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(Print or Type Res	sponses)										
Bluestein Scott Sy			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)			
GROWTH CA	(First) (1 LES TECHNO APITAL, 31 ST NUE, SUITE 7	Г.	3. Date of (Month/D 06/30/20	-	ansaction			Director X Officer (give below) Chief		Owner er (specify	
	Filed(Mon			ndment, Date Original tth/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 			
BOSTON, MA	A 02116							Person	lore than One Ke	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
	2. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock \$0.001 par value	06/30/2012			Code V F	49 <u>(1)</u>	(D) D	Price \$ 11.34	55,337	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bluestein Scott C/O HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL 31 ST. JAMES AVENUE, SUITE 790 BOSTON, MA 02116			Chief Credit Officer				
Signatures							
/s/Scott Harvey, Attorney-in-Fact for Scott Bluestein	07/03/201	2					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date						
Explanation of Responses:							

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents shares of common stock withheld to pay taxes applicable to the vesting of restricted stock on June 30, 2012.

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