FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HESS JOHN B					suer Name and Tick $\overline{ ext{SS CORP}}$ $[H]$		ading	Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify)						
(Last) HESS CORPOR	(First) RATION OF THE AMERIO	(Middle)			te of Earliest Trans 9/2008	action (I	Month	/Day/Year)			X	below) Chairman of the	belo	w)	
(Street) NEW YORK (City)	NY (State)	10036 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Ta	able I - No	on-Deriva	tive	Securities Acc	quired	l, Dis	sposed of	or Be	nefic	cially	/ Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transacti Date (Month/Day	ion	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		I (A) o	r	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	Э	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11150.4)		
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S ⁽¹⁾		100	D	\$98	3.61	10,938,429	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		200	D	\$98	3.69	10,938,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		100	D	\$98	3.75	10,938,129	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		200	D	\$	99	10,937,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		100	D	\$98	8.08	10,937,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		100	D	\$99	9.06	10,937,729	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		100	D	\$98	8.86	10,937,629	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		100	D	\$98	8.96	10,937,529	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		200	D	\$98	3.66	10,937,329	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock,	\$1.00 par value		04/09/20	008		S		100	D	\$98	3.47	10,937,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	

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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s) and 4)		
Common	Stock, \$1.0	0 par value		04/09/	/2008				S		100	D	\$98.	63	10,9	37,129	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common	Stock, \$1.0	0 par value		04/09/	/2008				S		300	D	\$98.	73	10,9	36,829	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			04/09/2008					S		100	D \$98.88		88	10,936,729		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			04/09/2008					S		100	D	\$98.	93	10,9	36,629	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common	Stock, \$1.0	0 par value		04/09/	/2008				S		400	D	\$98.	12	10,9	36,229	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common	Stock, \$1.0	0 par value		04/09/	/2008				S		200	D	\$98.	84	10,9	36,029	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common	Stock, \$1.0	0 par value		04/09/	/2008				S		100	D	\$97.	84	10,9	35,929	I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			04/09/2008					S		200	D	\$98.	32	2 10,935,729		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			04/09/2008				S		300	D \$98.21		21	1 10,935,429		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			04/09/2008					S		200	D \$98.		23	23 10,935,229(2)		I	Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)			4. Transac Code (li	5. Number of			Exercion Da	isable and	7. Title a Amount Securiti Underly Derivati	and of es ing	8. I De Se	Price of derivative security instr. 5) 8. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)		Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			
						v	/ (A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares					

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 March 20, 2008 that is intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c).
- 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.

Remarks:

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

04/10/2008

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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.

 $^{^{\}star}$ 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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