#### **WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC**

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(First)

STONEY JANICE D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

WILLIAMS COMPANIES INC

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

[WMB] (Middle)

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

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

ONE WILLIAMS CENTER 12/27/2016

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

**TULSA, OK 74172** 

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pric 1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Underlying Securities** Conversion Transactionof Deriva or Exercise Derivative (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Code Securi any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr.
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/27/2016		J(2)	V	15		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	15	\$ (
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/27/2016		<u>J(2)</u>	V	28		(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	28	\$ (
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/27/2016		<u>J(2)</u>	V	117		<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	117	\$ (
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/27/2016		<u>J(2)</u>	V	29		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	29	\$ (
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/27/2016		J(2)	V	9		(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	9	\$ (

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STONEY JANICE D ONE WILLIAMS CENTER TULSA, OK 74172	X						

## **Signatures**

Cher S. Lawrence, Attorney-in-Fact for Janice D. Stoney 12/29/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Represents additional restricted stock units acquired from dividend reinvestment on restricted stock units.
- (3) Reporting Person elected that the restricted stock units will be paid out in common stock at retirement.

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- (4) Represents the initial award of restricted stock units plus all accrued and reinvested dividends since the date of the grant.
- (5) Restricted stock units that will be paid out in common stock on January 1st following retirement.

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