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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Nume and Address of Reporting reison			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANSYS INC [ANSS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
MCDeffiou w				X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) SOUTHPOINTE 275 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2011	1	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Report	ting Person		
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(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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	08/15/2011		A		1,400	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	24,220 ⁽²⁾	D	

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

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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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and berivative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration Date Amount of			8. Price of 9. Number of Derivative Security Securities (Instr. 5) Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") issued under the Fourth Amended and Restated ANSYS, Inc. 1996 Stock Option and Grant Plan in accordance with the 12/31/10 annual grant election of the Chairman and non-affiliated independent directors. Each DSU is settled solely for one share of Common Stock upon termination of services as a Director. The grant of 1,400 DSUs is made quarterly in arrears and is fully vested at grant date.

2. Includes 24,220 Deferred Stock Units.

<u>Sheila S. DiNardo, Attorney-</u>

08/17/2011

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

in-Fact

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

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

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