

Walters Brent A.
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Walters Brent A.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GARDNER DENVER, INC., 1500
LIBERTY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE
3000

(Street)

WAYNE, PA 19087

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

GARDNER DENVER INC [GDI]

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

10/01/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
VP, GC, CCO & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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	10/01/2012		M		3,000	A	\$ 11
Common Stock	10/01/2012		F		889	D	\$ 60.38
Common Stock					254	(2)	
						I	401(K) & Excess Plan

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	10/01/2012		M		3,000		10/01/2012	10/01/2012	Common Stock	3,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Walters Brent A.
GARDNER DENVER, INC.
1500 LIBERTY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 3000
WAYNE, PA 19087

VP, GC, CCO & Secretary

Signatures

/s/Brent A.
Walters

10/02/2012

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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(1) Each restricted stock unit was the economic equivalent of one share of the Company's common stock. On October 1, 2012, 3,000 of the reporting person's restricted stock units were settled for an equal number of shares of the Company's common stock.

The reporting person acquired shares under the Company's Retirement Savings Plan, a 401(K) plan, and the related Supplemental Excess (2) Defined Contribution Plan. The information reported herein is based on a report dated October 1, 2012 from the Plan's recordkeeper, JPMorgan.

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