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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person CASHMAN JAMES E III	on * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANSYS INC [ANSS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle 2600 ANSYS DRIVE, SOUTHPOINTE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/08/2016	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Delow) CEO				
(Street) CANONSBURG, PA 15367	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
(Instr. 3) any	ecution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership				

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1.Title Securi (Instr.	ty	any			actio 8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	(Insti. 1)
Com		09/08/2016		G	V	5,000	D	\$0	349,163 (1)	D	
Com		09/12/2016		M		1,704	A	\$ 58.67	350,867 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Com									64,500	I	Reflects shares held in a family limited

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option To Purchase	\$ 58.67	09/12/2016		M	1,70	04	(2)	11/14/2021	Common Stock	1,704

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CASHMAN JAMES E III 2600 ANSYS DRIVE SOUTHPOINTE CANONSBURG, PA 15367

CEO

Signatures

Sheila S. DiNardo, Attorney-in-Fact

09/12/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Includes 65,250 Restricted Stock Units.
- (2) The option grant of 75,000 shares granted on 11/14/2011 vests 25% annually in equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant.

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