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FORM 4

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HESS JOHN B**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

HESS CORP [HES]

(Check all applicable)

Chairman of the Board and CEO

HESS CORPORATION, 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

(First)

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

04/08/2008

_X__ 10% Owner _X_ Director X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	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	04/08/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 97.45	10,983,129	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008		S	200	D	\$ 97.08	10,982,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008		S	200	D	\$ 97.02	10,982,729	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	300	D	\$ 96.85	10,982,429	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	800	D	\$ 96.83	10,981,629	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	300	D	\$ 96.8	10,981,329	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	100	D	\$ 97.4	10,981,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	400	D	\$ 97.21	10,980,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	100	D	\$ 97.16	10,980,729	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	200	D	\$ 96.92	10,980,529	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	700	D	\$ 96.91	10,979,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 96.77	10,978,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	600	D	\$ 97.09	10,978,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	600	D	\$ 96.88	10,977,629	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
	04/08/2008	S	123	D	\$ 97.11	10,977,506	I	

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value								Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 96.71	10,976,506	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	300	D	\$ 97.09	10,976,206	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	400	D	\$ 97.01	10,975,806	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	77	D	\$ 97.06	10,975,729	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	200	D	\$ 97.07	10,975,529	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	700	D	\$ 96.86	10,974,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	300	D	\$ 97.05	10,974,529	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	100	D	\$ 96.845	10,974,429	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	100	D	\$ 96.94	10,974,329	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	1,400	D	\$ 96.89	10,972,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
	04/08/2008	S	300	D	\$ 96.91	10,972,629	I	

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value								Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	200	D	\$ 96.83	10,972,429	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	100	D	\$ 96.76	10,972,329	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	1,400	D	\$ 96.73	10,970,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/08/2008	S	100	D	\$ 96.61	10,970,829 (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 Derivati Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	′ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HESS JOHN B

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

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Chairman of the Board and CEO

Signatures

George C. Barry for John

**Signature of Reporting Person

04/09/2008

X

B. Hess

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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