ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

Form 4

February 18, 2015

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Parry David C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC [ITW]

(Check all applicable)

Vice Chairman

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2015

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner _ Other (specify

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC., 155 HARLEM AVENUE

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

below)

GLENVIEW, IL 60025

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	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)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(IIISu. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/13/2015		M	13,463	A	\$ 0 (1)	13,586	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2015		F	4,642	D	\$ 97.05	8,944	D	
Common Stock							1,156	I	See Footnote (2)

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities Acquired (Instr. 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Acquired posed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/10/2012)	\$ 0	02/13/2015		M			13,463	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 98.26	02/13/2015		A		48,590		02/13/2016(4)	02/13/2026	Commor Stock
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/13/15) (1)	\$ 0	02/13/2015		A		10,177		<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.81							02/11/2012	02/11/2021	Commor Stock
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/15/2013)	\$ 0							<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 48.51							02/08/2009	02/08/2018	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 78.59							02/14/2015(4)	02/14/2024	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 51.6							02/09/2008	02/09/2017	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.71							02/10/2013(4)	02/10/2022	Commor Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 63.25							02/15/2014(4)	02/15/2023	Commor Stock

Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/14/2014)

\$0

(5)

Common Stock

(5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Parry David C ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC. 155 HARLEM AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60025

Vice Chairman

Signatures

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

02/18/2015

**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).
- ** 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 performance restricted stock unit (PRSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- (2) Shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan--Information reported as of February 13, 2015.
- (3) The PRSU award became vested and payable on February 13, 2015.
- (4) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (5) Each PRSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant if performance goals are met.

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