





**Item 8.01 Other Events**

**On January 17, 2012, Hercules Technology Growth Capital, Inc., issued a press release a copy of which is attached hereto as an Exhibit.**

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated January 17, 2012

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HERCULES  
TECHNOLOGY  
GROWTH CAPITAL, INC.

January 17, 2012 By: /s/ Scott Harvey  
Scott Harvey  
Chief Legal Officer

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