FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bluestein Scott				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) Director X Officer (give title below) Chief Credit Officer Chief Credit Officer						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL,, 31 ST. JAMES AVENUE, SUITE 790				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2013							Cii	ier Credit O	nicei			
BOSTON, MA 02116				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 _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City		(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu						ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Following	Ownership o Form: B	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
				(Month/Day/Year			Code	V	Amoun	(A) or t (D)	Price	(msu. 3 a			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		12/09/2013				F		249 (1	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	\$ 16.76	136,808	3		D	
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo	or each class of secur	Derivativ	e Secur	ities A	rcquir	Personn cont the f	ons whatained in	no respo n this for splays a	rm are curre neficial	not requesting ntly valid	OMB con	formation spond unle trol numbe	ss	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of	2	3. Transactio		<i>e.g.</i> , puts	s, calls, v	varra 5.	nts, op		, conver ate Exer	tible secu		itle and	8 Price of	9. Number	of 10.	11. Natur
	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/	Execution Da	te, if Tra	de	Num of Deri Secu Acq (A) Disp of (I	Number and		nd Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		Ame Und Secu	berlying arities tr. 3 and		Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct (or Indir	of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)
				C	ode V	(A)	(D)	Date Exe		Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
Reporting O			10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bluestein Scott C/O HERCULES TECHN 31 ST. JAMES AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02116	NOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL, , SUITE 790			Chief Credit Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Michael Penney, Attorney-in-Fact for Scott Bluestein	12/10/2013	

**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) Represents shares of common stock withheld to pay taxes applicable to the vesting of restricted stock on December 9, 2013.

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