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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LAFOND CHRISTOPHER						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [ IT ]								(Check	all app Dired	olicable)	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD P.O. BOX 10212				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2010								X		cFO & EVP				
(Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-2212 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								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-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,				s Acquired (A) o of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		and 5) Secu Bene		icially d Following	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			action(s) 3 and 4)		
Common Stock 02/26/20				2010	010		J	v	151 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$22.	.6005		19,918	D			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security    Date of Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code ( 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		Deri Secu (Inst		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares acquired under Gartner Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).

/s/ Kevin Feeney for 03/02/2010 **Christopher Lafond** 

\*\* 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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