SANTAMARIA ANGELO R

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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 A SANTAMA	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) C/O AMER SUPERCON CORPORA ROAD		f Earliest Transaction Oay/Year) 009				Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP Global Manufacturing					
	(Street) 4. If Amer Filed(Mon				te Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
DEVENS, MA 01434								_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/Day		n Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/02/2009			Code V M(1)	Amount 10,000	(D)	Price \$ 14.55	0	D		
Common Stock	06/02/2009			S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 30	51,500 (2)	D		
Common								1,664 (3)	I	By (401k)	

1,664 (3)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Plan

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Other

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)	ansaction Date 3A. Deemed th/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		5. Number of 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)	\$ 14.55	06/02/2009		M <u>(1)</u>	10,000	<u>(4)</u>	05/15/2017	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer

SANTAMARIA ANGELO R C/O AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORPORATION 64 JACKSON ROAD DEVENS, MA 01434

SVP Global Manufacturing

Signatures

/s/ Angelo R.
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**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 stock option exercise and sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Plan.
- (2) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 51,500 shares directly.
- (3) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 1,664 shares indirectly through the company's 401(k) plan as of April 30, 2009.
- (4) The options are vested with respect to 60,000 shares. The remaining 30,000 shares will vest on May 15, 2010.

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