FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and SCHWA (Last) 56 TOP GA | 3. C | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [IT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2012 | | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer heck all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Gen Counsel | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|--------|------------|------------------------------|--|--|--------|--|----------------------|--|---|--------|--|--|--|---|--|---|--|
| P.O. BOX 10212 (Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-2212 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | - | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Deriv 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ | | | | | tion | 2A. D Execu | Deemed cution Date, | | 3. Transa Code (| ction | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an | | | 5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F | | es ally Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Direct Indirect Itr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a | tion(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common Stock | | | | 02/27/2 | 02/27/2012 | | | | M | | 10,000 | Α | \$1 | 8.1 | 53, | ,142 | | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | 02/27/2012 | | | | D | | 4,514 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$4 | \$40.1 | | ,628 | | D | | | |
| Common S | 02/27/2012 | | | | F | | 2,356 ⁽²⁾ | D | \$4 | \$40.1 | | ,272 | | D | | | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 27/2012 | | | | M | | 10,000 | A | \$1 | \$11.11 | | ,272 | | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/2 | | | | | 2012 | | | | D | | 2,771 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$4 | \$40.1 | | 53,501 | | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/27 | | | | | 2012 | 012 | | | F | | 3,105 ⁽²⁾ | D | \$40.1 | | 50,396 | | 1 | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/27/2 | | | | | 2012 | 12 | | S | | 13,421 | D | \$40.1035 ⁽⁵⁾ | | 36,975 | | 1 | D | | | |
| | | 7 | able I | | | | | | | | posed of, | | | | wned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | if any | | 4. Transa Code (8) | ction | 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 Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | ount | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4) | e s illy i | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exerc | cisable | Expiration Date | Title | or | ount nber ires | | | | | | |
| Stock Appreciation Rights | \$18.1 | 02/27/2012 | | | M | | | 10,000 | 02/15 | /2009 ⁽³ | 02/15/2015 | Commo | | | \$0 | 17,784 | | D | | |
| Stock Appreciation Rights | \$11.11 | 02/27/2012 | | | M | | | 10,000 | 02/11 | /2010 ⁽⁴ | 02/11/2016 | Common Stock 10, | | 000 | \$0 28,516 | | 6 | D | | |

- 1. Represents the simultaneous sale back to the issuer of this number of shares having an aggregate value, based on the market price on the date of exercise, substantially equal to the aggregate exercise price of the
- 2. Represents shares withheld from the settlement of the SARs for the payment of applicable income and payroll tax withholding due upon exercise.
- 3. These SARs are part of an award that became exercisable in four substantially equal, annual installments commencing on 2/15/2009.
- $4. \ These \ SARs \ are part \ of \ an \ award \ that \ became \ exercisable \ in four \ substantially \ equal, \ annual \ installments \ commencing \ on \ 2/11/2010.$
- 5. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$40.07 to \$40.1422. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

/s/ Jane Lucas for Lewis G. Schwartz

02/28/2012

** 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).
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