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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Tiernan Thomas J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNAPTICS INC [SYNA]									heck all	ship of Repor applicable) irector	ting F	Person(s) to	
(Last) 3120 SC						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2009										fficer (give title elow) Preside			(specify
(Street) SANTA (CLARA CA		4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) <mark>X</mark> F	orm filed by O	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable In filed by One Reporting Person In filed by More than One Reporting Ison				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed ion Date, n/Day/Year)	Code (I	ransaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		ount	of Derivat Securit	8. Price of Securities Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 621 shares acquired under the issuer's employee stock purchase plan in December 2008.

Remarks:

Russell J. Knittel, as attorney-11/04/2008 in-fact ** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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