

Heritage-Crystal Clean, Inc.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Ray Gregory

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O HERITAGE-CRYSTAL CLEAN, INC., 2175 POINT BOULEVARD, SUITE 275

(Street)

ELGIN, IL 60123

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Heritage-Crystal Clean, Inc. [HCCI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2017 | | M | | 20,107 (1) | A | \$ 11.5 175,709 D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2017 | | S | | 20,107 (1) | D | \$ 15.64 155,602 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative 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 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.5 | 03/01/2017 | | M | 20,107 | <u>(3)</u> 03/17/2018 | Common Stock | 20,107 <u>(1)</u> |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ray Gregory
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2175 POINT BOULEVARD, SUITE 275
ELGIN, IL 60123

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Signatures

/s/ Mark DeVita, as
Attorney-in-Fact

03/03/2017

 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) Exercises were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were exercised in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.55 to \$15.75, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Heritage-Crystal Clean, Inc. any security holder of

(2) Heritage-Crystal Clean, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares exercised at each separate price within the ranges set forth.

(3) Fully vested.

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