#### ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

Form 4

November 19, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCCORMACK ROBERT C			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC [ITW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 3600 WEST I	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2007	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
	(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		

#### 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price		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	11/16/2007		S	12,800	D		6,567,668	I	Trusts (1)	
Common Stock	11/16/2007		S	14,902	D	\$ 54.12	6,552,766	I	Trusts (1)	
Common Stock	11/16/2007		S	13,003	D	\$ 54.11	6,539,763	I	Trusts (1)	
Common Stock	11/16/2007		S	21,395	D	\$ 54.1	6,518,368	I	Trusts (1)	
Common Stock							4,858,914	I	Trusts (2)	

Common Stock

D 6,781

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock (3)	\$ 0					08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock	4,641

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCCORMACK ROBERT C 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE	X						
GLENVIEW, IL 60026	21						

# **Signatures**

Robert C. McCormack by James H. Wooten, Jr., Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

11/19/2007

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8. Pri Deriv Secu (Insti

\*\*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).
- Shares held in trusts of which the Reporting Person is a co-trustee and in which a member of his immediate family (adult not living in his household) has a pecuniary interest. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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- (2) Shares held in trusts of which the Reporting Person is a co-trustee and has a pecuniary interest.
- Represents units of phantom stock under the Phantom Stock Plan for non-employee directors as of October 15, 2007. Each unit is equal in value to one share of common stock. The units are not transferable and have no voting rights. Additional units are credited in amounts equivalent to cash dividends paid on the common stock.

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