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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCELFO JOHN J | | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HESS CORP [HES] | | | | | | | | | of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer icable) or 10% Owner r (give title Other (specify | | | vner | |
|--|---|--|--|---------|--|---|---|--------|------------------------------------|-------|--|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) HESS CORPORATION 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/22/2008 | | | | | | | | | , | below) below) Senior Vice President | | | | |
| (Street) NEW YORK NY 10036 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Form f | ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - No | n-Deriv | ative | e Sec | curiti | ies Ac | quired | , Dis | sposed o | of, or Bo | enefic | ially | Owned | <u> </u> | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day) | | | | | | ar) E | A. Deemed kecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year) | | Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | | 4 and 5) Securiti Benefic Owned | | es ally Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | | e | Reporte Transac (Instr. 3 | tion(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 09/22/2 | | | | | | | 2008 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 2,840 | A | \$4 | 9.55 | 90,415 | | | D | | |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 09/22/2 | | | | | | | | | S | | 2,840 D \$ | | \$10 |)1.67 | 87,575 ⁽²⁾ | | | D | | |
| | | Т | able II - | | | | | | | | osed of converti | | | | Owned | | | · | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da | n Date, | 4. Transactior Code (Instr 8) | | n of | | 6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D | n Dat | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4) | | E | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | y C | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | | Date Exercisal | | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numb of Share | er | | | | | | |
| Option to purchase Common Stock | \$49.55 | 09/22/2008 | | | M | | | 2,840 | 02/01/20 | 08 | 02/01/2016 | Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 2,84 | 10 | \$0.00 | 10,000 | | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Common Stock acquired upon exercise of options granted under the Corporation's Second Amended and Restated 1995 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- 2. This amount includes 68,000 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 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.

Remarks:

George C. Barry for John J.

09/23/2008

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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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