Brutto Daniel J Form 4 February 05, 2013

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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may continue. See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Brutto Daniel J Issuer Symbol ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC (Check all applicable) [ITW] X_ Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year) 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE 02/01/2013

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Officer (give title

(Zip)

GLENVIEW, IL 60026-1215

(State)

(City)

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

below)

| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securit | ties Ac | equired | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction(A) or Disposed of | | | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect | |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (D) | | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | (A) | | Reported | | |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| ~ | | | Coue v | Amount | (D) | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2013 | | A(1) | 268 | A | \$ 62.9 | 3,190 | D | |
| | | | | | | | | | |

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)

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| 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber 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 or Number of Shares |
| Phantom Stock Units | (2) | | | | | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 1,026 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Brutto Daniel J

3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE X

GLENVIEW, IL 60026-1215

Signatures

Daniel J. Brutto by Maria C. Green SVP, General Counsel & Secretary, Attorney-in-Fact POA on file

02/05/2013

8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

**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) Represents shares of common stock acquired pursuant to the Illinois Tool Works Inc. 2011 Long-Term Incentive Plan representing quarterly director fees.
- Represents units of phantom stock under the Phantom Stock Plan for non-employee directors as of February 1, 2013. Each unit is equal in value to one share of common stock. The units are not transferable and have no voting rights. Additional units are credited in amounts equivalent to cash dividends paid on common stock.

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