

HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL INC

Form 8-K

December 17, 2009

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **December 17, 2009**

Hercules Technology Growth Capital, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

814-00702

74-3113410

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File No.) (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

400 Hamilton Ave., Suite 310

Palo Alto, CA

94301

(Name and Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(650) 289-3060**

Not Applicable

(Former name or
address, if changed
since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 17, 2009 Hercules Technology Growth Capital, Inc., issued a press release announcing receipt of gross realized proceeds in the amount of \$1.7 Million from the sale of Gomez, Inc. to Compuware Corporation. The text of the press release is included as an exhibit to this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated December 17, 2009

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.

December 17, 2009

/s/ Scott Harvey

Scott Harvey

Chief Legal Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description of Exhibits</u>
99.1	Press Release dated December 17, 2009