PAVER HOWARD

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading PAVER HOWARD Issuer Symbol AMERADA HESS CORP [AHC] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify 1185 AVENUE OF THE 02/02/2005 below) below) **AMERICAS** Senior Vice President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10036 Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Secu	rities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	(A or Amount (D	ŗ	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	02/02/2005		A	5,000 A	\$ 0	28,000	D (1)	

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. Transactic 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 89.87	02/02/2005		A	5,000	02/02/2006	02/02/2015	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	5,000
Options to purchase Common Stock	\$ 89.87	02/02/2005		A	5,000	02/02/2007	02/02/2015	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	5,000
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 89.87	02/02/2005		A	5,000	02/02/2008	02/02/2015	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	5 000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PAVER HOWARD

1185 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS Senior Vice President

NEW YORK, NY 10036

Signatures

George C. Barry for Howard
Paver
02/04/2005

**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) These shares are held in escrow pursuant to the Corporation's Second Amended and Restated 1995 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

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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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