**AVX CORP** Form 4 May 10, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **CUMMINGS KURT P** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

AVX CORP [AVX]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/08/2007

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

VP CFO Treasurer and Corporate 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

**MYRTLE BEACH, SC 29577** 

801 17TH AVENUE SOUTH

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amou Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Underlying Securi Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code	V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.88	05/08/2007		A	V	6,946	05/08/2008	3 05/08/2017	Common Stock	6,9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.88	05/08/2007		A	V	8,054	05/08/2008	3 05/08/2017	Common Stock	8,0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CUMMINGS KURT P 801 17TH AVENUE SOUTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC 29577

**VP CFO Treasurer and Corporate** 

### **Signatures**

By: Kurt P. Cummings, Attorney in Fact For: Kurt P. Cummings

05/10/2007

\*\*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).

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