CUMMINGS KURT P

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

AVX CORP [AVX]

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

06/24/2005

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

X_ Officer (give title below)

801 17TH AVENUE SOUTH

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

VP CFO Treasurer and Corporate

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MYRTLE BEACH, SC 29577

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

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 (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)

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

(A)

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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(In	str. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					
					Code	V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
St	centive ock Option ght to buy)	\$ 11.3	05/06/2005		A	V	7,500		05/06/2006	05/06/2015	Common Stock	7,5
St	on-Qualified ock Option ght to buy)	\$ 11.3	05/06/2005		A	V	2,500		05/06/2006	05/06/2015	Common Stock	2,5

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

06/24/2005

**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).

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