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* CROWELL GAYLE A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hercules Capital, Inc. [HTGC]				-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HERCULES CAPITAL, INC., 400 HAMILTON AVENUE SUITE 310			3. Date of Earlie 11/16/2020	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2020				-	Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify b	elow)
(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 PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	7	Γable I - N	on-Der	ivative S	Securities .	Acquii	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		f (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Ownership Form:	Beneficial	
			(Month/Day/Yea	r) Code	V	Amoun	(A) or t (D) I	Price	(Instr. 3 a	3 and 4)		\ /	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock		11/16/2020		A		154 (1	A \$	1.49	13,608			D	
		Table II	- Derivative Secur		cont the f red, Di	ained in	n this fori splays a c	m are curren	not requ tly valid		spond unle trol numbe	ss	1474 (9-02)
. =									y Owned				
1. Title of 2. Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price o Derivat Securit	cise (Month/Day	Execution Dany	(e.g., puts, calls, value) details 4. Date, if Transaction Code (//Year) (Instr. 8)	5.	6. Do and I (More	, conver ate Exer Expiration nth/Day/	tible secur cisable on Date	7. Tit Amo Unde Secur	tle and unt of orlying		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indire	Ownersh (Instr. 4)

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ /Melanie Grace, Attorney-in-Fact for Gayle Crowell	11/18/2020
**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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