#### YUREK GREGORY J

Form 4

February 08, 2010

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

YUREK GREGORY J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ [AMSC]					Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AMERICAN			of Earliest T Day/Year) 2010	ransaction			_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Chairman and CEO			
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	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/D		Date, if Transactiomr Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
_				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/04/2010			S <u>(1)</u>	6,400	D	32.2648 (2)	170,740	D		
Common Stock	02/04/2010			S(1)	1,100	D	\$ 33.1173 (3)	169,640 (4)	D		
Common Stock								776 <u>(5)</u>	I	By 401(K) Plan	

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

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative
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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

YUREK GREGORY J C/O AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR CORPORATION 64 JACKSON ROAD DEVENS, MA 01434

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Chairman and CEO

## **Signatures**

/s/ Gregory J. Yurek 02/08/2010

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to Rule 10b5-1Plan. The primary purpose of such sales was to pay personal income taxes that were due upon the vesting of restricted stock on February 4, 2010.
- The disposition transaction was executed in muliple trades at prices ranging from \$31.85-\$32.64. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and price at which the transaction was effected.
- (3) The disposition transaction was executed in muliple trades at prices ranging from \$32.88-\$33.31. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security

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holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and price at which the transaction was effected.

- (4) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 169,640 shares directly.
- (5) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 776 shares indirectly through the company's 401(k) plan as of January 31, 2010.

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