

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>VA PARTNERS LLC</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>435 PACIFIC AVENUE</u> <u>FOURTH FLOOR</u> (Street) <u>SAN FRANCISCO CA 94133</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GARTNER INC [IT]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>09/15/2006</u>		
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	09/15/2006		P		2,000,000	A	\$15.75	2,000,000	I	See Footnote ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock								18,631,646	I	See Footnote ⁽²⁾

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 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					

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Explanation of Responses:

1. The reported stock is owned directly by ValueAct Capital Master Fund III, L.P. and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by (i) VA Partners III, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Master Fund III, L.P., (ii) ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. as the manager of ValueAct Capital Master Fund III, L.P. and (iii) ValueAct Capital Management, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. Jeffrey W. Ubben is a director of Gartner, Inc. and a Managing Member of VA Partners III, LLC and ValueAct Capital Management, LLC. Peter H. Kamin and George F. Hamel, Jr. are also Managing Members of VA Partners III, LLC and ValueAct Capital Management, LLC. The reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported stock except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
2. The reported stock is owned directly by ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P. and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by (i) VA Partners, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P., (ii) ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. as the manager of ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P. and (iii) ValueAct Capital Management, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. Jeffrey W. Ubben is a director of Gartner, Inc. and a Managing Member of VA Partners, LLC and ValueAct Capital Management, LLC. Peter H. Kamin and George F. Hamel, Jr. are also Managing Members of VA Partners, LLC and ValueAct Capital Management, LLC. The reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported stock except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

Remarks:

Joint Filer Information: Name: ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P. Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: ValueAct Capital Master Fund III, L.P. Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: VA Partners III, LLC Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: ValueAct Capital Management, LLC Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: Jeffrey W. Ubben Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: George F. Hamel, Jr. Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006 Name: Peter H. Kamin Address: 435 Pacific Avenue, 4th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133 Designated Filer: VA Partners, LLC Issuer and Ticker: Gartner, Inc. Date of Event Requiring Statement: September 15, 2006

[VA PARTNERS, LLC, By:/s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.,](#) 09/18/2006
[Managing Member](#)
[VALUEACT CAPITAL MASTER FUND, L.P., By: VA PARTNERS, LLC, its General Partner, By:/s/ George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member](#) 09/18/2006
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/s/ Peter H. Kamin 09/18/2006
** 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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