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*  SMITH JAMES C						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC IT								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
														X Directo	r		10% Ov	/ner	
(Last) 56 TOP C	(Fir	,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2008								Officer (give title Other (specific below) below)				pecify			
P.O. BOX 10212					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. li	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-2212												Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person							
(City)	(Sta	ate)	(Zip)																
		Tak	ole I - Noi	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curitie	es Acq	uired,	Dis	osed of	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities A Disposed Of (I		ies Acquire Of (D) (Ins	ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	Securitie Beneficia Owned F	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 07/01/				01/200	/2008		J		1,497	1,497 A		735	735,813		D				
			Table II -								sed of, onvertib			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, y/Year) _	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n Derivative		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		te Amoun ear) Securit Underly		of s ng e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transacti (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock Equivalents ( CSE )	\$0	07/01/2008			A		1,497		(1)		(1)	Common Stock	1,497	\$0	1,497	7	D		
Common Stock Equivalents ( CSE )	\$0	07/01/2008			J			1,497	(2)		(2)	Common Stock	1,497	\$0	0		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.
- 2. In 2007, the reporting person elected to receive a distribution of his CSE shares pursuant to the transition rule under IRC 409A.

<u>/s/ Kevin Feeney for James C. Smith</u>

07/02/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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