

STANKIEWICZ CHARLES W
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FORM 4

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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 *
 STANKIEWICZ CHARLES W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ [AMSC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 TWO TECHNOLOGY DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/11/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP, AMSC Power Systems

WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	12/11/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	9,018 A \$ 7.81	0	D	
Common Stock	12/11/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	6,000 A \$ 10.75	43,518 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock					3,414 ⁽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 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.81	12/11/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	9,018	⁽⁴⁾ 04/23/2012	Common Stock	9,018
Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 10.75	12/11/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	6,000	⁽⁵⁾ 04/20/2009	Common Stock	6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STANKIEWICZ CHARLES W TWO TECHNOLOGY DRIVE WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581			EVP, AMSC Power Systems	

Signatures

/s/ Charles W.
Stankiewicz
Date: 12/13/2007

**Signature of Reporting 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 stock option exercises 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 43,518 shares directly.
- (3) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 3,414 shares indirectly through the company's 401(k) plan as of September 30, 2007.
- (4) The option was fully vested as of April 23, 2007.
- (5) The option was fully vested as of April 20, 2004.

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