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(Print or Type	Responses)											
	Address of Reporting N JAMES E III	Person *	Symbol	er Name ar S INC [A	nd Ticker of	. Tradi	ng	5. Relationship o Issuer				
(Mo			(Month/	Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year) 2/21/2017				(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
				nendment, Date Original Ionth/Day/Year)				 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)	Tat	ole I - Non	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefic	ially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock (1)	02/21/2017			Code V $M^{(1)}$	Amount 25,000 (1)	(D) A	Price \$ 48.97	(Instr. 3 and 4) 373,961 (<u>3)</u>	D			
Common Stock (1)	02/21/2017			S <u>(1)</u>	25,000 (1)	D	<u>(2)</u>	348,961 <u>(3)</u>	D			
Common Stock								64,500	I	Reflects shares held in a family limited partnership.		

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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (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	\$ 48.97	02/21/2017		M (1)	25,000 (1)	(4)	11/15/2020	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh			
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
CASHMAN JAMES E III 2600 ANSYS DRIVE SOUTHPOINTE CANONSBURG, PA 15367					
Signatures					
Sheila S. DiNardo,		02/23/2017	,		

Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

02/23/2017

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) Pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan currently in place.

The trade was executed in a series of transactions with a price range of \$99.56 to \$100.91, inclusive, with a weighted average price of \$100.541183. The reporting person undertakes to provide to ANSYS, Inc., any security holder of ANSYS, Inc., or the staff of the

- (2) \$100.541185. The reporting person undertakes to provide to ANS15, file, any security holder of ANS15, file, of the start of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (3) Includes 65,250 Restricted Stock Units.

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The option grant of 75,000 shares granted on 11/15/2010 vests 25% annually in equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant.

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