FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* THURK MICHAEL					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANSYS INC [ANSS]								Relationship neck all appl X Direct	•	Person(s) to Iss		
(Last) (First) (Middle) SOUTHPOINTE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2007								Office below	r (give title)	Other (below)	specify	
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											Lir	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		Code (Instr. 5)			Benefic	es Formalially (D) (Following (I) (I	orm: Direct) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code V	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)		(111511.4)	
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 Date if any (Month/Day/Ye	ate, Tr	Code (In:				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				C	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Options to Purchase	\$29.97	08/15/2007			A		3,000		(1)	08/15/2014	Common Stock	3,000	\$0.00	3,000	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents options issued under the Third Amended and Restated ANSYS, Inc. 1996 Stock Option and Grant Plan in accordance with the 05/31/07 annual grant election of the Chairman and non-affiliated independent directors. The grant of 3,000 stock options is made quarterly in arrears and vests 25% annually in equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

Lisa M. O'Connor, Attorney-

08/17/2007

in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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