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 Address of Reporting Person* SMITH JAMES C					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GARTNER INC [IT]									eck al	nship o I applio Directo	able)	g Pers	son(s) to Issa	- 1		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/21/2003										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
P.O. BOX 10212						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-221		6904-2212											X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City) (State) (Zip)																					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 5) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)			ed (A) or str. 3, 4 and	I Se	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin		Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	,	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tr		saction(s) : 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
		Ta	able II - De (e.						uired, Dis					/ Ow	ned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Day if any (Month/Day/	ate, T	4. Transacti Code (Ins 8)				6. Date Exei Expiration I (Month/Day	ate	Amount of		f g Security			9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				c	Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable	Expiration		Title	Amount or Number of Shares										
Common Stock Equivalents (CSE)	\$0	10/21/2003			A		401		(1)		(1)	Common Stock Class A	401	\$0) (1)	4,960		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 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.

By: Kevin Feeney For: James Smith 10/22/2003

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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