FORM 3

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

	or Sect	ion 30(n) of	the Investment Company Act of 19	40				
lame and Address of Reporting Person*  olo Mykel J.  2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)  11/04/2009		ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HESS CORP [ HES ]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS  (Street) NEW YORK NY 10036	11/04/2003		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Senior Vice President			If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)      Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One		
(City) (State) (Zip)	—					Reporting Person		
	Table I - Nor	า-Derivat	ive Securities Beneficially	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership str. 5)		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			55,085	<b>D</b> <sup>(1)</sup>				
	(e.g., puts, cal	lls, warra	e Securities Beneficially ( ants, options, convertible	securitie	<del></del>	1		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/)	ate	3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	ı Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/01/2008	02/01/2016	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	7,500	49.55	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/01/2009	02/01/2016	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	7,500	49.55	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/07/2008	02/07/2017	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	12,000	53.2	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/07/2009	02/07/2017	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	12,000	53.2	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/07/2010	02/07/2017	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	12,000	53.2	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/06/2009	02/06/2018	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	8,600	81.85	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/06/2010	02/06/2018	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	8,600	81.85	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/06/2011	02/06/2018	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	8,600	81.85	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/04/2010	02/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	9,725	56.43	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/04/2011	02/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	9,725	56.43	D		
Option to purchase Common Stock	02/04/2012	02/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	9,725	56.43	D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This amount includes 38,925 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.

#### Remarks:

George C. Barry for Mykel J. Ziolo

11/12/2009

\*\* 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 5 (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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HESS CORPORATION

ATHORIZATION FORM

Securities and Exchange Commission

#### Gentlemen:

Authorization is hereby given for each of Timothy B. Goodell and George C. Barry to sign for and on behalf of the undersigned applications for EDGAR filing codes, statements on Form 3 Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities, Form 4 Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities and Form 5 Annual Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities to be filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This authorization shall continue in effect until revoked in writing.

11/10/2009 Date \s\Mykel J. Ziolo Signature