#### **INSTEEL INDUSTRIES INC**

Form 4

February 10, 2014

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WOLTZ H O III			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol INSTEEL INDUSTRIES INC [IIIN]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2014					(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
MOUNT AI	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Chairman, President and CEO  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	ear) Execut any	emed ion Date, if //Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)  Code V	on(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or (D)	d of	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)
Stock	02/08/2014			F	3,716	D	19.1	507,259	D	
Common Stock								360,830	I	co-trustee of trusts established by Howard O. Woltz, Jr.
Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units)								57,971	D	

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Common Stock (2)	8,513	I	co-executor of Howard O. Woltz, Jr. Estate			
Common Stock (2)	21,222	I	Custodial account for minor child			
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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.23					<u>(1)</u>	08/21/2022	Common Stock	10,989
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.06					<u>(1)</u>	02/21/2022	Common Stock	8,251
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.72					<u>(1)</u>	08/08/2021	Common Stock	20,619
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.43					<u>(1)</u>	02/08/2021	Common Stock	17,065
	\$ 17.22					<u>(1)</u>	08/12/2023		21,583

8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.

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Stock Option (Right to Buy)				Common Stock	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.45	<u>(1)</u>	02/12/2023	Common Stock	20,921
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.69	<u>(1)</u>	08/19/2018	Common Stock	15,957
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.11	<u>(1)</u>	02/13/2017	Common Stock	14,395
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.27	<u>(1)</u>	08/13/2017	Common Stock	11,878
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.26	<u>(1)</u>	08/14/2016	Common Stock	6,369
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.64	<u>(1)</u>	02/14/2016	Common Stock	9,144

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting o where remove requires	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WOLTZ H O III 1373 BOGGS DRIVE MOUNT AIRY, NC 27030	X		Chairman, President and CEO			
Signatures						
James F. Petelle for H. O. Woltz III		02/10/2014				
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				

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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) Options vest 1/3 annually beginning one year from grant date.
- In addition to the gifts on November 3 and November 30, 2011, this Form also reflects the beneficial interest H. O. Woltz III is deemed to hold in the estate of his father, Howard O. Woltz, Jr., and in three trusts established by his father, following the death of his father on January 2, 2011. Mr. Woltz III disclaims beneficial interest in the shares held in the estate and in trust, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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