

Fernandez Henry A
Form 4
November 16, 2010

FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Fernandez Henry A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

MSCI INC., 88 PINE STREET

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10005

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
MSCI Inc. [MSCI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/14/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

Chairman, CEO and President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	11/14/2010		F	90,260 (1)	D \$ 35.95	1,345,248 (2)	D
Class A Common Stock	11/15/2010		G	V 53,541	D \$ 0	0	I
Class A Common Stock	11/15/2010		G	V 53,541	A \$ 0	53,541	I
Class A Common Stock						3,000	I

By GRAT
(3)

By
TRUST (3)

By Son

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Stock

Class A

Common

Stock

3,000

I

By Son

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

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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 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Report Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Fernandez Henry A MSCI INC. 88 PINE STREET NEW YORK, NY 10005	X Chairman, CEO and President

Signatures

/s/ Henry A.
Fernandez 11/16/2010

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Represents shares reacquired by MSCI to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting and conversion to shares of 177,083 restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on November 14, 2007.
- (2) Includes 55,029 shares distributed as an annuity payment by the Henry A. Fernandez GRAT (the "GRAT") to the Reporting Person on November 15, 2010, which are reported in this Form 4 as directly owned.
- (3) The GRAT terminated on November 15, 2010 and the remainder shares were transferred as a gift to the Fernandez 2007 Childrens' Trust of which the Reporting Person's spouse is a Trustee and his children are beneficiaries.

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