

PERRY CHARLES D  
Form 4  
February 08, 2006

**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 \*  
PERRY CHARLES D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9911 WILLOWS ROAD NE

(Street)

REDMOND, WA 98052

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
AVOCENT CORP [AVCT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/06/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Exec VP Sales

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/06/2006		M		38,100	A	\$ 15.3599
Common Stock	02/06/2006		S		43,100	D	\$ 33.83

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Options (rights to buy)	\$ 15.3599	02/06/2006		M	38,100	03/09/1998 <sup>(1)</sup> 03/09/2008	Common stock 38,100
Options (rights to buy)	\$ 20.8125					03/12/2001 <sup>(2)</sup> 03/12/2011	Common Stock 20,000
Options (rights to buy)	\$ 21.77					04/15/2002 <sup>(3)</sup> 04/15/2012	Common Stock 40,000
Options (rights to buy)	\$ 27.25					03/07/2003 <sup>(3)</sup> 03/07/2013	Common Stock 55,000
Common Stock	\$ 40.98					02/05/2004 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/05/2014	Common Stock 30,000
Options (rights to buy)	\$ 28.96					08/19/2004 <sup>(4)</sup> 08/19/2014	Common Stock 10,000
Options (rights to buy)	\$ 26.14					06/30/2005 <sup>(4)</sup> 06/30/2015	Common Stock 11,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PERRY CHARLES D 9911 WILLOWS ROAD NE REDMOND, WA 98052			Exec VP Sales	

## Signatures

Samuel F. Saracino as attorney-in-fact for Charles D  
Perry

02/08/2006

\_\_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) 25% vest and become exercisable on the December 1, 1999 and in 36 monthly installments thereafter.
- (2) Grant date, 25% exercisable on March 12, 2002 and in 12 equal quarterly installments thereafter.
- (3) Grant date, 25% vests after 6 months and in 10 equal quarterly installments thereafter.
- (4) Grant date, 100% vests on December 31, 2005.

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