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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(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			
			CORP /DE/ [AMSC]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
TWO TECHNOLOGY DRIVE (Street)			12/03/2007	below) below) EVP, AMSC Power Systems			
			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			
WESTBORO	UGH, MA	1581		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I) Perivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	12/03/2007		M(1)	202	A	\$ 12.063	0	D	
Common Stock	12/03/2007		M(1)	5,895	A	\$ 10.75	0	D	
Common Stock	12/03/2007		S(1)	6,097	D	\$ 24.75	31,000 (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 on 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.063	12/03/2007		M <u>(1)</u>		202	<u>(4)</u>	07/06/2008	Common Stock	202
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.75	12/03/2007		M(1)		5,895	<u>(5)</u>	04/20/2009	Common Stock	5,895

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. 12/04/2007 Stankiewicz

**Signature of Reporting 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).

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Reporting Owners 2

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The stock option exercises and 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 31,000 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 July 6, 2003.
- (5) The option was fully vested as of April 20, 2004.

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