MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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obligations may continue.

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **SANGHI STEVE**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC

(Check all applicable)

[MCHP]

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

04/01/2005

below) President, CEO, Chairman

C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY **INCORPORATED, 2355 WEST** CHANDLER BOULEVARD

(First)

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199

(City) (State)

3. 4. Securities

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Held

Common Stock

 $3,286,202 \stackrel{(1)}{=} I$

Directly and Indirectly, by Trust

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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 or 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 Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numl Share
Common Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.29	04/01/2005		M	145,000	03/31/2009(2)	04/01/2015	Common Stock	145,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SANGHI STEVE C/O MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INCORPORATED 2355 WEST CHANDLER BOULEVARD CHANDLER, AZ 85224-6199	X		President, CEO, Chairman			

Signatures

Deborah L. Wussler, as Attorney-in-Fact 04/04/2005

**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) Of the 3,286,202 shares held, 25,321 shares were held Directly; 3,260,881 shares were held by Trust.
- (2) The option vests in 12 equal monthly installments, commencing 3-31-2009. The option is first exercisable on 3-31-2009.

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Press release issued by Aspen Technology, Inc. on April 11, 2008.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ASPEN TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Date: April 14, 2008 By: /s/ Frederic G. Hammond

Frederic G. Hammond

Senior Vice President and General Counsel

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release issued by Aspen Technology, Inc. on April 11, 2008.

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