

GARTNER INC
Form 4
August 12, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Collins Donna Ann

(Last) (First) (Middle)

56 TOP GALLANT RD

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06902

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/11/2008

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, Client Services

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)
Common Stock	08/11/2008		M	9,500	A \$ 15.69	15,441	D
Common Stock	08/11/2008		F	1,269 (2)	D \$ 27.28	14,172	D
Common Stock	08/11/2008		D	5,464 (3)	D \$ 27.28	8,708	D
Common Stock	08/11/2008		S	5,941	D \$ 27.0767 (4)	2,767	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 Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 15.69	08/11/2008		M		9,500		<u>(1)</u>	09/15/2013 <u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	9,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Collins Donna Ann 56 TOP GALLANT RD STAMFORD, CT 06902	SVP, Client Services

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Feeney for Donna A. Collins 08/12/2008

__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) The stock appreciation right becomes exercisable in four substantially equal annual installments commencing one year after the date of grant, 9/15/2006 and expire seven years from the date of grant or 9/15/2013.
- (2) Represents shares withheld from the settlement for the payment of applicable income and payroll tax withholding due upon exercise.
- (3) Represents the simultaneous sale back to the company of this number of shares having an aggregate value, based on the market price on the date of exercise, substantially equal to the aggregate exercise price.
- (4) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$27.05 to \$27.13. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the

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issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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