#### CONEXANT SYSTEMS INC

Form 4 March 20, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* PETERSON MARK D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CONEXANT SYSTEMS INC

[CNXT]

(Check all applicable)

below)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

03/19/2008

Sr. VP, CLO and Secretary

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

Applicable Line)

Issuer

below)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(State)

(Street)

4000 MACARTHUR BLVD.

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

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

Amount

5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

(A) or

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Restricted

Vested)

Stock Units (Time

03/19/2008 250,000 250,000 Α Α (1)

Code V

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)	2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (E) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Α) (Γ	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Numb Shares
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 0.45	03/19/2008		A	850,000	03/19/2009(2)	03/19/2016	Common Stock	850,0

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PETERSON MARK D 4000 MACARTHUR BLVD. NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

Sr. VP, CLO and Secretary

## **Signatures**

By: Terri A. Aprati, Attorney-in-fact

03/19/2008

\*\*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).
- Each Time Vested Restricted Stock Unit (TV RSU) represents the right to receive one share of common stock. The 250,000 TV RSUs (1) will vest in three equal installments on March 19, 2009, 2010 and 2011. In the event of a change of control of the Company, any unvested TV RSUs will become fully vested.
- (2) The stock options will become exercisable in three equal installments on March 19, 2009, 2010 and 2011. In the event of a change in control of the Company, any unvested stock options will become fully vested. The stock options expire March 19, 2016.

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