

AUGUST TECHNOLOGY CORP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Plisinski Michael P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AUGUST TECHNOLOGY CORP  
 [AUGT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 4900 WEST 78TH STREET  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/19/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP of Engineering

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55435  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/19/2005		D	11,614	\$ 10.332	D	

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)**

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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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.1					<u>(1)</u>	08/01/2010	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.45					02/06/2004	02/06/2014	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.62					02/19/2005	10/22/2014	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.38					<u>(2)</u>	12/30/2014	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.38					<u>(3)</u>	12/30/2014	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.1					03/07/2005	03/07/2015	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.1					03/07/2005	03/07/2015	Common Stock	0

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director      10% Owner      Officer      Other

Plisinski Michael P  
4900 WEST 78TH STREET  
BLOOMINGTON, MN 55435

VP of  
Engineering

## Signatures

Robert K. Ranum as Agent for Michael P. Plisinski pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed

05/23/2005

\_\_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).
- (1) Original option (40,000 shares) exercisable in five annual increments of 8,000 shares beginning August 1, 2004.
- (2) Original option (3,158 shares) exercisable: 1,074 shares on December 30, 2004 and 1,042 shares on December 30, 2005 and December 30, 2006.
- (3) Original option (6,842 shares) exercisable: 2,327 shares on December 30, 2004; 2,258 shares on December 30, 2005 and 2,257 shares on December 30, 2006.

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