Bridges Allison G.
Form 4
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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 OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bridges Allison G.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

295 CHIPETA WAY

(Street)

SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84108

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC [WMB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/23/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock (1)	02/23/2013		M		9,214	A	$ 0	51,076	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2013		F		3,041	D	$ 33.57	48,035	D	
Common Stock (1)	02/23/2013		M		7,832	A	$ 0	55,867	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2013		F		2,534	D	$ 33.57	53,333	D	

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 Derivative Security	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) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Restricted Stock Units (2)	$ 0	02/23/2013		A		4,319		02/23/2013	02/23/2013	Common Stock	4,3
Restricted Stock Units (1)	$ 0	02/23/2013		M			9,214	02/23/2013	02/23/2013	Common Stock	9,2
Restricted Stock Units (1)	$ 0	02/23/2013		M			7,832	02/23/2013	02/23/2013	Common Stock	7,8
Restricted Stock Units	$ 0	02/25/2013		A		10,426		02/25/2016	02/25/2016	Common Stock	10,4
Restricted Stock Units (3)	$ 0	02/25/2013		A		15,239		02/25/2016	02/25/2016	Common Stock	15,2
Employee Options (Right to Buy)	$ 33.57	02/25/2013		A		10,354		02/25/2014	02/25/2023	Common Stock	10,3
Employee Options (Right to Buy)	$ 33.57	02/25/2013		A		10,354		02/25/2015	02/25/2023	Common Stock	10,3
Employee Options (Right to Buy)	$ 33.57	02/25/2013		A		10,354		02/25/2016	02/25/2023	Common Stock	10,3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bridges Allison G. 295 CHIPETA WAY SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84108			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Cher S. Lawrence, Attorney-in-Fact for Ms. Allison G. Bridges	02/26/2013
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Payout of Restricted Stock Units, in a transaction exempt under Rules 16-3(d) and 16b-6(b), of shares of common stock awarded under The Williams Companies, Inc. 2007 Incentive Plan of which a portion of the shares were withheld for taxes.

(2) Represents restricted stock units acquired pursuant to the 2010 performance-based RSU grant agreement resulting from the performance of defined relative and absolute Total Shareholder Return ("TSR") metrics, as certified by the compensation committee.

(3) Vesting is 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 based on total shareholder return with absolute and relative dependent measures.

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