



Michael Turner Appointed Senior Vice President of Global Production

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NEW YORK, Jun 01, 2009 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Hess Corporation (NYSE:HES) announced today that Michael R. Turner has been named Senior Vice President, Global Production, with responsibility for Europe and Asia.

Turner, 49, joins Hess from Shell. In his 28 year career with Shell, Turner held leadership positions in a range of U.S. and international production operations, including most recently its U.K. North Sea assets. Throughout his career, he delivered significant improvements in safety, reliability, well and reservoir management, and technical integrity. He is also a recognized expert in applying lean manufacturing techniques to deliver improved performance to oilfield development and operations.

"We are delighted Mike has joined us," said Greg Hill, President, Worldwide Exploration and Production. "His experience, coupled with his commitment and track record in delivering performance excellence, will enable further improvements across the production value chain."

Turner will succeed George Sandison, who becomes Senior Vice President - Global E&P Services, with responsibility for Global Drilling, Supply Chain, and Environment, Health & Safety and Social Responsibility.

Hess Corporation, with headquarters in New York, is a global integrated energy company engaged in the exploration, production, purchase, transportation and sale of crude oil and natural gas, as well as the production and sale of refined petroleum products. More information on Hess Corporation is available at www.hess.com.

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