

MCCLURE DOUGLAS T JR

Form 4

August 16, 2005

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 *
MCCLURE DOUGLAS T JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1228 DOUGLAS AVENUE

(Street)

REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
AMPEX CORP /DE/ [AMPX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/12/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Class A Common Stock	08/12/2005		M		250	A	\$ 5.2 2,425
Class A Common Stock	08/12/2005		S		83	D	\$ 33.27 2,425
Class A Common Stock	08/12/2005		S		67	D	\$ 33.25 2,425
Class A Common Stock	08/12/2005		S		100	D	\$ 33.26 2,425

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Class A Common Stock	08/15/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 33.26	2,425	D
Class A Common Stock	08/15/2005	S	250	D	\$ 31.86	2,425	D
Class A Common Stock	08/15/2005	S	250	D	\$ 31.87	2,425	D
Class A Common Stock	08/15/2005	S	500	D	\$ 32	2,425	D
Class A Common Stock	08/16/2005	M	2,300	A	\$ 1.9	2,425	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)

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.2	08/12/2005		M	250	06/06/2003 09/14/2005	Class A Common Stock	250
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.9	08/15/2005		M	1,000	07/09/2004 09/10/2006	Class A Common Stock	1,000
Stock Option	\$ 1.9	08/16/2005		M	2,300	07/09/2004 09/10/2006	Class A Common	2,300

(Right to
Buy)

Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MCCLURE DOUGLAS T JR 1228 DOUGLAS AVENUE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063	X

Signatures

Douglas T.	08/16/2005
McClure, Jr.	

__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
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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) This reporting person does not own any other options having the same exercise price and exercise period.
- (2) After giving effect to this exercise, the reporting person owns 9,000 options with the same exercise price and expiration date.
- (3) After giving effect to this exercise, the reporting person owns 6,700 options with the same exercise price and expiration date.

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