

AMERADA HESS CORP  
Form 4  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HESS JOHN B

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
(Street)  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMERADA HESS CORP [AHC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/22/2005

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	02/22/2005		J <sup>(1)</sup>		949,594	D	\$ 0 0	I	See Note <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	02/22/2005		J <sup>(1)</sup>		352,346	A	\$ 0 1,555,232	I	See Note <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	02/22/2005		J <sup>(1)</sup>		597,248	A	\$ 0 678,665	I	See Note <u>(4)</u>

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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 (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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)	
							Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
							Code	V	(A)	(D)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HESS JOHN B	X		Chairman of the Board	

## Signatures

George C. Barry for John B. Hess 02/23/2005

      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.

(2) Held by a previously reported trust established for the benefit of the reporting person's mother and her children. The reporting person is one of two trustees of the trust.

(3) Held by a previously reported trust established for the benefit of the reporting person's mother. The reporting person is one of five trustees of the trust.

(4) Held by a previously reported trust established for the benefit of the reporting person and his siblings. The reporting person is a co-trustee of the trust.

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