FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar MORL		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANSYS INC [ANSS]										ionship o all applio Directo	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss				
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2008										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify
275 TEC	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)									
(Street) CANONSBURG PA 15317													X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State)		itate) ((Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day)					Execution I			,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)			ed (A) or str. 3, 4 ar	id	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Cod	nsactio			Ex	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Der	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
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Options to Purchase	\$38.56	02/27/2008		A		6,00	00		(1)	02/27	7/2015	Common Stock	6,000	4	\$0.00	6,000		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 12/31/06 annual grant election of the Chairman and non-affiliated independent directors. The grant of 6,000 stock options is made quarterly in arrears and vests 25% annually in equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

Colleen Zak Hess, Attorney-in-

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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