Instruction 1(b)

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BLUMENTHAL DANIEL H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANSYS INC [ ANSS ]										tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		ng Pe	rson(s) to Is	
(Last) 275 TEC SOUTHE	(Fir HNOLOGY POINTE	,	Middle)		11/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  11/07/2006  Officer (give title below)  below)  Other (specification)										)`				
(Street) CANON	SBURG PA		15317 Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne)					
	`			n-Deriv	vative	Se	curitie	s Acc	nuired.	Dis	posed o	f. or	Bene	ficia	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. To Date			2. Transa Date	action 2 Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			A) or	or 5. An Secu Bene Own		unt of ies ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D) Price		- 1	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 11/07/200					/2006	006		S		13,448		D	(1)		3,650,139			(2)	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>	
Common Stock 11/08/2					/2006	2006			S		25,000		D	(3)		3,625,139			(4)	See footnote <sup>(4)</sup>
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	xercise e of varive urity  (Month/Day/Year)   if any (Month/Day/Year)   Code (Instr. 8)   Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				rative rities ired r osed )	6. Date Expiration (Month/E	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amount or Numbe of Shares		unt	nt er		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The trade was executed in a series of transactions with a price range of \$49.50 to \$50.13, with a weighted average price of \$49.93.
- 2. The reporting person is a Managing Partner of Willis Stein & Partners Management II, LLC and Willis Stein & Partners Management III, LLC, each of which may have indirect pecuniary interests in securities held by certain affiliated funds that they indirectly manage. The affiliated funds hold an aggregate of 3,650,139 shares of Common Stock of the issuer. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest he holds therein.
- 3. The trade was executed in a series of transactions with a price range of \$49.50 to \$50.18, with a weighted average price of \$49.71.
- 4. The reporting person is a Managing Partner of Willis Stein & Partners Management II, LLC, and Willis Stein & Partners Management III, LLC, each of which may have indirect pecuniary interests in securities held by certain affiliated funds that they indirectly manage. The affiliated funds hold an aggregate of 3,625,139 shares of Common Stock of the issuer. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest he holds therein.

Lisa M. O'Connor, Attorney-

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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