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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SMITH JAMES C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [ IT ]						(Ch	eck all appli	ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		on(s) to Issi 10% Ow			
(Last) 56 TOP C	(Fir	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2007							Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
P.O. BOX 10212				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)	RD CT		06904-2212						- 1	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(Sta	ate) (	Zip)														
		Tabl	e I - Non-D	Perivativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, Di	sposed	of, or Be	neficial	ly Owned	l				
Date		Transaction ate lonth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)				Beneficia Owned F	s Formula (D) (I) (I)	Form: (D) or	m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
					Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	r Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)				
		Ta	able II - Dei (e.ç					uired, Dis , options,				Owned					
Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code (Instr.		on of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Common Stock Equivalents ( CSE )	\$0	01/02/2007		A		1,516		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	1,516	\$0	29,854	1	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These are Common Stock Equivalents received as compensation for service as an outside director of Gartner, Inc. They were granted under the Company's 2003 Long-Term Incentive Plan (2003 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 2003 LTIP or the 1993 Directors' Stock Option Plan for prior transactions.

/s/ Kevin Feeney for James C.

**Smith** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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