# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre Dawkins Alv	1 0	erson <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GARTNER INC</u> [ IT ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2012	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Events
(Street) STAMFORD (City)	CT (State)	06902 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. 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/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	02/13/2012		М		12,129	A	\$11.11	30,766	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		D		3,554 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$37.92	27,212	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		F		3,667 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$37.92	23,545	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		М		7,488	A	\$22.06	31,033	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		D		4,357(1)	D	\$37.92	26,676	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2012		F		1,345 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$37.92	25,331	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2012		S		1,661	D	\$38	23,670	D	

### 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)	Transaction of Code (Instr. Deriv 8) Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D				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(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$11.11	02/13/2012		М			12,129	02/11/2010 <sup>(3)</sup>	02/11/2016	Common Stock	12,129	\$0	12,129	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$22.06	02/13/2012		М			7,488	02/11/2011 <sup>(4)</sup>	02/11/2017	Common Stock	7,488	\$0	14,974	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents the simultaneous sale back to the issuer of this number of shares having an aggregrate value, based on the market price on the date of exercise, substantially equal to the aggregrate exercise price of the SARs

2. Represents shares withheld from the settlement of the SARs for the payment of applicable income and payroll tax withholding due upon exercise.

3. These SARs are part of an award that became exercisable in four substantially equal, annual installments commencing on 2/11/2010.

4. These SARs are part of an award that became exercisable in four substantially equal, annual installments commencing on 2/11/2011.

#### /s/ Jane Lucas for Alwyn

**Dawkins** 

02/15/2012

\*\* 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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