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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER
EFFECTIVE DATE:	12/20/2006

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
ITW SEXTON INC.		12/20/2006	CORPORATION: MASSACHUSETTS

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.
Street Address:	3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE
City:	GLENVIEW
State/Country:	ILLINOIS
Postal Code:	60026-1215
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	0873270	SEXTON

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Date:

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

William Francis Galvin
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Articles of Merger

Domestic Corporation Involving Foreign Corporation or Foreign Other Entity
(General Laws, Chapter 156D, Section 11.06; 950 CMR 113.37)

Exact name, jurisdiction and date of organization of each party to the merger:

(1) EXACT NAME (2) JURISDICTION DATE OF ORGANIZATION

ITW Sexton Inc. Massachusetts March 28, 1925

Illinois Tool Works Inc. Delaware June 19, 1961

(3) The foreign corporation or other entity is /is not * authorized to conduct business in the Commonwealth.

(4) Exact name of the surviving entity Illinois Tool Works Inc.

(5) The jurisdiction under the laws of which the surviving entity will be organized Delaware

(6) The merger shall be effective at the time and on the date approved by the Division unless a later effective date not more than 90 days from the date and time of filing is specified December 31, 2006

For each domestic corporation that is a party to the merger

(Please check the appropriate box)

(7) The plan of merger was duly approved by the shareholders and, if voting by any separate voting group was required, by each separate voting group, in the manner required by G. L., Chapter 156D and the corporation's articles of organization.

OR

(8) The plan of merger did not require the approval of the shareholders.

(9) Participation of each other domestic entity, foreign corporation, or foreign other entity was duly authorized by the law under which the other entity or foreign corporation is organized and by its organizational documents.

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(10) Where applicable, attach any amendment to articles of organization of the surviving entity, where the survivor is a domestic business corporation.

(11) Where applicable, attach the articles of organization of the surviving entity, where the survivor is a NEW domestic business corporation, including all the supplemental information required by 950 CMR 113.16.

(12) Where applicable, the executive office address of a foreign other entity, if such information is not on the record of the foreign other entity and such foreign other entity is the survivor of the merger.

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.

Signed by James H. Kelly _____
(signature of authorized individual)

- Chairman of the Board of Directors
- President
- Other Officer
- Court-appointed fiduciary.

on this 20th day of December of 2006.

ITW SEXTON INC.

Signed by James H. Kelly _____
(signature of authorized individual)

- Chairman of the Board of Directors
- President
- Other Officer
- Court-appointed fiduciary.

on this 20th day of December of 2006.

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The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"INSTRON CORPORATION", A MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION,

"ITW RIPPEY CORPORATION", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,

"ITW SEXTON INC.", A MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION,

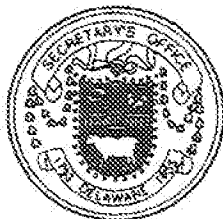
WITH AND INTO "ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2006, AT 2:47 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP IS THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2006.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.

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Harriet Smith Windsor

Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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**CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER
MERGING**

**INSTRON CORPORATION
AND
ITW RIPPEY CORPORATION
AND
ITW SEXTON INC.
INTO
ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.**

Illinois Tool Works Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware (the "Corporation"),

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That the Corporation was incorporated on the 19th day of June 1961, pursuant to Delaware Corporation Law.

SECOND: That the Corporation owns all of the outstanding shares of the stock of Instron Corporation, a corporation incorporated on the 15th day of March 1948, pursuant to the Massachusetts General Laws.

That the Corporation owns all of the outstanding shares of the stock of ITW Rippey Corporation, a corporation incorporated on the 20th day of July 2006, pursuant to the Delaware Corporation Law.

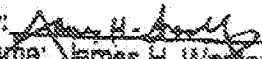
That the Corporation owns all of the outstanding shares of the stock of ITW Sexton Inc., a corporation incorporated on the 28th day of March 1926, pursuant to the Massachusetts General Laws.

THIRD: That the Corporation, by the following action taken at a meeting of its Board of Directors dated August 2, 1998, determined to and did allow for mergers of its subsidiary companies into itself; of which the following, Instron Corporation, ITW Rippey Corporation and ITW Sexton Inc., are to become effective at the close of business on December 31, 2006:

RESOLVED: that management is hereby authorized, without further authorization by this Board, to take whatever action is necessary to merge into the Company subsidiaries directly or indirectly owned by the Company for the purpose of simplifying the Company's corporate structure;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Illinois Tool Works Inc. has caused this Certificate to be signed by its Senior Vice President and Secretary as of this 20th day of December 2006.

Illinois Tool Works Inc.

By: 
Name: James H. Wooden, Jr.