#### MICROSEMI CORP

Form 4

August 04, 2005

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PETERSEN JOHN J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSEMI CORP [MSCC]				5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2381 MORSE AVENUE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2005					(Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Vice President of Quality			
IRVINE, CA	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check pplicable Line)  K_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	o I. Non D	orivativa (	Soonei		ed, Disposed of, o	r Ronoficially	v Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ies Ac ed of (4 and 5	quired (A) (D) (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)	
Microsemi Common Stock	08/02/2005(1)			Code V  M	Amount 12,000	(D)	Price \$ 5.4844	12,000	D		
Microsemi Common Stock	08/02/2005(1)			S	12,000	D	\$ 21.8871	0	D		

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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 tiorDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
ISO Option to Buy Common Stock (1)	\$ 5.4844	08/02/2005		M		12,000	04/04/2002	04/04/2011	Common Stock	12,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PETERSEN JOHN J 2381 MORSE AVENUE IRVINE, CA 92614

Vice President of Quality

## **Signatures**

Debbie Weber, Attorney-In-Fact for John J. Petersen

08/04/2005

\*\*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) This incentive stock option was granted pursuant to Microsemi Corporation's 1987 Stock Plan, which satisfies the requirements of Rule 16b-3. The option becomes exercisable in four equal installments, commencing one year after the date of the grant.

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