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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): March 18, 2014**

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**ANSYS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**0-20853**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**04-3219960**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**275 Technology Drive, Canonsburg, PA**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**15317**  
(Zip Code)

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code) (724) 746-3304**

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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On March 18, 2014, ANSYS, Inc. (the "Company") accepted the resignation of Joseph C. Fairbanks, Jr., the Company's Vice President, Worldwide Sales & Support. Mr. Fairbanks will remain with the Company until mid-July. The Company has initiated a search for Mr. Fairbanks' successor.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

**ANSYS, INC.**

Date: March 24, 2014

By: /s/ Sheila S. DiNardo

Sheila S. DiNardo – Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary