FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PARKINSON ANTHONY J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRANSACTION SYSTEMS ARCHITECTS INC [ TSAI ]								5. Relationship of Reportin (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title			g Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify		wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 224 S. 108 AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2004										X Officer (give title Offier (specify below)  SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT				
(Street) OMAHA NE 68154							ndme	nt, Date	of Origin	al File	ed (Month/D		ine) X F F	,					
(City)	(S		(Zip)																
Table I - Non-Deriv  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				ction	ion 2A. De Execu		A. Deemed eccution Date,		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			r 5. Amor		int of es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Tra	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock				02/02/	02/02/2004				M		8,500	A	\$10.	04	13,500			D	
Common Stock				02/02/2004		┸			S		8,500	D	\$22.2	363	5,	5,000		D	
Common Stock				02/02/2004		$\perp$			M		1,889	A	\$10.	04	6,	6,889		D	
Common Stock			02/02/	02/02/2004				S		1,889	D	\$22.2	\$22.2363		5,000		D		
		7	able II								oosed of converti				ed				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/I	med	4. Transa Code ( 8)	ction	5. Number tion of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo		sable and te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.04	02/02/2004			M			8,500	(1)		03/04/2012	Common Stock	8,500	\$0		27,500	)	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option	\$10.04	02/02/2004			M			1,889	(1)		03/04/2012	Common Stock	1,889	\$0		25,611	L	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

buy)

1. The options become exercisable in monthly installments and is 100% vested over 18 months.

By: /s/ Eric Nipp, Attorney in 02/03/2004 Fact For: Anthony J. Parkinson

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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