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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Kranich Robin B | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [IT] | | | | | | | (Che | ck all application | able) | ing Person(s) to Iss 10% O Other (s | | wner | | |
|--|--|--|---|---|---|-----|--|-----|--|-------------------|--|--|---|--|---|---|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD P.O. BOX 10212 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2012 | | | | | | | | below) | | | below) | | |
| (Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-2212 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | 6. In Line | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - Non-l | Deriv | ative | Sec | curities | Ac | quired, | Dis | posed of | , or Ben | eficially | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D. | | | | | Execution D Day/Year) if any | | xecution Date, T any C | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 in the control of th | | | 5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Fo Reported | s Formally (D) of ollowing (I) (I | | rm: Direct I or Indirect I (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction (Instr. 3 and | tion(s) | | [| , | | |
| | 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 Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | e s ally g | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | ble | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Stock Appreciation Rights | \$37.81 | 02/09/2012 | | | A | | 20,239 | | 02/09/20: | 13 ⁽¹⁾ | 02/09/2019 | Common Stock | 20,239 | \$0 | 20,23 | 39 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\ These\ SARs\ become \ exercisable\ in\ four\ substantially\ equal\ annual\ installments\ commencing\ on\ 2/9/2013.$

/s/ Jane Lucas for Robin B. Kranich 02/10/2012

** 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).
- ** 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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