FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LEE FRANCIS F</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNAPTICS INC [SYNA]									lationship k all applic Directo	*					
(Last)	`	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2004							X	below)		Other (s below)		pecify		
2381 BERING DRIVE															President and CEO						
(Street)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(Si	tate) (Zip)												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,			3. 4. Securities Disposed Of and 5)						5. Amou Securiti Benefici Owned	es ally	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
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	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	Date Exec (Month/Day/Year) if an	3A. Dee Execution if any (Month/	on Date,	4. Fransaction Code (Instr. 3)		on of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		urity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$16.4	01/21/2004			A		200,000		(1)	0	1/21/2004	Commo: Stock	200	,000	\$0	200,00)0	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. 25% of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the twelve month anniversary of the January 21, 2004 vesting commencement date, and 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the 21st day of each month thereafter.

Remarks:

Francis F. Lee

01/22/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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