FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CRISP PETER O					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last)	(Fir	rst) (	Middle)												fficer (give title elow)		Other ( below)	(specify	
C/O AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORPORATION					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2011														
64 JACKSON ROAD			4. It	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable							
(Street)				_									Li	ne) <mark>X</mark> F	orm filed by Or	ne Re	porting Pers	on	
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(City)	(Sta	ate) (.	Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Tra	nsaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 12/13/2				/13/2011	2011 <sup>(1)</sup>		A		3,000		A	\$ <del>0</del> .	00	118,603(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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Date, Transaction Code (Insti				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This grant was made in accordance with the 2007 Director Stock Plan
- $2.\ Following\ all\ the\ transactions\ reported\ on\ this\ Form\ 4,\ the\ reporting\ person\ holds\ 118,603\ shares\ directly.$

## Remarks:

/s/ David A. Henry, Attorneyin-Fact 12/15/2011

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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