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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Parry David C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

[ITW]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/19/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS

INC., 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE (Street)

(State)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City)

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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 (1)	12/19/2006		Code V F	Amount 617	D	\$ 47.05	1,475	D	
Common Stock (2)	08/08/1998		A	823	A	\$ 0	823	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 orDerivative 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 or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (3)	\$ 32.75	12/17/1999		A	14,000	12/17/2000	12/17/2009	Common Stock	14,000
Employee Stock Option (3)	\$ 27.9375	12/15/2000		A	14,000	12/15/2001	12/15/2010	Common Stock	14,000
Employee Stock Option (3)	\$ 31.125	12/14/2001		A	28,000	12/14/2002	12/14/2011	Common Stock	28,000
Employee Stock Option (3)	\$ 47.13	12/10/2004		A	20,000	12/10/2005	12/10/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option (4)	\$ 42.08	02/01/2006		A	20,000	12/07/2006	02/01/2016	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Parry David C ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC. 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60026

Executive Vice President

Signatures

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

12/21/2006 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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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 grant of restricted stock which vested over a three (3) year period 12/16/2004, 12/16/2005, 12/18/2006.
- (2) Includes 823 shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan--Information reported as of November 16, 2006.
- (3) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (4) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning in each December following the grant date.

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