

PENNYPACKER BARRY
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PENNYPACKER BARRY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GARDNER DENVER INC [GDI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
GARDNER DENVER, INC., 1500
LIBERTY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE
3000

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/30/2012

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below) 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Fmr. President, CEO & Director

WAYNE, PA 19087

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	07/30/2012		M			3,700	A	\$ 18.53	46,127	D	
Common Stock	07/30/2012		S			3,700	D	\$ 57.0198	42,427	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2012		M			46,300	A	\$ 18.53	88,727	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2012		S			46,300	D	\$ 57.031	42,427	D	
Common Stock									627 ⁽¹⁾	I	401(K) & Excess

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 of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-buy)	\$ 18.53	07/30/2012		M	3,700	(2)	02/23/2016	Common Stock	3,700
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-buy)	\$ 18.53	07/31/2012		M	46,300	(2)	02/23/2016	Common Stock	46,300

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PENNYPACKER BARRY
GARDNER DENVER, INC.
1500 LIBERTY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 3000
WAYNE, PA 19087

Fmr. President, CEO & Director

Signatures

Barry L.
Pennypacker 08/21/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- The reporting person acquired shares under the Company's Retirement Savings Plan, a 401(k) plan, and the related Supplemental Excess
- (1) Defined Contribution Plan. The information reported herein is based on a report dated July 31, 2012 from the Plan's recordkeeper, JPMorgan.
 - (2) The options, granted under the Company's Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan, are exercisable in cumulative increments of one-third each on February 23, 2010, 2011 and 2012, respectively.

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