STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SANTI ERNEST SCOTT Issuer Symbol ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC (Check all applicable) [ITW]

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify

X_ Officer (give title below) Chairman & CEO

10/30/2015 INC., 155 HARLEM AVENUE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

GLENVIEW, IL 60025

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS

(First)

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) **Following** (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

V Amount (D) Price Code

Common 10/30/2015 G V 2,400 \$0 D 54,979 D Stock

See Common Ι 3,550 Footnote Stock

(1)

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

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

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/13/15) (2)	\$ 0					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	29,004
Employee Stock Option	\$ 63.25					02/15/2014(4)	02/15/2023	Common Stock	305,18
Employee Stock Option	\$ 78.59					02/14/2015(4)	02/14/2024	Common Stock	224,42
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.81					02/11/2012	02/11/2021	Common Stock	101,29
Employee Stock Option	\$ 55.71					02/10/2013(4)	02/10/2022	Common Stock	108,88
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/14/2014)	\$ 0					(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	32,44
Employee Stock Option	\$ 43.64					02/12/2011	02/12/2020	Common Stock	74,07
Employee Stock Option	\$ 98.26					02/13/2016(4)	02/13/2026	Common Stock	184,64
Performance Restricted Stock Unit (granted 2/15/2013)	\$ 0					(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	35,57:

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other SANTI ERNEST SCOTT X

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

Chairman & CEO

Signatures

Ernest Scott Santi by Janet O. Love, Deputy General Counsel & Assistant Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

11/05/2015

**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 of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan---Information reported as of October 30, 2015.
- (2) Each 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.

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