## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Swearingen Stan A Jr						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SYNAPTICS INC</u> [SYNA]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 3120 SC	(Fi	rst) (			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2013										X Offic below	chnolog	Other (specify below) nology Officer				
(Street) SANTA CLARA CA 95054 (City) (State) (Zip)					-	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										<ul> <li>Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)</li> <li>X Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date			́   c	ransact Code (In			urities Acquired (A sed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			Secur	icially d	6. Owne Form: D (D) or Indirect (Instr. 4	irect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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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)	rivative Conversion Date Executio curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			emed	4. Transact	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. n Number		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			-			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$35.76	01/28/2013			A		5,000			(1)	01/2	28/2020	Commo Stock	1 2 1	000	\$0.00	5,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. 1/36th of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the 28th day of each month following the date of grant until fully vested on January 28, 2016. Remarks:

## Kermit Nolan, as attorney-infact

01/29/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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