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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SHIELDS MARIA T Issuer Symbol ANSYS INC [ANSS] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title SOUTHPOINTE, 275 03/15/2007 below) **TECHNOLOGY DRIVE** Chief Financial Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **CANONSBURG 15317** Person (City) (Zip) (State) n Dominative Committee Acquired Disposed of an Boneficially O

| (,) | () | Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------------------|--|-------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securi | ties A | equired | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of | | | |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction(A) or Disposed of | | | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect | | | | |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (D) | | | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial | | | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | (4) | | | Reported | | | | | |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | | | | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/15/2007 | | A(1) | 614 | A | \$ 0.01 | 13,586 | D | | | | |

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | ate | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | of ng s | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|---------------|---|---|
| | | | | Code V | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | or Title Nu of | umber | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHIELDS MARIA T SOUTHPOINTE 275 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE CANONSBURG 15317

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

Maria T. Shields 03/16/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Award subject to contractual restrictions on resale for a period of four years after date of grant.

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