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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **HESS JOHN B** Issuer Symbol HESS CORP [HES] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ 10% Owner _X_ Director _X__ Officer (give title __ Other (specify HESS CORPORATION, 1185 03/28/2008 below) AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS Chairman of the Board and CEO (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 NEW YORK, NY 10036 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	illy Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 89.48	11,081,529	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008		S	200	D	\$ 89.51	11,081,329	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008		S	200	D	\$ 89.59	11,081,129	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.65	11,081,029	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.52	11,080,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.1	11,080,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 88.91	11,080,729	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.33	11,080,629	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	200	D	\$ 89.28	11,080,429	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.66	11,080,329	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.22	11,080,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.02	11,080,129	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 88.83	11,080,029	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.01	11,079,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
	03/28/2008	S	100	D		11,079,829	I	

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value					\$ 88.09			Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 88.96	11,079,729	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 88.85	11,079,629	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 88.82	11,079,529	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 89.08	11,079,429	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	200	D	\$ 88.45	11,079,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	03/28/2008	S	6,000	D	\$ 90	11,073,229 (2)	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	S	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo
					Disposed				Trans
					of (D)				(Instr
					(Instr. 3,				
					4, and 5)				

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Code V (A) (D)

Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HESS JOHN B

HESS CORPORATION
1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

X

X

Chairman of the Board and CEO

NEW YORK, NY 10036

Signatures

George C. Barry for John
B. Hess
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) The sales of shares set forth herein are made in connection with a selling plan by the charitable lead annuity trust referred to below dated March 20, 2008 that is intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c).
- (2) Held by a previously reported charitable lead annuity trust established under the will of Leon Hess. The reporting person is one of five trustees of the trust.

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