ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

Form 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SCHEUNEMAN RANDALL J Issuer Symbol ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC (Check all applicable) [ITW] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS 02/10/2015 VP & Chief Accounting Officer INC., 155 HARLEM AVENUE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting GLENVIEW, IL 60025

(- 3)	1 able 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Ow								ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(msu. 1)	(msu. 1)
Common Stock	02/10/2015		M	1,481	A	\$ 0 (1)	3,643	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2015		F	489	D	\$ 97.05	3,154	D	

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number action f Derivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Restricted Stock Unit (granted 02/10/2012)	\$ 0	02/10/2015		M		1,481	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	1,4
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.71						02/10/2013(3)	02/10/2022	Common Stock	11,9
Employee Stock Option	\$ 43.64						02/12/2011	02/12/2020	Common Stock	15,6
Employee Stock Option	\$ 78.59						02/14/2015(3)	02/14/2024	Common Stock	6,8
Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/15/2013)	\$ 0						<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	1,5
Restricted Stock Unit (granted 02/14/2014)	\$ 0						<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	1,3
Employee Stock Option	\$ 63.25						02/15/2014(3)	02/15/2023	Common Stock	9,6
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.81						02/11/2012(3)	02/11/2021	Common Stock	14,9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

SCHEUNEMAN RANDALL J ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC. 155 HARLEM AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60025

VP & Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

Randall J. Scheuneman by Maria C. Green, Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

02/12/2015

**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) Each restricted stock unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- (2) Each RSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant.
- (3) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.

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