#### **WALSKE STEVEN**

Form 4

February 27, 2013

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WALSKE STEVEN Issuer Symbol SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_ Other (specify 700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD 02/27/2013 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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### **MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043**

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |  |           |  |  |   |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|-----------|--|--|---|--|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                            | 3.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |           | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Common                               |   |  | Code V                                 | Amount   | or<br>(D) | Price  | (Instr. 3 and 4)   | _   |  |
| Stock                                | 02/27/2013                              |  | M                                      | 40,000   | A         | 30.94  | 71,018   | D   |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/27/2013                              |  | S                                      | 40,000   | D         | \$<br>35.05<br>(1)   | 31,018   | D   |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/27/2013                              |  | M                                      | 30,000   | A         | \$<br>29.87  | 61,018   | D   |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/27/2013                              |  | S                                      | 30,000   | D         | \$ 35.05 (1)   | 31,018   | 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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amou<br>Underlying Secur<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                        |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|--------------------|---|------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                  | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Am<br>or<br>Nu<br>of S |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 29.87  | 02/27/2013                              |   | M                                       | 30,000  | 05/24/2005   | 05/26/2014         | Common<br>Stock   | 30                     |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 30.94  | 02/27/2013                              |   | M                                       | 40,000  | 04/23/2004   | 06/20/2013         | Common<br>Stock   | 40                     |

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALSKE STEVEN
700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD X
MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

# **Signatures**

By: Stephen Buckhout pursuant to POA For: Steven Walske

02/27/2013

\*\*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) All shares sold on this date sold at the average price of \$35.05 which consists of: 1,500@34.73, 1,500@34.74, 4,100@34.75, 100@34.76, 2,000@34.77, 100@34.78, 3,800@34.79, 400@34.8, 200@34.81, 6@34.82, 1,000@34.83, 1,000@34.84, 1,600@34.85, 300@34.86, 100@34.865, 3,000@34.87, 900@34.88, 748@34.89, 100@34.9, 400@34.91, 200@34.92, 100@34.93, 100@34.94, 1,200@34.97, 100@34.99, 600@35, 200@35.02, 100@35.04, 1,800@35.08, 1,100@35.09, 100@35.095, 1,000@35.1, 600@35.11, 100@35.115, 2,600@35.12, 100@35.127, 2,600@35.13, 200@35.133, 2,854@35.14, 100@35.1478, 2,274@35.15, 100@35.1552, 100@35.1595, 3,476@35.16, 200@35.1653, 200@35.1653, 200@35.1683, 5,388@35.17, 100@35.1738, 300@35.2207, 211@35.23, 1,100@35.24, 100@35.1872, 833@35.19, 100@35.1907, 3,100@35.2, 3,700@35.21, 1,086@35.22, 100@35.2207, 211@35.23, 1,100@35.24,

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