FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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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)  X Director X 10% Owner							
I						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) $04/14/2008$									X Officer (give title Delow)  Chairman of the Board and CEO						
1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10036																X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)																					
4	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of																				
Dat				Date (Month/Day/Y	ear) if	Execution Date,		Ė	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securiti Benefic Owned	es ally following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value				04/14/2008					S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$102	2.76	10,8	64,129		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value				04/14/2008		3			S		100	D	\$101	1.72	10,8	64,029		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value				04/14/2008				S		100	D	\$100	).96	10,86	3,929 <sup>(2)</sup> I		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust			
		Та	ble	II - Derivat (e.g., pu							osed of, o				Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Numbe of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expira (Mont	ation I		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Of D Se (I	of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	O F D 0 (I 4)	0. dwnership orm: direct (D) r Indirect ) (Instr.	Beneficial ) Ownership ct (Instr. 4)				
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er							

## Explanation of Responses:

- 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.

## Remarks:

George C. Barry for John B. Hess 04/15/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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