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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1	ress of Reporting Per /ILLIAM G	son*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC</u> [WMB]		tionship of Reporting Pers (all applicable) Director	son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 24 EAGLE ISLAND PLACE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/26/2006]	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
(Street) SHELDON		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than Person	rting Person	
(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. Transa Code (8)	ction	4. Securities Disposed Of (5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		

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. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Deferred Stock	\$22.25	06/26/2006		J ⁽¹⁾		91		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	91	\$22.25	22,683	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares acquired from dividend reinvestment on deferred shares for a dividend paid on June 26, 2006.

2. Deferred shares that will be paid out in common stock at various dates in the future.

Remarks:

Brian K. Shore, Attorney-in-Fact for William G. Lowrie

06/28/2006

** 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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