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ISSUER

AUGUST TECHNOLOGY CORP

CIK: 1063527 | IRS No.: 411729485 | State of Incorporation: MN | Fiscal Year End: 1231
SIC: 3827 Optical instruments & lenses

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REPORTING OWNER

JOHNSON ARDELLE R

CIK: 1260299
Type: 3 | Act: 34 | File No.: 000-30637 | Film No.: 05790564

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person JOHNSON ARDELLE R			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 04/22/2005		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUGUST TECHNOLOGY CORP [AUGT]		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) VP, Strategic Marketing			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
4900 WEST 78TH STREET							
(Street)							
BLOOMINGTON, MN 55435						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	08/18/2010	Common Stock	45,000	\$10.76	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	02/06/2004	02/06/2014	Common Stock	171	\$18.45	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	02/06/2004	02/06/2014	Common Stock	2,844	\$18.45	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	07/30/2014	Common Stock	2,500	\$10.36	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	02/19/2005	10/22/2014	Common Stock	414	\$7.62	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	02/19/2005	10/22/2014	Common Stock	794	\$7.62	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	12/30/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$10.38	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	03/07/2005	03/07/2015	Common Stock	6,259	\$12.1	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Original option (45,000 shares) exercisable in five annual increment 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.

Signatures

[Robert K. Ranum as Attorney in Fact for Ardelle R. Johnson pursuant to Power of Attorney filed herewith](#)

[05/02/2005](#)

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

* 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Stanley D. Piekos, Scott A. Gabbard, Kari Gullickson and Robert K. Ranum ("Attorneys-in-Fact"), or any one of them acting alone, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for the undersigned and in the undersigned's name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any or all Forms 4 or Forms 5 relating to beneficial ownership of securities of August Technology Corporation (the "Issuer"), to file the same, with all exhibits thereto and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission and to deliver a copy of the same to the Issuer, granting unto said attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all said attorney-in-fact and agent, or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue thereof. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorney-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in effect until such time as the undersigned is no longer subject to the provisions of Section 16 of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934 with respect to securities of the Issuer or until this Power of Attorney is replaced by a later dated Power of Attorney or revoked by the undersigned in writing.

The undersigned hereby indemnifies the Attorneys-in-Fact for all losses and costs the Attorneys-in-Fact may incur in connection with or arising from the Attorneys-in-Fact's execution of their authorities granted hereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 29th day of April, 2005.

/s/ Ardelle Johnson

Ardelle Johnson