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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Baron Jessica T			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) Other (specify below) Chief Financial Office					
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(Street) PALO ALTO,, CA 94301				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					
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Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Baron Jessica T C/O HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL 400 HAMILTON AVE., SUITE 310 PALO ALTO,, CA 94301			Chief Financial Office			

Signatures

/s/K. Nicholas Martitsch, Attorney-in-Fact for Jessica Baron	11/20/2012
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 November 16, 2012.

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