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FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* DREW BRIAN CHRISTOPHER						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANSYS INC [ANSS]									elationship o eck all applio Directo	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) SOUTHPOINTE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/14/2008									7	below)		entral	below) Dev. Uni		
275 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) CANONSBURG PA 15317														- 1	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)														Persor	l				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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									Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Transact				(Instr. 4)		
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 Da if any (Month/Day/		ansaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities 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)		
				C	ode \	v	(A)		Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	0 0	mount r lumber f shares						
Options to Purchase	\$28.4	11/14/2008			A		30,000		(1)	1	1/14/2018	Comm		80,000	\$0.00	30,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option grant of 30,000 shares vests 25% annually in equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

Sheila S. DiNardo, Attorney-in-11/18/2008

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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