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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Instr. 3)

Stock

SYNERGETICS USA INC [SURG]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

President and CEO

C/O SYNERGETICS USA,

(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2012

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

INC., 3845 CORPORATE CENTRE **DRIVE**

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

O'FALLON, MO 63368

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

12/14/2012

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

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

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V (D) Price Amount

Common

(Month/Day/Year)

A 21,407 Α <u>(1)</u> 106,938 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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	vative Expiration Date urities (Month/Day/Year) uired (A) risposed of ex. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 4.52	12/14/2012		A	30,125	(2)	12/14/2022	Common Stock	30,125	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Hable David M C/O SYNERGETICS USA, INC. 3845 CORPORATE CENTRE DRIVE O'FALLON, MO 63368	X		President and CEO			

Signatures

/s/ David M.
Hable

**Signature of Reporting Person

12/18/2012

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 award was granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated Synergetics USA, Inc. 2001 Stock Plan.
- (2) The stock option vests in annual installments over four years from the date of grant.

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