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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)								
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Lund David Michael	Statem	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2005		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL INC [HTGC]				
(Last) (First) (Midd 80 HOLLINS DRIVE	le)			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Principal Fnl & Acctg Officer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) SANTA CRUZ, CA 95060							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) (Zi	p)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					4. Natur (Instr. 5	ture of Indirect Beneficial Ownership . 5)		
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Indir	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	(1)	07/15/2012	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	40,000	\$ 13		D	

Reporting Owners

Deporting Owner Name /	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Lund David Michael 80 HOLLINS DRIVE SANTA CRUZ, CA 95060			Principal Fnl & Acctg Officer		

Signatures

/s/ David M. Lund	08/22/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) One-third of the options vest on July 15, 2006. Beginning on July 15, 2006, the remaining two-thirds of the options vest monthly thereafter such that all options will be fully vested on July 15, 2008.

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