

GARDNER DENVER INC
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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 *
HIPP RAYMOND R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**GARDNER DENVER, INC., 1800
 GARDNER EXPRESSWAY**

(Street)

QUINCY, IL 62305

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
05/28/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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	05/28/2008		M		9,000 A \$ 13.43		D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S		200 D \$ 51.83		D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S		200 D \$ 51.82		D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S		400 D \$ 51.81		D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S		8,200 D \$ 51.8		D

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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
Non-Employee Stock Option (Right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 13.43	05/28/2008		M	9,000	<u>(2)</u> 05/05/2009	Common Stock	9,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HIPP RAYMOND R GARDNER DENVER, INC. 1800 GARDNER EXPRESSWAY QUINCY, IL 62305	X			

Signatures

/s/Diana C. Toman,
Attorney-in-fact

05/30/2008

**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) Options granted under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan, as amended, a Rule 16b-3 plan.
- (2) The options, granted under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan, as amended, fully vest one year from issue date.

Remarks:

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Diana C. Toman, attorney-in-fact, for Raymond R. Hipp, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated May 6, 2008 and filed with the

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