

Wooten James H Jr  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 Wooten James H Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC  
 [ITW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/22/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr VP General Counsel & Secy

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS  
 INC., 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE  
 (Street)

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

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

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/22/2007		M	1,307 A \$ 29.125	7,029	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2007		S	1,307 D \$ 56.18	5,722	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2007		M	900 A \$ 29.125	6,622	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2007		S	900 D \$ 56.17	5,722	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2007		M	2,693 A \$ 29.125	8,415	D	

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Common Stock	08/22/2007	S	2,693	D	\$ 56.16	5,722	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	M	1,300	A	\$ 29.125	7,022	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	S	1,300	D	\$ 56.15	5,722	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	M	2,500	A	\$ 29.125	8,222	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	S	2,500	D	\$ 56.2	5,722	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	M	2,800	A	\$ 29.125	8,522	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	S	2,800	D	\$ 56.19	5,722	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	M	500	A	\$ 29.125	6,222	D
Common Stock	08/22/2007	S	500	D	\$ 56.21	5,722	D

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
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007		M	1,307	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007		M	900	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	10,693

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Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007	M	2,693	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	9,793
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007	M	1,300	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	7,100
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007	M	2,500	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	5,800
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007	M	2,800	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	3,300
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.125	08/22/2007	M	500	12/11/1999	12/11/2008	Common Stock	500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Wooten James H Jr ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC. 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60026			Sr VP General Counsel & Secy	

## Signatures

/s/James H. Wooten, Jr., Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary,  
Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

08/24/2007

\_\_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).

### Remarks:

The number of transactions requires the filing of five Form 4s. This Form 4 is 2 of 5.

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