

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Martel Roland M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC [ITW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/17/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	11/17/2006		S		7,380	D	\$ 47.1256 3,175
Common Stock <u>(3)</u>	08/08/1998		A		2,953	A	\$ 0 2,953
Common Stock <u>(2)</u> <u>(4)</u>	11/20/2006		M		6,500	A	\$ 27.9375 9,675
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	11/20/2006		M		10,000	A	\$ 31.125 19,675

See Footnote (3)

(4)

Common
 Stock ⁽²⁾ 11/20/2006 S 16,500 D \$ 47.15 3,175 D
 (4)

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 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 27.9375	11/20/2006		M	6,500	12/15/2001 12/15/2010	Common Stock	6,500
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 31.125	11/20/2006		M	10,000	12/14/2002 12/14/2011	Common Stock	10,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 47.13	12/10/2004		A	18,000	12/10/2005 12/10/2014	Common Stock	18,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 42.08	02/01/2006		A	18,700	12/07/2006 02/01/2016	Common Stock	18,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Martel Roland M 3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60026			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

Roland M. Martel by James H. Wooten, Jr., Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary, Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

11/21/2006

__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) Includes grant of restricted stock vesting 12/18/2006.
- (2) Includes grants of restricted stock which vested over a three (3) year period 12/16/2003, 12/16/2004, 12/16/2005.
- (3) Includes 2,953 shares of common stock allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan---Information reported as of November 16, 2006.
- (4) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (5) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning in each December following the grant date.

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