

HESS CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HESS JOHN B**  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
**C/O HESS CORPORATION, 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS**  
  
(Street)  
  
**NEW YORK, NY 10036**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HESS CORP [HES]**  
  
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/09/2006**  
  
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman of the Board**  
  
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>	100 D \$ 54.11	12,779,108	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006		S	200 D \$ 54.04	12,778,900	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006		S	100 D \$ 53.98	12,778,808	I	Note 2

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Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.96	12,778,708	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 54.1	12,778,608	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.86	12,778,508	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.92	12,778,408	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.97	12,778,308	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.8	12,778,208	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.71	12,778,108	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.72	12,778,008	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.6	12,777,908	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.47	12,777,808	I	Note 2
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	08/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 53.63	12,777,708	I	Note 2
	08/09/2006	S	100	D		12,777,608	I	Note 2



## Signatures

George C. Barry for John  
B. Hess

08/10/2006

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (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 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 on of five trustees of the trust.

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