#### **INSTEEL INDUSTRIES INC**

Form 4

February 13, 2014

## FORM 4

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GAZMARIAN MICHAEL C  (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INSTEEL INDUSTRIES INC [IIIN]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 1373 BOGGS	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2014					Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Vice President and CFO						
					f Amendment, Date Original ed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MOUNT AIRY, NC 27030								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	ear) Execu	eemed ation Date, if th/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o d of (D 4 and (A) or	)	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)		
Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units)	02/12/2014			A	3,603	A	\$0	30,171	D			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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# $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		vative es ed	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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.08	02/12/2014		A		9,921		<u>(1)</u>	02/12/2024	Common Stock	9,921
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.22							<u>(1)</u>	08/12/2023	Common Stock	9,892
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.45							<u>(1)</u>	02/12/2023	Common Stock	9,589
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.23							<u>(1)</u>	08/21/2022	Common Stock	15,110
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.06							<u>(1)</u>	02/21/2022	Common Stock	11,345
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.72							<u>(1)</u>	08/08/2021	Common Stock	14,175
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.43							<u>(1)</u>	02/08/2021	Common Stock	11,732
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.39							<u>(1)</u>	02/09/2020	Common Stock	14,881

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(Common Stock)					
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.16	<u>(1)</u>	08/09/2020	Common Stock	15,449
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.6	<u>(1)</u>	08/10/2019	Common Stock	10,982
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.55	<u>(1)</u>	02/10/2019	Common Stock	14,946
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.15	<u>(1)</u>	02/19/2018	Common Stock	13,196
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.69	<u>(1)</u>	08/19/2018	Common Stock	7,314
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.11	(1)	02/13/2017	Common Stock	6,598
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.27	<u>(1)</u>	08/13/2017	Common Stock	5,444
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.26	<u>(1)</u>	08/14/2016	Common Stock	2,841
Incentive Stock Option (Right to	\$ 15.64	<u>(1)</u>	02/14/2016	Common Stock	4,080

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Buy)					
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.12	<u>(1)</u>	03/04/2015	Common Stock	5,301
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 6.89	<u>(1)</u>	07/26/2015	Common Stock	3,430

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GAZMARIAN MICHAEL C

1373 BOGGS DR Vice President and CFO

MOUNT AIRY, NC 27030

## **Signatures**

(Right to Buy)

James F. Petelle for Michael C.
Gazmarian
02/13/2014

\*\*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) Options vest 1/3 annually beginning one year from grant date.

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