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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCELFO JOHN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

HESS CORP [HES]

(Check all applicable)

HESS CORPORATION, 1185

(Street)

(State)

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

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify below)

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

03/28/2008

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Senior Vice President

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)

(A) Amount (D)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common

value

Stock. \$1.00 par

03/28/2008

 $M^{(1)}$

14,160 A

119,660 ⁽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 or 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
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 49.55 (3)	03/28/2008		M	14,160 (3)	02/01/2007	02/01/2016	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	14,160 (3)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCELFO JOHN J HESS CORPORATION 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036

Senior Vice President

Signatures

George C. Barry for John J.

Scelfo 03/31/2008

**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) Common Stock acquired upon exercise of options granted under the Corporation's Second Amended and Restated 1995 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- This amount includes 105,500 shares held in escrow pursuant to the Corporation's Second Amended and Restated 1995 Long-Term

 Incentive Plan. The reporting person has only voting power of these shares until lapsing of the period set by the Committee administering the Plan at which time the shares plus accrued dividends will be delivered to the reporting person if he is still an employee of the Corporation.
- (3) Reflects antidilution adjustment which reduced exercise price to \$49.55 and increased outstanding options by 14,000 shares as a result of a 3 for 1 stock split effected on May 31, 2006.

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