ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

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(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] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS 02/14/2017 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)

GLENVIEW, IL 60025

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(City)	(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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M	12,724	A	\$ 0	13,308	D		
Common Stock	02/14/2017		F	4,694	D	\$ 129.6	8,614	D		
Common Stock							1,203	I	See Footnote	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			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	\$ 98.26						02/13/2016(2)	02/13/2025	Common Stock	4
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Employee Stock Option	\$ 78.59						02/14/2015(2)	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	02/15/2023	Common Stock	10
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/12/2016)	\$0						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/13/15) (3)	\$ 0						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/14/2014)	\$ 0	02/14/2017		M		12,724	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1
Employee Stock Option	\$ 128						02/10/2018(2)	02/10/2027	Common Stock	5
	\$ 0						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>		4

Performance Share Units (granted 2/10/17) (3) Common Stock

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

02/16/2017

**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) Shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan--Information reported as of February 14, 2017.
- (2) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (3) Each performance restricted stock unit (PRSU) and performance share unit (PSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- (4) Each PRSU and PSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant if performance goals are met.
- (5) The PRSU award became vested and payable on February 14, 2017.

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