

Maguire James F
Form 4
October 26, 2012

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Maguire James F

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
AMERICAN SUPERCONDUCTOR
CORP /DE/ [AMSC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O AMERICAN
SUPERCONDUCTOR CORP., 64
JACKSON ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/25/2012

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
EVP, Gridtec Solutions

(Street)
DEVENS, MA 01434

4. If Amendment, Date Original
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
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/25/2012		A	Amount 187,000 (1)	A \$ 0 213,756 (2)	D	
Common Stock					2,380 (3)	I	By 401(k) Plan

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

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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/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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EVP, Gridtec Solutions

Signatures

/s/ James F.
Maguire 10/26/2012

__Signature of
Reporting Person Date

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).

Grant of restricted stock consisting of 40,000 shares vesting in three equal annual installments beginning May 9, 2013 and ending on May 9, 2015 and 147,000 shares which vest in their entirety upon the attainment of positive cash flow from operations before the fourth quarter of the fiscal year ending March 31, 2015.

(2) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 213,756 shares directly.

(3) Following all the transactions reported on this Form 4, the reporting person holds 2,380 shares indirectly through the company's 401(k) plan as of October 24, 2012.

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