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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Per RIDDIFORD DAVID T	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VICOR CORP [VICR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Mid-	le) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
25 FRONTAGE ROAD	(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ANDOVER, MA 01810		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired action(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M	2,000	A	\$ 18	91,200	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M	1,247	A	\$ 16.04	92,447	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M	2,619	A	\$ 7.15	95,066	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M	3,906	A	\$ 9.59	98,972	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$ 18	05/04/2006		M		2,000	<u>(1)</u>	06/27/2006	Common Stock	2,000
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$ 16.04	05/04/2006		M		1,247	(2)	(3)	Common Stock	1,247
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$ 7.15	05/04/2006		M		2,619	<u>(4)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	2,619
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$ 9.59	05/04/2006		M		3,906	<u>(4)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	3,906

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
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RIDDIFORD DAVID T								
25 FRONTAGE ROAD	X							
ANDOVER, MA 01810								

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/s/Mark A. Glazer, Attorney in Fact for David T. Riddiford

05/05/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) Granted under the Company's 1993 Stock Option Plan and vests over a five year period.
- (2) Granted under the Company's 1993 Stock Option Plan and vests over a four year period.
- (3) Each portion of the option expires 30 months after it becomes exercisable.
- (4) Granted under the Company's Amended and Restated 2000 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and vests over a four year period.

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