FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LAFOND CHRISTOPHER</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [ IT ]							(Che	elationship o ck all applica Director	able)	Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ov Other (s	vner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2011								below)	CFO & EV		below)	респу	
P.O. BOX 10212				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Inc	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) STAMFOR	RD CT	0	6904-2212						Line)	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				1				
(City)	(Sta	te) (2	Zip)											Person				
		Tab	le I - Non-	Deriva	ative	Sec	curities	S Ac	quired,	Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficially	Owned				
Date			action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		Code (Instr.		(A) or 3, 4 and 5	Beneficial Owned Fo	s Formally (D) of ollowing (I) (Ir		Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Dwnership						
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	on(s)			(Instr. 4)
	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)	ate, Ti	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		9	7. Title and of Security Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 and	es Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)
				c	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$38.05	02/22/2011			A		37,634		02/22/20	12 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/22/2018	Common Stock	37,634	\$0	37,63	4	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These SARs become exercisable in four substantially equal annual installments commencing on 2/22/2012.

/s/ Jane Lucas for Chris Lafond 02/23/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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