FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Washington, D.C. 20549

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> Charitable Lead

Annuity Trust(2)

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value

02/26/2007

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HESS JOHN B | | | | | suer Name and Tick SS CORP [H | | ading | Symbol | (Che | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner | | | | |
| (Last) HESS CORPOR 1185 AVENUE (| (First) AATION OF THE AMERIC | (Middle) | | | ate of Earliest Trans 16/2007 | action (| Month | /Day/Year) | | 2 | Chairman of the | belo | * | |
| (Street) NEW YORK | NY | 10036 | | 4. If # | Amendment, Date o | of Origin | al File | d (Month/Day | /Year) | Line | dividual or Joint/Groi) K Form filed by O Form filed by M Person | ne Reporting Pe | erson | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | na Davina | 4: | Convertion And | | L Dia | | a Da | | O | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | l (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 | |
| | | | | | | | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 200 | D | \$56.32 | 12,280,879 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 100 | D | \$56.22 | 12,280,779 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 100 | D | \$56.14 | 12,280,679 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 300 | D | \$55.95 | 12,280,379 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 100 | D | \$55.74 | 12,280,279 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 400 | D | \$55.73 | 12,279,879 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 02/26/20 | | 007 | | S | | 1,100 | D | \$55.69 | 12,278,779 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 500 | D | \$55.61 | 12,278,279 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock, | \$1.00 par value | | 02/26/2 | 007 | | S | | 700 | D | \$55.71 | 12,277,579 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity | |

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| Table I - N | on-Derivative | Securities Acc | quired | l, Dis | sposed of, | or Be | neficially | y Owned | | |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|--------|---|---------------|------------|---|---|---|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (IIIəu. 4) |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 400 | D | \$55.67 | 12,277,079 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 200 | D | \$55.76 | 12,276,879 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 300 | D | \$55.75 | 12,276,579 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 200 | D | \$55.86 | 12,276,379 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 300 | D | \$55.72 | 12,276,079 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 500 | D | \$55.7 | 12,275,579 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 300 | D | \$55.68 | 12,275,279 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 700 | D | \$55.6 | 12,274,579 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 1,300 | D | \$55.66 | 12,273,279 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 700 | D | \$55.58 | 12,272,579 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 400 | D | \$55.57 | 12,272,179 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 700 | D | \$55.64 | 12,271,479 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | s | | 800 | D | \$55.65 | 12,270,679 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 100 | D | \$55.55 | 12,270,579 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | 02/26/2007 | | S | | 100 | D | \$55.56 | 12,270,479 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |

| 1. Title of S | Security (Inst | | e I - Non-Der | | 2A. Deemed | d | 3. | <u> </u> | 4. Securitie | s Acquir | ed (A) or | 5. Amo | ount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
|------------------------------------|---|--|---|---------------------------------|------------|--|---|----------|-----------------------|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--|---|
| | | | Date (Month/ | Day/Year) | if any | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | Disposed Of (D) (Inst | | tr. 3, 4 and | Benefi Owned | icially d Following | Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | ted action(s) 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | | | 02/20 | 02/26/2007 | | | S | | 200 | D | \$55.62 | 52 12, | 270,279 | I | Charitable Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | | | 02/20 | 02/26/2007 | | | s | | 300 | D | \$55.6 | 53 12, | 269,979 | I | Charitabl Lead Annuity Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| | | Та | ble II - Deriva (e.g., ¡ | | curities A | | | | | | | y Owned | k | | |
| Security or Exer Price of Derivati | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | onversion Date Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month Exercise Care Execution Execu | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | ition Date, Transac Code (Ii | | nber ative ities red sed 3, 4 | 6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | te | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) 8. Price of Derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4) | | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | | | | | Amount or Number | | | | |

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 August 1, 2006, as amended February 5, 2007, that is intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c).

(A) (D)

Expiration Date

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.

Code V

Remarks:

George C. Barry for John B. Hess <u>02/27/2007</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

of Shares

Title

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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