FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JOHNSON MICHAEL P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC [ WMB ]									all applic Directo	•		erson(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE WILLIAMS CENTER SUITE 4900						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/05/2007									below)	below) Senior Vice President			pecify
(Street) TULSA (City)	TULSA OK 74172				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	of, or Be	nefici	ally	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ear) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			or 5. Amou and Securitie Beneficie Owned F		s ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	r Price	•	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		[	Instr. 4)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 02/05/						2007		М		11,66	66 A \$3		7.36	63,116			D		
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 02/05/					5/200	2007			F		3,954	4 D	\$27.36		59,162			D	
Common Stock														12,826				By Γrust <sup>(2)</sup>	
		-	Гable II -									or Ben			wned			•	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/E	n Date	of Securities		ties ng e Securit	D	B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Deferred Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$27.36	02/05/2007			M	М		11,666	02/05/20	007	02/05/2007	Common Stock	11,66	66	(3)	91,71	5	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Payout of a Restricted Stock Award (formerly referred to as Deferred Stock) in transaction exempt under Rules 16b-3(d) and 16b-6(b) of 11,666 shares of common stock awarded under The Williams Companies, Inc. 2002 Incentive Plan of which 3,954 shares were withheld for taxes.
- 2. Represents total shares of the Company's common stock held in The Investment Plus Plan.
- 3. 1-for-1

## Remarks:

<u>Cher S. Lawrence, Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact for Michael P. Johnson.</u>

02/07/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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