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(Print or Typ	e Responses)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person HESS JOHN B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
				HESS CORP [HES]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) HESS CORPORATION, 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2012					_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title below) below) Chairman of the Board and CEO					
NEW YO	(Street) RK, NY 1003	6		ndment, Dan h/Day/Year)	~		Ap _X	Individual or Jo plicable Line) _ Form filed by C _ Form filed by M rson	one Reporting Po	erson			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deriv	vative Secu	rities A		ed, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year)			on Date, if	n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (I Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership of Indirect Form: Benefici Direct (D) Ownersh or Indirect (Instr. 4) (S) (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	05/21/2012			Code V <u>J(1)</u>	Amount 161,967	, ,	Price		I (2)	See Note			
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	05/21/2012			J <u>(1)</u>	161,967	A	\$0	495,402	D				
Common Stock,	05/22/2012			J(3)	200,000	D	\$ 0	295,402 (4)	D				

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\$1.00 par value

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Common See Note Stock, 5 \$1.00 par

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

Shares

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Denivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8 I S (
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HESS JOHN B HESS CORPORATION 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

X Chairman of the Board and CEO

Code V (A) (D)

Signatures

NEW YORK, NY 10036

value

George C. Barry for John B.
Hess
05/22/2012

**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) Distributed from a previously reported trust referred to in Note 2. This transaction represents a change only in the nature of beneficial ownership.

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- (2) Held by a previously reported trust established for the benefit of the reporting person. The reporting person is the trustee of the trust
- (3) Contributed to a newly established trust referred to in Note 5. This transaction represents a change only in the nature of beneficial ownership.
- This amount includes 181,198 shares held in escrow pursuant to the Corporation's 2008 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
- (5) Held by a newly established trust established for the benefit of the reporting person. The reporting person is the trustee of the trust.

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