

Sondergaard Peter  
Form 3  
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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person<br>*<br>-<br>^<br>Sondergaard Peter<br>(Last) (First) (Middle) | 2. Date of Event<br>Requiring Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>11/01/2004  | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>GARTNER INC [IT]  |
| 56 TOP GALLANT<br>ROAD,^ P.O. BOX 10212<br>(Street)  | 4. Relationship of Reporting<br>Person(s) to Issuer<br><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br>____ Director ____ 10% Owner<br>_X_ Officer ____ Other<br>(give title below) (specify below)<br>SVP, Research Content | 5. If Amendment, Date Original<br>Filed(Month/Day/Year)  |
| STAMFORD,^ CT^ 06904-2212<br>(City) (State) (Zip)  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group<br>Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting<br>Person<br>____ Form filed by More than One<br>Reporting Person |

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

|                                    |   |   |   |
|------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
| Common Stock Class A               | 13,624 <sup>(1)</sup>                                       | 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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

|   |  |   |  |  |  |
|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br><br>Date Exercisable | 3. Title and Amount of<br>Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4)<br><br>Title | 4. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 5. Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security:<br>Direct (D) | 6. Nature of<br>Indirect Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---|--|---|--|--|--|

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|   | Expiration Date           |            |                      | Amount or Number of Shares |           | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|---|---------------------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|---|
| Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 11/09/2000 <sup>(2)</sup> | 11/09/2009 | Common Stock Class A | 60,000                     | \$ 10.313 | D                          | Â |
| Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 12/15/2006 <sup>(3)</sup> | 12/15/2008 | Common Stock Class A | 4,000                      | \$ 19.285 | D                          | Â |
| Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 02/24/1998 <sup>(2)</sup> | 02/24/2007 | Common Stock Class A | 10,000                     | \$ 19.666 | D                          | Â |
| Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 01/28/2007 <sup>(4)</sup> | 01/28/2009 | Common Stock Class A | 5,500                      | \$ 22.705 | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 12/13/2003 <sup>(5)</sup> | 12/13/2002 | Common Stock Class A | 3,641                      | \$ 9.05   | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 11/28/2002 <sup>(5)</sup> | 11/28/2011 | Common Stock Class A | 5,850                      | \$ 9.1    | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | 06/01/2005 <sup>(6)</sup> | 06/01/2014 | Common Stock Class A | 12,000                     | \$ 12.45  | D                          | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| Sondergaard Peter<br>56 TOP GALLANT ROAD<br>P.O. BOX 10212<br>STAMFORD,Â CTÂ 06904-2212 | Â             | Â         | Â SVP, Research Content | Â     |

## Signatures

By: /s/ Gary Papilsky For: Peter Sondergaard 11/10/2004

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) 168 of total shares are restricted with respect to their transferability. The restriction on transferability lapses in six substantially equal annual installments, commencing two years after the date of grant, 1/28/1999. 500 restricted shares were originally granted.
- (2) This option is fully exercisable.

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- This option becomes exercisable 6 years from the date of grant, 12/15/98, subject to acceleration of vesting and exercisability upon the
- (3) achievement of certain financial performance targets determined by the Board in its sole discretion, and which acceleration has not occurred as of the date hereof.
- 2,500 options are fully exercisable and 3,000 options becomes exercisable 6 years from the date of grant, 01/28/99, subject to acceleration
- (4) of vesting and exercisability upon the achievement of certain financial performance targets determined by the Board in its sole discretion, and which acceleration has not occurred as of the date hereof.
- (5) The option becomes exercisable in three substantially equal annual installments commencing one year after the date of grant, 11/28/01.
- (6) The option becomes exercisable in three substantially equal annual installments commencing one year after the date of grant, 06/1/2004.

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