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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Hable David M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3845 CORPORATE CENTRE
DRIVE

(Street)

O'FALLON, MO 63368

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SYNERGETICS USA INC [SURG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/06/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 01/06/2011 | | M | 32,000 | A \$ 1 | 32,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 01/06/2011 | | M | 6,417 | A \$ 1.37 | 38,417 | D |
| Common Stock | 01/06/2011 | | S | 17,000 | D \$ 4.88 | 21,417 | D |

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 (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock option (right to buy) | \$ 1 | 01/06/2011 | | M | 32,000 | <u>(1)</u> 01/28/2019 | Common Stock | 32,000 |
| Stock option (right to buy) | \$ 1.37 | 01/06/2011 | | M | 6,417 | <u>(3)</u> 12/18/2019 | Common Stock | 6,417 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hable David M 3845 CORPORATE CENTRE DRIVE O'FALLON, MO 63368 | X | | President and CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ David M. Hable 01/07/2011

**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 stock option vests quarterly over twelve quarters from the grant date, January 28, 2009.
- (2) The stock option was granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated Synergetics USA, Inc. 2001 Stock Plan.
- (3) The stock option vests in five equal annual installments, with the first installment vesting on the first anniversary of the grant date. The grant date was December 18, 2009.

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