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FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
BACIOCCO ALBERT J JR					/DE/ [AMSC]									X	Director	r		10% Ow	ner	
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Options to Purchase	\$11.59	08/02/2005		A			10,000	08/	/02/2005 ⁽¹⁾	08	8/02/2015	Commo Stock	n 1	10,000	\$0	10,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Pursuant to the Company's 1997 Director Plan as amended, each outside director is granted an option to purchase 10,000 shares of Common Stock of the Company three days following each Annual Meetings of Stockholders of the Company, provided that such outside director has served as a director of the Company for at least one year. Such options granted to continuing outside directors following Annual Meetings of Stockholders are immediately exercisable in full.

/s/ Kevin M. Bisson, Attorneyin-Fact 08/03/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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