

WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MACINNIS FRANK 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. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2011

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

191 POST ROAD WEST

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

WESTPORT, CT 06880

(City) (State) (Zip)

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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) (A) or (D) Price | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
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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 | 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 Acquired (A) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
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| | Derivative Security | | | | or Disposed of (D) | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
|---|---------------------|------------|---|----|--------------------|-----|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | (A) | (D) | | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 15.62 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 1,833 | Â | 05/21/2012 | 05/21/2012 | Common Stock | 1,833 |
| Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 19.11 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 1,489 | Â | 05/20/2013 | 05/20/2013 | Common Stock | 1,489 |
| Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 30.63 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 929 | Â | 05/19/2014 | 05/19/2014 | Common Stock | 929 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) ⁽³⁾ | \$ 2.11 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 27 | Â | 11/27/2002 | 11/27/2012 | Common Stock | 27 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) ⁽³⁾ | \$ 8.85 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 9 | Â | 05/20/2004 | 05/20/2014 | Common Stock | 9 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) ⁽³⁾ | \$ 14.24 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 9 | Â | 05/19/2005 | 05/19/2015 | Common Stock | 9 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) ⁽³⁾ | \$ 16.85 | 12/14/2011 | Â | A4 | 1,370 | Â | 05/18/2006 | 05/18/2016 | Common Stock | 1,370 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MACINNIS FRANK T 191 POST ROAD WEST WESTPORT, CT 06880 | Â X | Â | Â | Â |

Signatures

Cher S. Lawrence, Attorney-in-Fact for Frank T. MacInnis 02/14/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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Pursuant to anti-dilution provisions of this grant, the number of shares underlying the award was adjusted in conjunction with the Issuer's

(1) legal and structural separation of WPX Energy, Inc., in an exempt transaction pursuant to Rule 16a-9. The terms of adjustment were approved by the Issuer's Board of Directors.

(2) 1-for-1

Pursuant to anti-dilution provisions of this grant, the exercise price and the number of shares subject to it were adjusted in conjunction

(3) with the Issuer's legal and structural separation of WPX Energy, Inc., in an exempt transaction pursuant to Rule 16a-9. The terms of adjustment were approved by the Issuer's Board of Directors.

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