 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 78,795 shares held, 7,015 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) Of the 78,840 shares held, 7,060 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.
- (4) Of the 78,825 shares held, 7,045 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.
- (5) 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.
- (6) The restricted stock units will vest 50% on 11/1/09 and 50% on 2/1/10 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating income in the six month period ending September 30, 2008.

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