# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d)
of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 15, 2022

## ANSYS, Inc.

|                                                                           | (Exact nam                                                                                             | e of registrant as specified in its char                  | er)                                                      |  |  |
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|                                                                           | Delaware<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation)                                          | 0-20853<br>(Commission<br>File Number)                    | 04-3219960<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.)       |  |  |
| 2600 ANSYS Drive, Canonsburg, PA (Address of principal executive offices) |                                                                                                        |                                                           | 15317<br>(Zip Code)                                      |  |  |
|                                                                           | (Registran                                                                                             | (844) 462-6797<br>t's telephone number, including area co | de)                                                      |  |  |
|                                                                           | (Former name                                                                                           | N/A<br>or former address, if changed since last           | report)                                                  |  |  |
|                                                                           | appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is interprovisions:                                       | nded to simultaneously satisfy the filing                 | obligation of the registrant under any of the            |  |  |
|                                                                           | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 u                                                          | ander the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.42                   | 5)                                                       |  |  |
|                                                                           | Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)                 |                                                           |                                                          |  |  |
|                                                                           | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) |                                                           |                                                          |  |  |
|                                                                           | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) |                                                           |                                                          |  |  |
| Securities                                                                | registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:                                                       |                                                           |                                                          |  |  |
|                                                                           | Title of each class                                                                                    | Trading<br>Symbol(s)                                      | Name of each exchange<br>on which registered             |  |  |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share                                  |                                                                                                        | ANSS                                                      | Nasdaq Stock Market LLC<br>(Nasdaq Global Select Market) |  |  |
|                                                                           | y check mark whether the registrant is an emerging r Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 |                                                           | of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this          |  |  |
|                                                                           |                                                                                                        |                                                           | Emerging growth company                                  |  |  |
|                                                                           | ging growth company, indicate by check mark if the financial accounting standards provided pursuant    |                                                           | tended transition period for complying with any new      |  |  |

## Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On December 15, 2022, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of ANSYS, Inc. (the "Company") voted to increase the size of the Board from nine to ten directors and to increase the size of Class II from three to four directors, effective on such date. On December 15, 2022, the Board elected Claire Bramley to the Board to fill the resulting vacancy, effective on such date. Ms. Bramley will serve as a Class II director for the term expiring on the date of the Company's 2025 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The Board has appointed Ms. Bramley to serve as a member of the Audit Committee.

Ms. Bramley will participate in the Company's non-employee director compensation program, which is described on page 22 of the Company's proxy statement for its 2022 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 28, 2022. In connection with her appointment to the Board, on December 15, 2022 (the "Grant Date"), Ms. Bramley received a pro-rated annual cash retainer in the amount of \$2,475 and a pro-rated grant of restricted stock units ("RSUs") with a value of \$121,644 for her Board service until the Company's 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The RSUs granted to Ms. Bramley will vest on the date of the Company's 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. In addition, the Company will enter into its standard Non-Employee Director Indemnification Agreement and Confidentiality Agreement with Ms. Bramley.

There are no arrangements or understandings between Ms. Bramley and any other persons pursuant to which she was selected as director of the Company. Ms. Bramley does not have any direct or indirect material interest in any transaction or proposed transaction required to be reported under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

A copy of the press release announcing the appointment of Ms. Bramley to the Board is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

- 99.1 Press release dated December 16, 2022
- 104 Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ANSYS, INC.

By: /s/ Janet Lee Date: December 16, 2022

Janet Lee Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary