

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)  
**10/26/2006**

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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount (D) Price		

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Disposed of (D)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
			Code	V	(A)	(D)			
7.00% Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)	10/26/2006	J		450,000		11/25/2003	12/01/2006	Common Stock
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HESS JOHN B C/O HESS CORPORATION 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036	X	X	Chairman of the Board	

## Signatures

George C. Barry                      10/30/2006

                                              Date  
\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

## 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).
- If the reporting person exercises his option to convert the preferred stock into common stock prior to the maturity date, he will receive 2.4915 shares of common stock for each share of preferred stock converted. If the preferred stock is converted at maturity, it will automatically convert into between 2.4915 and 3.0897 shares of common stock per share of preferred stock, depending on the applicable market value of the common stock.
- (1)      2.4915 shares of common stock for each share of preferred stock converted. If the preferred stock is converted at maturity, it will automatically convert into between 2.4915 and 3.0897 shares of common stock per share of preferred stock, depending on the applicable market value of the common stock.
  - (2)      450,000 shares of convertible preferred stock convert into a minimum of 1,121,175 shares of common stock and a maximum of 1,390,365 shares of common stock.
  - (3)      Distributed from previously reported trust.
  - (4)      Acquired by trust referred to in Note 5.
  - (5)      Held by a trust newly established for the benefit of the reporting person's mother. The reporting person is a co-trustee.

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