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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HESS JOHN B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HESS CORP [HES]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
HESS CORPO		•	(Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2008	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board and CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NEW YORK,	NY 10036	5	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)	nor Dispos	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008		M(1)	17,500	` ′		1,296,569	D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008		S(2)	1,200	D	\$ 102.12	1,295,369	D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008		S	300	D	\$ 102.1	1,295,069	D	

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	600	D	\$ 1,294,469 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	400	D	\$ 1,294,069 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	700	D	\$ 1,293,369 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 1,293,269 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 1,293,169 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	300	D	\$ 1,292,869 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 1,292,669 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	800	D	\$ 102.2 1,291,869 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 1,291,669 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 102.3 1,291,569 D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 1,291,369 D
	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 102.5 1,291,269 D

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value							
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 100.52	1,291,169	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	300	D	\$ 101.57	1,290,869	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 101.58	1,290,669	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	300	D	\$ 101.5	1,290,369	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	400	D	\$ 101.53	1,289,969	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 101.51	1,289,769	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 101.54	1,289,569	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 101.56	1,289,469	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 101.59	1,289,369	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 102.53	1,289,169	D
	04/15/2008	S	200	D		1,288,969	D

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value					\$ 103.52		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 103.51	1,288,869	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 103.5	1,288,769	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	100	D	\$ 103.55	1,288,669	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/15/2008	S	200	D	\$ 103.59	1,288,469 (3)	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)

2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4. 5. Number of 6		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of		
Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative I		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities		
or Exercise		any	Code	Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)					
Derivative				or Disposed of					
Security			(D)						
				(Instr. 3, 4,					
				and 5)					
						Date Evergischle	Expiration	Title	Amount or Number
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Date		of Shares
\$ 19.43	04/15/2008		M		17,500	11/07/2002	11/07/2011	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	17,500
	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year)	Conversion or Exercise any Code Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Security Code V	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivor Exercise any Code Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired Security (D) (Instr. 8) Code V (A)	Conversion or Exercise of Exercise Price of Derivative Security Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D)	Conversion or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) Price of Perivative Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Date Exercisable Code V (A) (D)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Perivative Security (Month/Day/Year) Observed the security of the security of the security of the security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date Code V (A) (D)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Operivative Security Security Execution Date, if any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Solve Securities (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date (Instr. 3 and Month/Day/Year) Title Common Stock, \$1.00 par

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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

X Chairman of the Board and CEO

NEW YORK, NY 10036

Signatures

George C. Barry for John

04/16/2008

X

B. Hess

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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.
- (2) The sales of shares set forth herein are made in connection with a selling plan dated March 20, 2008 that is intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c).
 - This amount includes 305,000 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 the 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.

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