

WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC
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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 *
Timmermans Ted T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC
[WMB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/09/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President and Controller

ONE WILLIAMS CENTER

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TULSA, OK 74172

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2007 | | M | 867 A \$ 10 | 867 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2007 | | M | 1,818 A \$ 10 | 2,685 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2007 | | M | 1,500 A \$ 2.58 | 4,185 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2007 | | S | 867 D \$ 27.46 | 3,318 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2007 | | S | 1,818 D \$ 27.44 | 1,500 | D | |

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|--------------|------------|---|-------|---|----------|--------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 03/09/2007 | S | 1,500 | D | \$ 27.46 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 12,852 | I | By employee stock plan <u>(1)</u> |

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 (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) | Amount or Number of Shares | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 10 | 03/09/2007 | | M | 867 | 01/18/2004 01/18/2011 | Common Stock | 867 | |
| Employee Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 10 | 03/09/2007 | | M | 1,818 | 05/17/2004 05/17/2011 | Common Stock | 1,818 | |
| Employee Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 2.58 | 03/09/2007 | | M | 1,500 | 01/22/2004 11/27/2012 | Common Stock | 1,500 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| | Vice President and Controller |

Timmermans Ted T
ONE WILLIAMS CENTER
TULSA, OK 74172

Signatures

Cher S. Lawrence, Attorney-in-Fact for Ted T.
Timmermans

03/12/2007

__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) Represents total shares of the Company's common stock held in The Investment Plus Plan.

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