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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Meyer Seth H					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hercules Capital, Inc. [HTGC]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HERCULES CAPITAL, INC., 400 HAMILTON AVENUE SUITE 310					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2019						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer					
(Street) PALO ALTO, CA 94301					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						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 Acqu							ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
(Instr. 3) Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Exec	A. Deemed xecution Date, if ny Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)						Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
				(Mo		Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	. 3 and 4)			Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 03/14/2019					A		40,355	A	\$ 12.39	40,355			D			
			Table I			ies Acquire	ed, Di	isposed o	f, or Be	neficial	•		. or mannoer			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	3A. Deem Execution any	ed Date, if	puts, calls, wa 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	ies Acquire arrants, op	ivative urities quired (Month/Day/Ye		f, or Be ible secuisable n Date	neficial urities) 7. T Ame Und Seco	ntly valid	d OMB cont	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	f 10.	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exer		Expiratio Date	on Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Repor	ting O	wners														
					Re	elationship	s									
Rep	orting Own	er Name / Add	rootor 1	or 10% Officer												

Other

Signatures

PALO ALTO, CA 94301

Meyer Seth H

/s/ Melanie Grace, Attorney-in-Fact for Seth H. Meyer	03/21/2019		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

Director

Owner

Officer

Chief Financial Officer

Explanation of Responses:

C/O HERCULES CAPITAL, INC.

400 HAMILTON AVENUE SUITE 310

- * 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) Restricted stock issued as a grant pursuant to the Amended and Restated Equity Incentive Plan and subject to forfeiture restrictions of one-third vesting on March 14, 2020 followed by quarterly vesting over the following 24 months.

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