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(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

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Symbol	SYNA
SIC Code	7371 - Computer Programming Services
Industry	Computer Peripherals
Sector	Technology
Fiscal Year	06/26

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY)	3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
Swearingen Stan A Jr	**10/19/2010**	**SYNAPTICS INC [SYNA]**
(Last) (First) (Middle) **3120 SCOTT BLVD., SUITE 130**	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _____ Director _____ 10% Owner ___ **X** ___ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) **Senior Vice President /**	
(Street) **SANTA CLARA, CA 95054** (City) (State) (Zip)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) _ **X** _ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (MM/DD/YYYY)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	**6/23/2020**	**Common Stock**	**125000**	**$28.83**	**D**	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) 25% of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the twelve month anniversary of the June 23, 2010 grant date, and 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the 23rd day of each month thereafter.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Swearingen Stan A Jr **3120 SCOTT BLVD., SUITE 130**			**Senior Vice President**	

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054				

Signatures

Stan A. Swearingen, Jr. **10/27/2010**

** Signature of Reporting Person — Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

***** If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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