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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 *
 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)
 01/19/2011

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)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock				(A) Amount (D) Price	893,478	D	
Class A Common Stock					500,000	I	By GRAT (1)
Class A Common Stock					53,541	I	By Fernandez 2007 Children's Trust

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Class A Common Stock	01/19/2011	P	4,900 (2)	A	\$ 35.4	7,900	I	By Son
Class A Common Stock	01/19/2011	P	625 (3)	A	\$ 35.4	3,625	I	By Son
Class A Common Stock	01/19/2011	P	730 (4)	A	\$ 35.4	730	I	By Daughter

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 Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

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/ Cecilia Aza,
attorney-in-fact

01/20/2011

**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) Mr. Fernandez is trustee and sole annuitant.

(2) Represents purchase of shares for Mr. Fernandez's son, Henri Jose Fernandez, under the Uniform Transfer to Minors Act

(3) Represents purchase of shares for Mr. Fernandez's son, Andre Marcel Fernandez, under the Uniform Transfer to Minors Act

(4) Represents purchase of shares for Mr. Fernandez's daughter, Alexandra Maria Fernandez, under the Uniform Transfer to Minors Act

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