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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ À Douglas Michelle (Month/Day/Year) [AMSC] 11/04/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 125 E SIR FRANCIS DRAKE (Check all applicable) BLVD. STE 400 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group __X__ 10% Owner _X_ Other Officer Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting 13(d)(3) Group Person LARKSPUR, CAÂ 94939 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (State) (City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Ownership (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5) Common Stock D (1) (2) Â 2,509,328 By James Douglas and Jean Common Stock $I^{(2)(3)}$ Douglas Irrevocable 1,747,930 **Descendants? Trust** Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Year)			derlying	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Long call position (right to buy)	02/02/2009	01/22/2011	Common stock	120,000	\$ 45	D (1) (2)	Â
Long call position (right to buy)	02/02/2009	01/22/2011	Common stock	99,000	\$ 45	I	See footnotes (2) (3)
Long call position (right to buy)	02/25/2010	01/22/2012	Common stock	400,000	\$ 60	D (1) (2)	Â
Long call position (right to buy)	02/25/2010	01/22/2012	Common stock	330,000	\$ 60	I	See footnotes (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Douglas Michelle

125 E SIR FRANCIS DRAKE BLVD STE 400 \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} 13(d)(3) Group

LARKSPUR, CAÂ 94939

Signatures

/s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, Attorney-in-fact for Michelle Douglas 12/20/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) These securities are held directly and jointly by Kevin Douglas and Michelle Douglas. Beneficial ownership of these securities by Kevin Douglas was previously reported for Section 16 purposes.
 - Each of the reporting persons hereunder (individually, a "Reporting Person" and collectively the "Reporting Persons") may be deemed a memmber of a "group" within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange
- (2) Act") or Rule 13d-5 promulgated under the Exchange Act, with one or more of the other Reporting Persons. Although the Reporting Persons are reporting such securities as if they were members of a "group", the filing of this Form 4 shall not be deemed an admission by any Reporting Person that such Reporting Person is a beneficial owner of any securities other than those directly held by such Reporting Person.
- These securities are held directly by the James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants' Trust and indirectly by Michelle Douglas. Kevin Douglas and Michelle Douglas, husband and wife, are each a co-trustee of the James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants' Trust. Kevin Douglas's beneficial ownership in these securities have been previously reported for Section 16 purposes.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

Reporting Owners 2

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