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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name The Williams Companies, Inc.			
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1627 I Street, N.W., #900 Washington, DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Deborah B. Lawrence	Telephone 202-833-8994	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 41476-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 31924000		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report
 10. Check if this is a Termination Report Termination Date _____ 11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ 340,010* <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

*Includes state lobbying costs of \$270,010

Signature: Deborah B. Lawrence
 Printed Name and Title: Deborah B. Lawrence Vice President, Government Affairs

Registrant Name The Williams Companies, Inc Client Name _____

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Depreciation life for gathering lines - HR 1991; HR 674; S 1166
- Tax Treatment of gains and losses from hedging transactions - HR 2488
- Tax Treatment of income from international pipelines - HR 2488
- Kansas ad valorem taxes - HR 1117; HR 1141

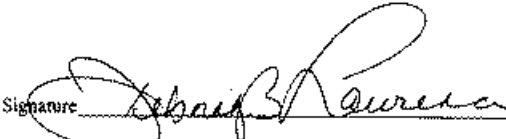
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	Net
Glenn Jackson	Director, Government Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gretchen Glaser	Manager, Government Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature  Date 5/13/99
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15. General issue area code FUE (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Pipeline safety - HR 1378

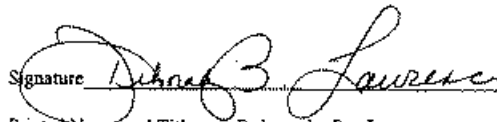
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Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Glenn Jackson	Director, Government Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code UFI (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Electricity deregulation - HR 2050; HR 1828; S 1047

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U.S. Senate

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Gretchen Glaser	Manager, Government Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
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