

GODFREY DAVID
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GODFREY DAVID

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GARTNER, INC., 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06902

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/11/2011

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)

SVP Worldwide Sales

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 | 02/11/2011 | | M | 2,834 (2) A \$ 0 | 2,834 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/11/2011 | | F | 1,007 (3) D \$ 38.22 | 1,827 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/11/2011 | | M | 5,626 (2) A \$ 0 | 7,453 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/11/2011 | | F | 1,854 (3) D \$ 38.22 | 5,599 | 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. 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 02/11/2011 | | M | 2,834 (2) | 02/11/2011 ⁽¹⁾ 02/11/2014 | Common Stock | 2,834 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 02/11/2011 | | M | 5,626 (2) | 02/11/2011 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/11/2013 | Common Stock | 5,626 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GODFREY DAVID GARTNER, INC. 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD STAMFORD, CT 06902 | | | SVP Worldwide Sales | |

Signatures

/s/ Jane Lucas for David Godfrey 02/14/2011

**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) This RSU Award was granted on February 11, 2010 and vests in four equal annual installments, commencing on 02/11/2011.
- (2) Represents shares acquired upon release of RSUs.

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- (3) Represents shares withheld from the released RSUs for the payment of applicable income and payroll withholding taxes due on release.
- (4) These RSUs vest in four substantially equal installments, beginning on 2/11/2010.

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