## FORM 4

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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> KNITTEL RUSSELL J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNAPTICS INC [SYNA]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 204 shares acquired under the issuer's employee stock purchase plan in June 2005.

2. The shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Sales Plan dated May 2, 2005.

3. 25% of the total number of shares subject to the option vested and became exercisable on the twelve month anniversary of the July 30, 2002 vesting commencement date, and 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option vested or shall become exercisable on the 30th day of each month thereafter.

## Remarks:

Russell	J. Knittel

<u>10/28/2005</u> Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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