FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SANDISON GEORGE					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERADA HESS CORP [AHC]										ck all applic			son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/02/2004										below)		below) ce President		
(Street)	N (S		10036 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date								Code (Instr. 5)				uired	(A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	or	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 06/0					/2004			A		8,000	0	A	\$0	13,000		D ⁽¹⁾			
		T	able II - [uired, D s, option						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, Tran		ction Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Ily Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		piration ate	Title	or Ni of	umber					
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$72.43	06/02/2004			A		8,000		06/02/2005	5 06	5/02/2014	Commo Stock \$1.00 p value	ar 8	,000	\$0	8,000		D	
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$72.43	06/02/2004			A		8,000		06/02/2006	6 06	5/02/2014	Commo Stock \$1.00 p value	و ا	,000	\$0	8,000		D	
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$72.43	06/02/2004			A		8,000		06/02/2007	7 06	5/02/2014	Commo Stock \$1.00 p value	_{ar} 8	,000	\$0	8,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are held in escrow pursuant to the Corporation's Secon 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.

George C.Barry for George

06/04/2004

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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