

AUGUST TECHNOLOGY CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 JOHNSON ARDELLE R

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)  
 07/21/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP, Strategic Marketing

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

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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)  | 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 Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. P... Der... Sec... |
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| (Instr. 3)                           | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 10.76                           |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | <u>(1)</u>          | 08/18/2010         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 18.45                           |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 02/06/2004          | 02/06/2014         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 18.45                           |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 02/06/2004          | 02/06/2014         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 10.36                           |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | <u>(2)</u>          | 07/30/2014         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 7.62                            |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 02/19/2005          | 10/22/2014         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 7.62                            |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 02/19/2005          | 10/22/2014         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 10.38                           |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | <u>(3)</u>          | 12/30/2014         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 12.1                            |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 03/07/2005          | 03/07/2015         | Common<br>Stock | 0                                      |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 12.74                           | 07/21/2005       |            |   | A    |   | 377 |     | 07/21/2005          | 07/21/2015         | Common<br>Stock | 377                                    |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                      | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| JOHNSON ARDELLE R<br>4900 WEST 78TH STREET<br>BLOOMINGTON, MN 55435 |               |           | VP, Strategic Marketing |       |

## Signatures

Robert K. Ranum as Attorney in Fact for Ardelle R. Johnson pursuant to Power of Attorney  
filed herewith

07/28/2005

\_\_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 (45,000 shares) exercisable in five annual increments of 9,000 shares beginning August 18, 2004.
- (2) Original option (2,500 shares) exercisable in five annual increments of 500 shares beginning July 30, 2004.
- (3) Original option (10,000 shares) exercisable: 3,400 shares on December 30, 2004 and 3,300 shares on December 30, 2005 and December 30, 2006.

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