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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Frankel Ronald N

(First) (Middle) (Last)

C/O SYNACOR, INC., 40 LA RIVIERE DRIVE, SUITE 300

BUFFALO, NY 14202

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Street)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Synacor, Inc. [SYNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

04/16/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Symbol

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or

Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following Reported Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(A)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D))			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee stock option (right to purchase)	\$ 7.1	04/09/2012		A		175,000		<u>(1)</u>	04/15/2022	Common Stock	175,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Frankel Ronald N			Chief					
C/O SYNACOR, INC. 40 LA RIVIERE DRIVE, SUITE 300		Executive						
RUFFALO NY 14202			Officer					

Signatures

/s/ William J. Stuart,
attorney-in-fact 04/18/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person 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) The option becomes exercisable for 25% of the option shares on April 1, 2013 and becomes exercisable for the remaining option shares in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, in each case, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service through such dates.

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