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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting F HESS JOHN B	Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HESS CORP [HES]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) HESS CORPORATION, 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable) _X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board and CEO			
		(Month/Day/Year) 04/16/2008				
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NEW YORK NY 10036		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi DID DISPO (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	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	04/16/2008		S(1)	100	D		1,282,369	D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008		S	200	D	\$ 103.7	1,282,169	D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008		S	100	D	\$ 104.7	1,282,069	D	

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	400	D	\$ 103.77 1,281,669 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	100	D	\$ 103.725 1,281,569 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	200	D	\$ 102.75 1,281,369 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	200	D	\$ 101.73 1,281,169 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	300	D	\$ 101.719 1,280,869 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	300	D	\$ 101.7 1,280,569 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	400	D	\$ 101.78 1,280,169 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	100	D	\$ 101.76 1,280,069 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	100	D	\$ 101.79 1,279,969 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	200	D	\$ 102.73 1,279,769 D	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	200	D	\$ 102.78 1,279,569 D	
	04/16/2008	S	100	D	1,279,469 D	

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value					\$ 102.758		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	200	D	\$ 103.709	1,279,269	D
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	04/16/2008	S	200	D	\$ 103.756	1,279,069 (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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:	ate	Under	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HESS JOHN B						
HESS CORPORATION	v	X	Chairman of the Board and CEO			
1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS	Λ	Λ	Chairman of the Board and CEO			
NEW YORK, NY 10036						

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Signatures

George C. Barry for John B. Hess

04/17/2008

**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 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
- (2) 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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