Lawler Mary Katherine Form 4 February 20, 2019

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lawler Mary Katherine	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., 155 HARLEM AVENUE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2019	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP & Chief HR Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
GLENVIEW II 60025	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Aco	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/15/2019		M	4,353	A	\$0	9,191 (1)	D		
Common Stock	02/15/2019		F	1,301	D	\$ 138.64	7,890	D		
Common Stock							249	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4,	A) or f (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Option	\$ 98.26						02/13/2016	02/13/2025	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 91.88						02/12/2017(3)	02/12/2026	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 128						02/10/2018(3)	02/10/2027	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 163.36						02/15/2019(3)	02/15/2028	Common Stock
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/12/2016)	\$0	02/15/2019		M		4,353	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock
Performance Share Units (granted 2/10/17) (4) (6)	\$ 0						<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock
Performance Share Units (granted 2/15/18) (4) (6)	\$ 0						<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 144.21	02/15/2019		A	19,281		02/15/2020(3)	02/15/2029	Common Stock
Performance Share Units (granted 2/15/19) (4) (6)	\$ 0	02/15/2019		A	2,296		<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lawler Mary Katherine
ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.
155 HARLEM AVENUE
GLENVIEW, IL 60025

SVP & Chief HR Officer

## **Signatures**

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

02/20/2019

\*\*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).
- (1) Includes 175 shares acquired under a dividend reinvestment plan.
- (2) Shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan--Information reported as of February 15, 2019.
- (3) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (4) 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.
- (5) The PRSU award became vested and payable on February 15, 2019.
- (6) PSUs accrue dividends in shares of common stock, subject to fulfillment of vesting period and performance goals; the PSUs shown include dividend equivalents accrued, if any, to date.
- (7) Each PSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant if performance goals are met.

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