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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u>Timmermans Ted T</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC</u> [WMB]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE WILLIAMS CENTER						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2008									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President and Controller						
(Street) TULSA	TULSA OK 74172				4. lf /	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													- 					
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired, D	isp	osed o	of, or Be	nefici	ally	Ownec	I					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/E					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)						Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	,	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pric	e	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) ty		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Iy Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	p of Indirect Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			
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1. Vesting subject to applicable grant agreement and compensation committee certification that the Company has met the three year performance measure. The specific performance measure will be an improvement in the Company's Economic Value Added over the three year period.

Remarks:

Cher S. Lawrence, Attorney-in-02/27/2008

Fact for Ted T. Timmermans.

** 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).

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