ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Parry David C Issuer Symbol ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC (Check all applicable) [ITW] Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS 08/11/2016 Vice Chairman 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

(City)	(State)	(State) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (` ′	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	08/11/2016		M	40,000	A	\$ 55.81	40,584	D				
Common Stock	08/11/2016		S	40,000	D	\$ 118.49 (1)	584	D				
Common Stock							1,191	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. Transa Code (Instr.			vative arities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An Nu Sh
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.81	08/11/2016		M			40,000	02/11/2012	02/11/2021	Common Stock	4
Employee Stock Option	\$ 98.26							02/13/2016(3)	02/13/2025	Common Stock	4
Employee Stock Option	\$ 91.88							02/12/2017(3)	02/12/2026	Common Stock	4
Employee Stock Option	\$ 78.59							02/14/2015(3)	02/14/2024	Common Stock	6
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.71							02/10/2013	02/10/2022	Common Stock	10
Employee Stock Option	\$ 63.25							02/15/2014(3)	02/15/2023	Common Stock	10
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/12/2016)	\$0							<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/13/15) (4)	\$ 0							<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/14/2014)	\$0							<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1

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 Janet O. Love, Deputy General Counsel & Assistant Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

08/15/2016

**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).
 - This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$118.43 to \$118.64. The price reported above reflects the
- (1) weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, Illinois Tool Works Inc. or a shareholder of Illinois Tool Works Inc. full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (2) Shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan--Information reported as of August 11, 2016.
- (3) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (4) Each performance restricted stock unit (PRSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- (5) Each PRSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant if performance goals are met.

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