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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement SYNAPTICS INC [SYNA] A Garg Gopal K (Month/Day/Year) 10/21/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 3120 SCOTT BOULEVARD, (Check all applicable) **SUITE 130** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Senior Vice President Person SANTA CLARA, CAÂ 95054 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 25,020 (1) Common Stock D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

3. Title and Amount of 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 5. 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Derivative Security: Title Direct (D) Security

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	(2)	08/08/2018	Common Stock	75,000	\$ 35.99	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
corporation of the contraction o	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Garg Gopal K 3120 SCOTT BOULEVARD, SUITE 130 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â		

Signatures

Gopal K. Garg 10/24/2008

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- 25% of the total number of deferred stock units shall vest on July 31, 2009, and 1/16th of the total number of deferred stock units shall(1) vest and be delivered quarterly thereafter. Stock will be delivered for vested units as of January 31, April 30, July 31, and October 31 of each year.
- 25% of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the twelve month anniversary of the August(2) 8, 2008 vesting commencement date, and 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the 8th day of each month thereafter.

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