Zimmerman Michael R.

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Zimmerman Michael R.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

[ITW]

(Check all applicable)

Executive Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2019

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC., 155 HARLEM AVENUE

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Person

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

GLENVIEW, IL 60025

(City)

		1401	Tuble 1 Non Derivative Securities required, Disposed 61, 61 Denoticiany 6 whea						
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired tior(A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially Owned		Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/15/2019		M	3,446	A	\$ 0	8,027	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2019		F	1,037	D	\$ 138.64	6,990	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		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	\$ 78.59						02/14/2015	02/14/2024	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 63.25						02/15/2014	02/14/2023	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 98.26						02/13/2016	02/13/2025	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 91.88						02/12/2017(1)	02/12/2026	Common Stock
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/12/2016)	\$ 0	02/15/2019		M	3	3,446	(3)	(3)	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 128						02/10/2018(1)	02/10/2027	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 163.36						02/15/2019(1)	02/15/2028	Common Stock
Performance Share Units (granted 2/10/17) (2) (4)	\$ 0						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock
Performance Share Units (granted 2/15/18) (2) (4)	\$ 0						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option	\$ 144.21	02/15/2019		A	16,006		02/15/2020(1)	02/15/2029	Common Stock
Performance Share Units (granted 2/15/19) (2)	\$ 0	02/15/2019		A	1,906		(5)	(5)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zimmerman Michael R.
ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.
155 HARLEM AVENUE
GLENVIEW, IL 60025

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Michael R. Zimmerman, by Janet O. Love, Deputy General Counsel & Assistant Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact 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) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (2) 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.
- (3) The PRSU award became vested and payable on February 15, 2019.
- (4) PSUs accrue dividends in shares of common stock, subject to fulfillment of vesting period and performance goals; the PSUs shown include dividend equivalents, if any, accrued to date.
- (5) Each PSU vests 100% three years from the date of grant if performance goals are met.

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