# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	pe Response																		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- BADAVAS ROBERT P				HE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL INC [HTGC]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 402 GROVE STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2007														
(Street) NEEDHAM, MA 02492				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						_X_ F	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City		(State)	(Zip)		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	Exec any	Deemed cution Date, if nth/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		etion	on 4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (I	(D) Beneficia		ant of Securities ally Owned Following d Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	of Indi	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Year) Execution I	Date, if	tte, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) And United Section 2015			mount (nderlyi ecuritie enstr. 3 a	str. 3 and	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securit Direct or Indi	ship of I Ber tive Ow (Ins (D)	Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)	
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#### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BADAVAS ROBERT P						
402 GROVE STREET NEEDHAM, MA 02492	X					

# **Signatures**

/s/ Scott Harvey, Attorney-In-Fact for Robert Badavas	10/03/2007
**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) Shares issued based on reporting person's election to receive stock in lieu of cash retainer fee otherwise due to reporting person as a director of the company.

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