

WOOTEN JAMES H
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|--|------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â WOOTEN JAMES H | | (Month/Day/Year) | ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC [ITW] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 08/05/2005 | |
| ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.,Â 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street) | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Director | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| | | | (give title below) (specify below) | |
| | | | V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secretary | |
| GLENVIEW,Â ILÂ 60026 | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person | |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---|--|---|--|
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u> | 4,959 | D | Â |

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|--|---|---|--|
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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/08/1996 | 12/08/2005 | Common Stock | 3,000 | \$ 30.125 | D | Â |
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/12/1998 | 12/12/2007 | Common Stock | 6,000 | \$ 54.62 | D | Â |
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/11/1999 | 12/11/2008 | Common Stock | 6,000 | \$ 58.25 | D | Â |
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/17/2000 | 12/17/2009 | Common Stock | 6,000 | \$ 65.5 | D | Â |
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/15/2001 | 12/15/2010 | Common Stock | 15,000 | \$ 55.875 | D | Â |
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/14/2002 | 12/14/2011 | Common Stock | 13,000 | \$ 62.25 | D | Â |
| <u>Employee Stock Option (4)</u> | 12/10/2005 | 12/10/2014 | Common Stock | 8,000 | \$ 94.26 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WOOTEN JAMES H ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC. 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60026 | Â | Â | Â V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secretary | Â |

Signatures

James H. Wooten by S. S. Hudnut, Sr. V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secretary Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

08/05/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 Vesting 12/16/2005.
- (2) Includes Grant of Restricted Stock Vesting 12/16/2005, 12/18/2006.
- (3) Includes 1,408 shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan -- Information reported as of July 7, 2005.
- (4) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.

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