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* $\underline{HESS\ JOHN\ B}$						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HESS CORP [HES]										check a		o of Reportin olicable) ctor	g Pers	10% C)wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) HESS CORPORATION 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2012										Λ	belov	,	Other (specify below) Board and CEO			
(Street) NEW YO (City)	NEW YORK NY 10036					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne)	Form	al or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson				
		Tabl	e I - Noi	า-Deriv	ative	Se	curit	ies A	cqı	uired,	Dis	osed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally O	wne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		xecution Date, any		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						4 and Se		Securities Beneficially Dwned Following		vnership i: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	Drice .		ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 02/14/2					1/2012	2012			J ⁽¹⁾		250,000		D	\$0.00		313,797(2)			D		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 02/14/2					1/2012	/2012			J ⁽¹⁾		250,000		A	\$0.00		250,000 ⁽³⁾			I	See Note 3	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any		4. Transa Code (8)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		E (r	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	O Fe D or (I)	D. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Contributed to a newly established trust referred to in Note 3. This transaction represents a change only in the nature of beneficial ownership.
- 2. This amount includes 194,710 shares held in escrow pursuant to the Corporation's 2008 Long Term Incentive Plan and 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.
- 3. Held by a newly established trust established for the benefit of the reporting person. The reporting person is the trustee of the trust.

Remarks:

George C. Barry for John B. **Hess**

02/15/2012

** 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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