

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**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 \*  
**MOORTHY GANESH**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**04/01/2016**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**COO**

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			Shares held
Common Stock					181,567	I	Indirectly, by Trust.

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

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to the reporting person upon vest.

- (3) The restricted stock units will vest in full on May 15, 2018 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended June 30, 2016. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

- (4) The restricted stock units will vest in full on May 15, 2019 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended June 30, 2016. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

- (5) The restricted stock units will vest in full on May 15, 2020 as long as the individual remains a service provider through the vesting date and the Company achieves performance targets for operating expense in the quarter ended June 30, 2016. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vest.

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