## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DROUIN RICHARD					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP  /DE/ [ AMSC ]										all app	onship of Reporting Po all applicable) Director		% Owner	
(Last)	(Fir	rst) (I	Middle)													Office belov	er (give title v)		ner (specify ow)
C/O AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORPORATION					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2008														
64 JACKSON ROAD				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street)															X	Form	filed by One	e Reporting I	erson
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(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																
		Tabl	e I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	Securities Acquired (A posed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Secur Benef		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect			
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	, I	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)		(IIISU. 4)
Common Stock 08/12/2				2008(1)		A		3,000 A		\$	22,000(2)		D						
	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)	erivative   Conversion   Date   Execution Date,   curity   or Exercise   (Month/Day/Year)   if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)			
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This grant was made in accordance with the 2007 Director Stock Plan.
- 2. Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 22,000 shares directly.

/s/ David A. Henry, Attorney-

08/14/2008

in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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