SCANSOFT INC Form SC 13G February 07, 2003

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(Amendment No. _____) *

ScanSoft, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share
(Title of Class of Securities)
80603P 10 7
(CUSIP Number)
January 30, 2003
Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed: $ \\$
[] Rule 13d-1(b)
[X] Rule 13d-1(c)
[] Rule 13d-1(d)
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1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS. I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY).				
	Koninklijke Philips Elec	ctronics	N.V.		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) [] (b) []				
3	SEC USE ONLY				
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	The Netherland	ds			
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5 SOLE VOTING POWER 4,587,3	334			
	6 SHARED VOTING POWER 0	·			
	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 4,587,3	4,587,334			
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 0				
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 4,587,334				
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARE	ES (SEE I	NSTRU		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 6.8%				
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) CO				

ITEM 1

- (a). NAME OF ISSUER: Scansoft, Inc., a Delaware corporation.
- (b). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES:
 9 Centennial Drive, Peabody, MA 01960.

ITEM 2.

- (a). NAME OF PERSON FILING: Koninklijke Philips Electronics N.V., a limited liability company organized under the laws of The Netherlands.
- (b). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE: Breitner Centre, Amstelplein 2, 1070 MX Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- (c). CITIZENSHIP: The Netherlands.
- (d). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES: Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share.
- (e). CUSIP NUMBER: 748773 10 8
- ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 240.13D-1(b) OR 240.13D-2(b) OR (c), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:
 - (a). [] Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780).
 - (b). [] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
 - (c). [] Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
 - (d). [] Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).
 - (e). [] An investment advisor in accordance with Section 240.13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (E).
 - (f). [] An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Section 240.13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (F).

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- (g). [] A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Section 2 40.13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (G).
- (h). [] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813).
- (i). [] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3).
- (j). [] Group, in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 4,587,334
- (b) Percent of class: 6.8%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 4,587,334
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

4,587,334

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

0

ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [].

ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON.

Not applicable.

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ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY OR CONTROL PERSON.

Not applicable.

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GROUP.

Not applicable.

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP.

Not applicable.

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATIONS.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 7, 2003

KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V.

By:

Name: J.H.M. Hommen

Title: Executive Vice-President