ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SUTHERLAND ALLAN C	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC [ITW]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify		
3600 W. LAKE AVENUE	02/01/2006	below) below) Sr. V.P. Leasing&Investments		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
GLENVIEW, IL 60026-1215				
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		
1 Title of 2 Transaction Date 24 Dec	emed 3 4 Securities	5 Amount of 6 Ownership 7 Nature		

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1) (2)	08/08/1998		A	0	A	\$0	26,324	D	
Common Stock (3)	12/31/2005		A	6	A	\$ 0	1,484	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock (4)	08/08/1998		A	0	A	\$ 0	250	I	See Footnote

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 (5)	\$ 65.5	12/17/1999		A	25,000	12/17/2000	12/17/2009	Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option (5)	\$ 55.875	12/15/2000		A	15,000	12/15/2001	12/15/2010	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (5)	\$ 62.25	12/14/2001		A	27,000	12/14/2002	12/14/2011	Common Stock	27,000
Employee Stock Option (5)	\$ 94.26	12/10/2004		A	35,000	12/10/2005	12/10/2014	Common Stock	35,000
Employee Stock Option (6)	\$ 84.16	02/01/2006		A	35,000	12/07/2006	02/01/2016	Common Stock	35,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SUTHERLAND ALLAN C 3600 W. LAKE AVENUE GLENVIEW, IL 60026-1215			Sr. V.P. Leasing&Investments				

Signatures

Allan C. Sutherland by James H. Wooten, Jr., V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secretary Attorney-In-Fact POA on File

02/02/2006 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- * 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 that vested over a 3 year period: 12/16/03, 12/16/04, and 12/16/05.
- (2) Includes grant of restricted stock vesting over a 3 year period: 12/16/2004, 12/16/2005, and 12/18/2006.
- (3) Shares allocated to my account in the Illinois Tool Works Inc. Savings & Investment Plan. Information reported as of December 31, 2005
- (4) Includes 250 shares held by me as custodian for my minor child under Illinois UGMCA.
- (5) These options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning one year from date of grant.
- (6) Options vest in four (4) equal annual installments beginning in each December following the grant date.

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