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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SCHWARTZ LEWIS G
(Last) (First) (Middle)
56 TOP GALLANT ROAD, P.O. BOX 10212
(Street)
STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
GARTNER INC [IT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/22/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)
_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP, Gen Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/22/2012		M		5,217 (2)	A	$ 0	45,383	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2012		F		2,241 (3)	D	$ 39.16	43,142	D	

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

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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 Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A o N o
Restricted Stock Units	$ 0	02/22/2012		A		20,865		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	2
Restricted Stock Units	$ 0	02/22/2012		M			5,217 (2)	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHWARTZ LEWIS G 56 TOP GALLANT ROAD P.O. BOX 10212 STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212			SVP, Gen Counsel	

Signatures

/s/ Jane Lucas for Lewis G. Schwartz	02/23/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- **(1)** These performance-based RSUs were awarded on February 22, 2011 and vest in four substantially equal annual installments, commencing on 2/22/2012, the date the performance metric was certified and the actual number of RSUs awarded was determined.
- **(2)** Represents shares acquired upon the release of RSUs.
- **(3)** Represents shares withheld from the released RSUs for the payment of applicable income and payroll withholding taxes due on release.

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