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

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obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Waters Joseph T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

GARTNER INC [IT]

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

56 TOP GALLANT RD, P.O. BOX

(Street)

10212

(Month/Day/Year)

02/15/2007

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) SVP, Chief Marketing Officer

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T)

Reported Transaction(s)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amo Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Secu Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or No of
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0.0005	02/15/2007		A	15,480 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1.
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 21.85	02/15/2007		A	29,273	02/15/2008(2)	02/15/2014	Common Stock	2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Waters Joseph T 56 TOP GALLANT RD P.O. BOX 10212 STAMFORD, CT 06904-2212

SVP, Chief Marketing Officer

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Feeney for Joseph T.
Waters 02/20/2007

**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).

The RSUs reported represent an adjustment to a target number of RSUs previously awarded on March 15, 2006. The actual number finally awarded depended upon the achievement of certain 2006 performance criteria set by the Compensation Committee. On February 15, 2007, the Committee finally determined the achievement of the 2006 performance criteria; accordingly, 164.5% of the target number of RSUs was the number of RSUs finally awarded. The number of RSUs reported on this filing represents the difference between the

- of RSUs was the number of RSUs finally awarded. The number of RSUs reported on this filing represents the difference between the actual number finally awarded and the target number previously reported. The RSUs vest in four equal annual installments, beginning on May 15, 2007.
- (2) The stock appreciation right becomes exercisable in four substantially equal annual installments commencing on 2/15/2008.

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