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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 * KUTNICK DALE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [IT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
56 TOP GALLANT RD, P.O. BOX 10212		P.O. BOX	02/15/2009	_X_ Officer (give title Other (spe below) below) SVP, Executive Programs			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/15/2009		M	8,008 (2)	A	\$0	196,915	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2009		F	2,875 (3)	D	\$ 11.51	194,040	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2009		M	5,824 (2)	A	\$0	199,864	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2009		F	1,832 (3)	D	\$ 11.51	198,032	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/15/2009		A	23,294		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	23,294
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/15/2009		M		8,008 (2)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	8,008
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/15/2009		M		5,824 (2)	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	5,824

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KUTNICK DALE 56 TOP GALLANT RD P.O. BOX 10212 STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212

SVP, Executive Programs

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Feeney for Dale Kutnick 02/18/2009

**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) These performance-based RSUs vest in four substantially equal annual installments, beginning on 2/15/2009.
- (2) Represents shares acquired upon release of restricted stock units.

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- (3) Represents shares withheld from the released restricted stock units for the payment of applicable income and payroll withholding taxes due on release.
- (4) These performance-based RSUs vest in four substantially equal annual installments, beginning on 2/15/2008.

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