FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287 Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5

## Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  RICHARDSON DOUGLAS							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VICOR CORP [ vicr ]										all appl	icable)		rson(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VICOR CORP 25 FRONTAGE ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2005											below		below)	Specify	
(Street) ANDOVER MA 01810					4. If	Line) X Form file											Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable iled by One Reporting Person iled by More than One Reporting				
(City) (State) (Zip)															Perso	n					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar)   E	A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		´   c	ransact Code (In		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				l and Securit Benefic Owned		es ially Following	Forn (D) c	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									С	Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price			action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/16/						2005				M		354		A	\$6.	18	3	354		D	
Common Stock 08/16/2						5				S		354		D \$13		.45	0			D	
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Trans Code		iction Instr.	of E		Expir	ate Exer ration D th/Day/	ate		Amo Secu Unde Deriv	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	,	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Ex <sub>I</sub> Dat	piration te	Title	o N	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock	\$6.18	08/16/2005			M			354		(1)		(2)	Com		354		\$0	88		D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Granted under the Company's Amended and Restated 2000 Stock Option Plan and vests over a four year period.
- 2. Each portion of the option expires 30 months after it becomes exercisable.

/s/Mark A. Glazer, Attorney in Fact for Douglas Richardson

08/17/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.