SILVER LAKE PARTNERS LP

Form 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SILVER LAKE PARTNERS LP Issuer Symbol GARTNER INC [IT] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 2775 SAND HILL ROAD, SUITE 08/11/2009 below) 100

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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MENLO PARK, CA 94025

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A)			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, par value \$0.0005	08/11/2009		S(2)	1,000,000	D	\$ 16.22	10,133,768	D (1)	

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Nauress	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SILVER LAKE PARTNERS LP 2775 SAND HILL ROAD SUITE 100 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X				
SILVER LAKE TECHNOLOGY INVESTORS LLC 2775 SAND HILL ROAD SUITE 100 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X				
SILVER LAKE INVESTORS LP 2775 SAND HILL ROAD SUITE 100 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X				
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JOYCE JOHN R C/O SILVER LAKE PARTNERS, L.P. 2775 SAND HILL ROAD, SUITE 100 MENLO PARK, CA 94025	X					

Signatures

/s/ Karen M. King, Senior Vice President and General Counsel of Silver Lake Technology				
Associates, L.L.C., General Partner of Silver Lake Partners, L.P.				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
/s/ Karen M. King, Senior Vice President and General Counsel of Silver Lake Technology				
Associates, L.L.C., General Partner of Silver Lake Investors, L.P.	08/12/2009			

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Karen M. King, Senior Vice President and General Counsel of Silver Lake Technology Management, L.L.C., the managing member of Silver Lake Partners Management Company, L.L.C., Manager of Silver Lake Technology Investors, L.L.C.

08/12/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Karen M. King, as Attorney-in-Fact for Michael J. Bingle

08/12/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Karen M. King, as Attorney-in-Fact for John R. Joyce

08/12/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).

Owned by Silver Lake Partners, L.P., Silver Lake Investors, L.P., and Silver Lake Technology Investors, L.L.C. (collectively, the "Silver Lake Entities"). Silver Lake Technology Associates, L.L.C. is the General Partner of each of Silver Lake Partners, L.P. and Silver Lake Investors, L.P. Silver Lake Partners Management Company, L.L.C. is the Manager of Silver Lake Technology Investors, L.L.C. Each of Mr. Bingle and Mr. Joyce, who are both directors of the Issuer, is a Managing Director of each of Silver Lake Technology Associates,

- (1) L.L.C. and Silver Lake Technology Management, L.L.C, the managing member of Silver Lake Partners Management Company, L.L.C. As such, each of Mr. Bingle and Mr. Joyce could be deemed to have a shared voting and/or dispositive power over these shares. However, each of Mr. Bingle and Mr. Joyce disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) Of the 1,000,000 shares sold by the Silver Lake Entities on August 11, 2009, (i) Silver Lake Partners, L.P. sold 920,900 shares; (ii) Silver Lake Investors, L.P. sold 26,459 shares; and Silver Lake Technology Investors, L.L.C. sold 52,641 shares.

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