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FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STANKIEWICZ CHARLES W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
				/DE/ [AN		ועמנ	JCTOR	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Month/	of Earliest T Day/Year)	ransaction	1		Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
64 JACKSON ROAD			04/28/2008					EVP & GM, AMSC Power Systems			
	(Street) 4. If A			endment, D	ate Origin	al	(6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Fil				onth/Day/Yea	ar)			Applicable Line)			
DEVENS, MA 01434							_	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) (I) (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	04/28/2008			S(1)	70	D	\$ 26.01	0	D		
Common Stock	04/28/2008			S <u>(1)</u>	2,430	D	\$ 26.0475	49,351 (2)	D		
Common Stock								3,509 (3)	I	By 401(k) Plan	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					(A) or						Repo
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STANKIEWICZ CHARLES W 64 JACKSON ROAD DEVENS, MA 01434

EVP & GM, AMSC Power Systems

Signatures

/s/ Charles W. 04/29/2008 Stankiewicz

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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 sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 26, 2007.
- (2) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 49,351 shares directly.
- (3) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 3,509 shares indirectly through the company's 401(k) plan as of March 31, 2008.

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