

Sondergaard Peter
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FORM 4

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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 *
Sondergaard Peter

(Last) (First) (Middle)

56 TOP GALLANT RD, P.O. BOX 10212

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GARTNER INC [IT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/15/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | | M | 8,008 (2) A \$ 0 | 27,444 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | | F | 2,874 (3) D \$ 11.51 | 24,570 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | | M | 5,824 (2) A \$ 0 | 30,394 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | | F | 1,832 (3) D \$ 11.51 | 28,562 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | | M | 858 (2) A \$ 0 | 2,280 | I | by Spouse |

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|--------------|------------|---|----------------------|---|----------|-------|---|-----------|
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | F | 324 ⁽³⁾ | D | \$ 11.51 | 1,956 | I | by Spouse |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | M | 1,382 ⁽²⁾ | A | \$ 0 | 3,338 | I | by Spouse |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2009 | F | 521 ⁽³⁾ | D | \$ 11.51 | 2,817 | I | by Spouse |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|----------------------|--|------------------|---|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | 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>(5)</u> | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock | 8,008 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 02/15/2009 | | M | | 5,824 ⁽²⁾ | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 5,824 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 02/15/2009 | | M | | 858 ⁽²⁾ | | <u>(6)</u> | <u>(6)</u> | Common Stock | 858 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 02/15/2009 | | M | | 1,382 ⁽²⁾ | | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 1,382 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| | | | | |

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Signatures

/s/ Kevin Feeney for Peter
Sondergaard

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.
- (3) Represents shares withheld from the released restricted stock units for the payment of applicable income and payroll withholding taxes due on release.
- (4) The RSU vests in four annual installments beginning 02/15/2009
- (5) These performance-based RSUs vest in four substantially equal annual installments, beginning on 2/15/2008.
- (6) The RSU vests in four substantially equal annual installments beginning on 2/15/2008.

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