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- 1. $\Delta G = \Delta H T\Delta S = -76 \text{ kJ} (298.15 \text{ K})(-0.117 \text{ kJ/K}) = -41 \text{ kJ}$ Yes, the reaction is spontaneous.
- 2. $\Delta G = \Delta H T\Delta S = 11 \text{ kJ} (298.15 \text{ K})(0.049 \text{ kJ/K}) = -3.6 \text{ kJ}$ Yes, the reaction is spontaneous.
- 3. $\Delta G = \Delta H T\Delta S = 11 \text{ kJ} (298.15 \text{ K})(0.041 \text{ kJ/K}) = -1.2 \text{ kJ}$ The reaction is spontaneous.

GENERAL

<u>Homework</u> —

Additional Practice Have students determine the change in Gibbs energy for the following chemical reactions using the changes in entropy and enthalpy values. Remind students that they must multiply a molar entropy and a molar enthalpy by the number of moles of that substance in the reaction. Assume that the coefficients represent the number of moles involved in the reaction.

- **1.** $2\text{HgO}(s) \rightarrow 2\text{Hg}(l) + O_2(g)$ at 25°C **Ans.** $\Delta G = 111.2 \text{ kJ}$
- **2.** $CO(g) + H_2O(g) \longrightarrow HCOOH(l)$ at 500°C Ans. $\Delta G = -1013.2 \text{ kJ}$
- 3. $4NH_3(g) + 5O_2(g) \rightarrow 4NO(g) + 6H_2O(g)$ at 25°C Ans. $\Delta G = -1008.7 \text{ kJ}$ Logical