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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ho Doreen Woo			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hercules Capital, Inc. [HTGC]						5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)XDirector10% Owner					
C/O HER	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HERCULES CAPITAL, INC., 400 HAMILTON AVENUE SUITE 310			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2018					-	Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify b	pelow)	
PALO AI	LTO, CA	(Street) 94301		4. If Amendm	nent, l	Date O	riginal	Filed(Mont	h/Day/Year)		X_ Form fil	ed by One Repo		(Check Applica)	ble Line)
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu						Acquir	lired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		I	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Data		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		f (D)	Beneficia Reported	ant of Securities ally Owned Following d Transaction(s)		Ownership Form:	Beneficial
				(Month/Day/Y	Year)	Cod	e V	7 Amour	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	and 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	Stock	1	11/19/2018			A		102 (1) A \$	2.28	11,140			D	
			each class of secur	rities beneficial	lly ow	vned dii	Pe		no respor			ction of inf			1474 (9-02)
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Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Ho Doreen Woo C/O HERCULES CAPITAL, INC. 400 HAMILTON AVENUE SUITE 310 PALO ALTO, CA 94301	X					

Signatures

/s//Melanie Grace, Attorney-in-Fact for Doreen Woo Ho	12/10/2018
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 acquired through the Hercules Capital, Inc. Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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