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>HOPPER MAX D</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [ IT ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
					<u> IXI</u>	NEK	IIIC	<u>. [ ] ]</u>			Ι,	X Direct	,		10% Ow	/ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2003							Office below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
P.O. BOX 10212				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-22		6904-2212									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(Sta	ate) (2	Zip)														
		Tabl	e I - Non-Deriv	/ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired, D	sposed	of, or Be	neficial	ly Owne	k				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)				Benefic	es Forn ally (D) o Following (I) (Ir		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code V	Amour	t (A) o	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)						
		Ta	able II - Deriva (e.g., p					uired, Dis s, options,				Owned		,			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		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 derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	ı Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Common Stock Equivalents (CSE)	\$0	10/01/2003		A		471		(1)	(1)	Common Stock Class A	471	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	16,502	2	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These shares 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 (LTIP). The Common Stock Equivalents convert into Gartner Class A CommonStock 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.

> By: Lewis Schwartz For: Max 10/02/2003 **Hopper**

\*\* 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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