CENTANNI ROSS J

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CENTANNI ROSS J			Symbol	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) (M	Middle) 3. Date o	f Earliest T	ransaction					
			*	Oay/Year)		_X_ Director	10%			
		DENVER, INC., EXPRESSWAY		008		_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
	O? IRDI (ER	LINI KESS WITT				Executive Chairman				
(Street)			4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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	QUINCY, I	L 62305				Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting		
	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
	1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature o		
	Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
	(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	(D) or	Ownership		
						Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)		
					(A)	Reported	(Instr. 4)			
					(A) Or	Transaction(s)				

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	of (D)	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	05/01/2008		Code V M	Amount 44,905	(D)	Price \$ 9.85	212,511	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2008		S	600	D	\$ 47.52	211,911	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2008		S	400	D	\$ 47.51	211,511	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2008		S	2,605	D	\$ 47.5	208,906	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2008		S	200	D	\$ 47.49	208,706	D	

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Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	900	D	\$ 47.48	207,806	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	100	D	\$ 47.47	207,706	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	800	D	\$ 47.46	206,906	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	900	D	\$ 47.44	206,006	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	500	D	\$ 47.43	205,506	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	1,100	D	\$ 47.42	204,406	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 47.41	203,106	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 47.4	201,906	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	2,025	D	\$ 47.39	199,881	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	1,560	D	\$ 47.38	198,321	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	1,975	D	\$ 47.37	196,346	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	2,700	D	\$ 47.36	193,646	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	4,600	D	\$ 47.35	189,046	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	400	D	\$ 47.34	188,646	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	3,440	D	\$ 47.33	185,206	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	600	D	\$ 47.32	184,606	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	100	D	\$ 47.31	184,506	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	900	D	\$ 47.3	183,606	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	700	D	\$ 47.29	182,906	D
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	200	D	\$ 47.28	182,706	D
	05/01/2008	S	100	D		182,606	D

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Common Stock					\$ 47.27		
Common Stock	05/01/2008	S	15,000	D	\$ 47.15	167,606	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-buy)	\$ 9.85	05/01/2008		M	44,905	<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2011	Common Stock	44,9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
coporaing of the control of the cont	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CENTANNI ROSS J GARDNER DENVER, INC. 1800 GARDNER EXPRESSWAY QUINCY, IL 62305	X		Executive Chairman					
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Signatures

/s/ Tracy D. Pagliara, Attorney-in-fact

05/05/2008

**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).
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The options, granted under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan, as amended, are exerciseable in cumulative increments of one-third each.

Remarks:

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Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 Power of Attorney dated May 2, 2008.

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