SOMEKH SASSON Form 4

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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 * SOMEKH SASSON

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

(State)

(First)

03/01/2010

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price

Common 03/01/2010 $S^{(1)}$ 470 D 21.76 Stock

21,745 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)

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1. Title of	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	(Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or	of (Month/Day/Y) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	, ,		Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SOMEKH SASSON 700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD X MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

Signatures

By: Stephen Buckhout pursuant to POA For: Sasson

Somekh 03/01/2010

**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).
- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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