FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Swanson David P.</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Horizon Technology Finance Corp [HRZN]								Relationsh heck all ap X Dire	olicable)	ng Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 312 FARMINGTON AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/29/2012									Offic belo	er (give title w)				
(Street) FARMINGTON CT US 06032 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ie) X Forr Forr	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (/ Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)					d Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 08/29/							2012		P		2,000 A		\$16.	.5	2,000					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	e (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)		Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		unt ber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Form Direc or In (I) (Ir		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ David P. Swanson, by Robert D. Pomeroy, Jr. as

08/30/2012

attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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