

AMERADA HESS CORP
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FORM 4

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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 *
COLLINS J BARCLAY

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS
(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/19/2005

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)
Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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	05/19/2005		M ⁽¹⁾		3,000	A	\$ 58.13
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	05/19/2005		S		2,500	D	\$ 91.12
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	05/19/2005		S		500	D	\$ 91.17
							118,501
							116,001
							115,501 ⁽²⁾

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

Table with columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities, 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities. Row 1: Option to purchase Common Stock, \$ 58.13, 05/19/2005, M, 3,000, 12/01/2000, 12/01/2009, Common Stock, \$1.00 par value, 3,000.

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Row 1: COLLINS J BARCLAY, 1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, NEW YORK, NY 10036, Executive Vice President.

Signatures

George C. Barry for J. Barclay Collins, 05/20/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person, Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
**(1) Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
Common Stock acquired upon exercise of options granted under the Issuer's Second Amended and Restated 1995 Long-Term Incentive Plan. This amount includes 87,000 shares held in escrow pursuant to the Corporation's Second Amended and Restated 1995 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
(2) 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.

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