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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PETRATIS DAVID D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

GARDNER DENVER INC [GDI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2008

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC, 1415 ROSELLE ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PALATINE, IL 60067

(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. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (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 Derivative Security

2. Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

(Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Am Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ai or Ni of Sh
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (Right-to-buy)	\$ 48.84	05/07/2008		A	2,800	05/07/2009(1)	05/07/2013	Common Stock	2
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	05/07/2008		A	1,000	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PETRATIS DAVID D SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC 1415 ROSELLE ROAD PALATINE, IL 60067	X					

Signatures

/s/Diana C. Toman,
Attorney-in-fact 05/09/2008

**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).
- $(1) \quad \text{The options, granted under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan, as amended, fully vest one year from issue date.}$
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- The restricted stock units granted under the Company's Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan, cliff vest on 5/7/2011. The (3) underlying stock will be delivered to the reporting person no later than the later of (a) 2-1/2 months following the end of the Company's fiscal year when the restricted stock units vest or (b) as soon as administratively practicable following the end of such fiscal year.

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 Power of Attorney dated May 6, 2008.

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