ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add MCCORMAC		_	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) 3600 WEST I	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2014	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	l of (D) 5) 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	04/28/2014		S	28,700	D	\$ 84.55 (1)	3,932,568	I	Trusts (2)
Common Stock							2,715,470	I	Trusts (3)
Common Stock							14,382	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction	5. orNumber	6. Date Exer Expiration D		7. Title and A Underlying S		8. Price of Derivative
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day, e		(Instr. 3 and		Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,491	

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Robert C. McCormack by Maria C. Green, Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

04/30/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- 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 at multiple prices ranging from \$84.36 to \$84.76. 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.
- 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 **(2)** household) has a pecuniary interest. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (3) Shares held in trusts of which the Reporting Person is a co-trustee and has a pecuniary interest.
- (4) Represents units of phantom stock under the Phantom Stock Plan for non-employee directors as of April 28, 2014. 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

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equivalent to cash dividends paid on the common stock.

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