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FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Handy Alice Issuer Symbol MSCI Inc. [MSCI] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title MSCI INC., 7 WORLD TRADE 04/28/2016 below) CENTER, 250 GREENWICH ST. 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
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							Reported				
					(A)		Transaction(s)				
					or		(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,				
Common Stock	04/28/2016		A	1,113 (1)	A	\$0	27,591	D			
Common Stock	04/28/2016		A	1,833 (2)	A	\$0	29,424	D			

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

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Handy Alice MSCI INC.

7 WORLD TRADE CENTER, 250 GREENWICH ST.

NEW YORK, NY 10007

Signatures

/s/ Cecilia Aza, 05/02/2016 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).
- Pursuant to the MSCI Inc. Non-Employee Directors Deferral Plan (the "Deferral Plan"), the Reporting Person has elected to defer receipt **(1)** of the shares until the 60th day after such Reporting Person's "separation from service" as a director.
 - Restricted stock units vesting on the earlier to occur of April 28, 2017 and MSCI Inc.'s next annual general meeting of shareholders.
- Pursuant to the Deferral Plan, the Reporting Person has elected to defer receipt of the shares issuable upon vesting until the 60th day after such Reporting Person's "separation from service" as a director.

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