FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* (Check all applicable) **GARTNER INC** [ IT ] **LAFOND CHRISTOPHER** Director Other (specify Officer (give title below) below) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (Last) (Middle) CFO & EVP 06/15/2005 **56 TOP GALLANT ROAD** P.O. BOX 10212 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) (Street) X Form filed by One Reporting Person **STAMFORD** CT 06904-2212 Form filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 7. Nature of 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership Transaction **Execution Date** Securities Form: Direct Indirect Code (Instr. 8) (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially Owned Following (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Beneficial Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code Amount Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of Derivative Security 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any 3. Transaction 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature Conversion Transaction Code (Instr. Ownership Form: Derivative of Indirect Derivative Expiration Date of Securities Underlying derivative (Month/Dav/Year) (Month/Day/Year) or Exercise Securities Security Securities Beneficial (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) 8) Acquired (A) Beneficially Direct (D) (Instr. 3 and 4) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Derivative or Disposed Owned (Instr. 4) Security of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Following Reported Transaction(s) Amount (Instr. 4) Date Expiration Number Code (A) (D) Exercisable Title of Shares

(1)

## Explanation of Responses:

\$10.59

Qualified Stock

Option

(right to buy)

1. he option becomes exercisable in three substantially equal annual installments commencing one year after the date of grant, 06/15/05.

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/s/ Christopher Lafond

Common

Stock

Class A

06/15/2012

06/17/2005

117,000

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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).

06/15/2005

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