

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC
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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 *
 Hartnett John R.

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/26/2014

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive Vice President

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/26/2014		M		3,507	A	\$ 35.12
Common Stock	11/26/2014		S		3,507	D	\$ 95.36

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 35.12	11/26/2014		M	3,507	02/13/2010 02/13/2019	Common Stock	3,507
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/14/2014) <u>(2)</u>	\$ 0					<u>(3)</u> <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	4,600
Employee Stock Option	\$ 51.6					02/09/2008 02/09/2017	Common Stock	8,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 43.64					02/12/2011 02/12/2020	Common Stock	13,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.71					02/10/2013 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/10/2022	Common Stock	13,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 63.25					02/15/2014 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/15/2023	Common Stock	28,000
Restricted Stock Unit (granted 02/10/2012) <u>(2)</u>	\$ 0					<u>(5)</u> <u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1,600
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.81					02/11/2012 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/11/2021	Common Stock	11,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 78.59					02/14/2015 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/14/2024	Common Stock	24,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 48.51					02/08/2009 02/08/2018	Common Stock	15,000
Performance Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0					<u>(3)</u> <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	4,400

(granted
02/15/2013)
(2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hartnett John R. ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC. 3600 WEST LAKE AVE. GLENVIEW, IL 60026			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

John R. Hartnett, by Maria C. Green, Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary,
Attorney-In-Fact on File

12/01/2014

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- This transaction was executed at multiple prices ranging from \$95.35 to \$95.37. The price reported above reflects the weighted average
- (1) 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) Each restricted stock unit (RSU) and performance restricted stock unit (PRSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
 - (3) Each PRSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant if performance goals are met.
 - (4) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
 - (5) Each RSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant.

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