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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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	Idress of Reporting F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC [WMB]		ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable)	· /
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2005	X	Officer (give title below) Sr. Vice President	10% Owner Other (specify below) - Midstream
(Street) TULSA (City)	OK (State)	74172 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filit Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person	porting Person

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)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	09/14/2005		M		1,178	A	\$12.2216	89,137	D		
Common Stock	09/14/2005		M		137	A	\$12.2216	89,274	D		
Common Stock	09/14/2005		S		137	D	\$23.04	89,137	D		
Common Stock	09/14/2005		M		2,500	A	\$12.2216	91,637	D		
Common Stock	09/14/2005		S		2,500	D	\$23.04	89,137	D		
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Common Stock	09/14/2005		M		2,500	D	\$12.2216	86,637	D		
Common Stock	09/14/2005		S		2,500	A	\$23.04	89,137	D		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M			1,178	11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	1,178	\$12.2216	285,809	D	
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M			137	11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	137	\$12.2216	285,672	D	
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M			2,500	11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	2,500	\$12.2216	283,172	D	
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M			2,500	11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	2,500	\$12.2216	280,672	D	
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M			137	11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	137	\$12.2216	280,535	D	
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M		137		11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	137	\$12.2216	280,672	D	

	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)		Derivative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A)			7. Title an Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 an	of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Williams Stock Option	\$12.22	09/14/2005		M		2,500		11/24/1995	11/16/2005	Williams Cos. Inc.	2,500	\$12.2216	283,172	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Brian K. Shore, as Attorneyin-Fact for Alan S. Armstrong 09/16/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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