Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Collett John R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP  DE/ [ AMSC ]											k all applic Directo	able)	g Pers	son(s) to Issi 10% Ow Other (s	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORPORATION 64 JACKSON ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/12/2010									a.		X	svP, Chief Strategy Officer					
(Street) DEVENS MA 01434					-   4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	tate)	(Zip)	Dori			ouritio	. ^ ^	anir	4 D	ion			Pon	oficia	, II, r	Owned					1
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Tra	nsacti de (Ins	on	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				) or 5. Amo 4 and Securit Benefic		nt of s ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Co	de V		Amount	(	(A) or (D) Price		)	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				05/12/2010		0				1		10,80	00 A S		\$0.	00	54,1	00(1)		D		
Common Stock																	66(2)			I	By 401(k) Plan	
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Security or E (Instr. 3) Price Deri	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)				Expira	e Exerc ition D n/Day/	ate	of S Und Der		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		S	. Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirec Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)	t
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	sable		piration ate	Title		Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r						
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$29.24	05/12/2010			A		18,000		(	3)	05	5/12/2020	Comr		18,00	0	\$0.00	18,000	)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 54,100 shares directly.
- 2. Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 66 shares indirectly through the company's 401(k) plan as of April 30, 2010.
- 3. The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning May 12, 2011.

## Remarks:

/s/ John R. Collett

05/14/2010

\*\* 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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