FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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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* VON METZSCH ERNST H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HESS CORP [HES]									all applicable) Director		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) HESS CORPORATION 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/16/2012									Offic below	er (give title w)		Other (specify below)	
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y 1	10036 (Zip)		4. If	Ameno	dment,	Date o	of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. Indiv Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	le I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Seci	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	cially	Owne	ed			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		(Year) Execution		Deemed ecution Date, any onth/Day/Year)		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	1	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 05/16					2012	012			P		10,000	A	\$45	\$45.8834		10,000			See Note ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 05				05/16/2	2012				P		10,000	A	\$45	.7926	10,000		I		See Note ⁽²⁾
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Co			4. Transa Code (8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Numbe		Deri Sec (Inst	erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: ct (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
		Code	v	_(A)	(D)	Date	sahle	Expiration	Title	Of Shares									

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Held by a newly established trust. The reporting person's spouse is the trustee of the trust.
- 2. Held by a newly established trust. The reporting person is the trustee of the trust.

Remarks:

George C. Barry for Ernst H. von Metzsch

05/17/2012

** 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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