WOODWARD ALLYN C JR

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WOODWARD ALLYN C JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL INC [HTGC]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O HERCULES TECHNOLOGY **GROWTH CAPITAL**, 400 HAMILTON AVE., SUITE 310

(State)

(Street) 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

PALO ALTO, CA 94301

05/30/2012

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

value

Stock 05/30/2012 \$0.001 par

5,000 A

Price

185,020 (2)

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to purchase Common Stock	\$ 10.59	05/30/2012		A	15,000	(3)	05/30/2022	Common Stock \$0.001	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WOODWARD ALLYN C JR C/O HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL 400 HAMILTON AVE., SUITE 310 PALO ALTO, CA 94301

X

Signatures

/s/ Scott Harvey, Attorney-in-fact for Allyn C. Woodward, Jr.

06/01/2012

**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) Shares issued as an automatic grant pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2006 Non-Employee Director Plan and are subject to forfeiture restrictions of one-thrid lapsing on 05/30/2013, one-third lapsing on 05/30/2014 and one-thrid lapsing on 05/30/2015.
- (2) Includes shares acquired through the Hercules Technology Growth Capital, Inc.'s Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- One-third of the options vest on 05/30/2013, one-third of the options vest on 05/30/2014 and the final one-third of the options vest on 05/30/2015.

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