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FORM 4

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

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

may continue. *See* Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Lucks John
5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

Heritage-Crystal Clean, Inc. [HCCI] (Check all applicable)

(Check all application)
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

C/O HERITAGE-CRYSTAL CLEAN, INC., 2175 POINT BOULEVARD, SUITE 375
 (Month/Day/Year)
 _____ Director ______ 10% Owner

 03/25/2009
 _____ X___ Officer (give title ______ Other (specify below)

 VP of Sales & Marketing

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

ELGIN, IL 60123

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/07/2011		M	363	A	\$0	42,250	D	
Common Stock	09/07/2011		D	363	D	\$ 19	41,887	D	
Common Stock	09/08/2011		M	100	A	\$0	41,987	D	
Common Stock	09/08/2011		D	100	D	\$ 19	41,887	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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.33	03/25/2009		A	14,420		<u>(1)</u>	03/25/2019	Common Stock	14,420
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.33	09/07/2011		M		363	<u>(1)</u>	03/25/2019	Common Stock	363
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.33	09/08/2011		M		100	<u>(1)</u>	03/25/2019	Common Stock	100

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Lucks John C/O HERITAGE-CRYSTAL CLEAN, INC. 2175 POINT BOULEVARD, SUITE 375 ELGIN, IL 60123			VP of Sales & Marketing				

Signatures

/s/ Samuel C. Schlessinger,
Attorney-in-Fact
09/09/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Options vest 25% per year for four years.

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