FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GARTMAN JOHN A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERADA HESS CORP [AHC]								(Ch	eck all ap Dire	plicable)		ssuer Owner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/17/2004									X belo	w) Ü	below) e President		
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10036				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	e) <mark>X</mark> Fori Fori	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 06/17/					/2004		S		3,000	D \$		\$73.7	5	15,000	D ⁽¹⁾			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	. Price of Perivative Pecurity Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. This amount includes 13,000 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 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 John A. Gartman

06/18/2004

** 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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