FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DYKSTRA KAREN E</u> |   |                                     |   |   |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [ IT ] |      |  |                    |  |   |   | of Reporting<br>cable)<br>or  | g Pers | son(s) to Iss   | ner   |  |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|------|--|--------------------|--|---|---|---|--------|---|---|--|
| (Last) (Filst) (Milute) I                                       |   |                                     |   |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2018 |   |      |  |                    |  |   | Officer<br>below)                                     | (give title   |        | Other (s<br>below)  | pecify  |  |
| P. O. BOX 10212   |   |                                     |   |   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)    |   |      |  |                    |  |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable |   |        |   |   |  |
| (Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-221                                  |   | 6904-2212                           | -   |   |   |   |      |  |                    |  | X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |   |        |   |   |  |
| (City)  | (Sta  | ate) (Z                             | Zip)  |   |   |   |      |  |                    |  |   |   |   |        |   |   |  |
|   |   | Table                               | e I - Non-Deriv   | /ative                                  | Sec   | uritie  | s Ac | quired, D  | sposed             | of, or Be  | neficial  | ly Owned  | t   |        |   |   |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da      |   |                                     |   |   | Execution Date,   |   |      | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5) |                    |  |   | Benefici  | es Fo<br>ially (D)<br>Following (I)   |        | Ownership<br>orm: Direct<br>) or Indirect<br>(Instr. 4)           | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   |   |                                     |   | Code V                                  |   |   |      | Amount   | (A) o              | Price  | Transac<br>(Instr. 3  | tion(s)   |   |        |   |   |  |
|   |   | Ta                                  | able II - Deriva<br>(e.g., p                                |   |   |   |      | uired, Dis<br>, options,   |                    |  |   | Owned   |   |        |   |   |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)             | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | rcise (Month/Day/Year)<br>f<br>tive | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | n of  |      | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)                             |                    | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)   | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficial<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactic<br>(Instr. 4) | lly    | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                             |  |
|   |   |                                     |   | Code                                    | v   | (A)   | (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares  |   |   |        |   |   |  |
| Common<br>Stock<br>Equivalents<br>(CSE)                         | \$0   | 04/02/2018                          |   | A                                       |   | 81  |      | (1)  | (1)                | Common<br>Stock  | 81  | \$116.06  | 9,056   |        | D   |   |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These are Common Stock Equivalents (CSE) received as compensation for service as an outside director of Gartner, Inc. They were granted under the Company's 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan (2014 LTIP). The Common Stock Equivalents convert into Gartner Common Stock on the date the outside director's continuous status as a director terminates, or as otherwise provided in the 2014 LTIP.

/s/ Kevin Tang for Karen

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04/04/2018

\*\* 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).
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