SCHEDULE 14A (Rule 14a-101) INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

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ITT Corporation

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*** Exercise Your *Right* to Vote *** Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 8, 2012.

ITT CORPORATION

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at *www.proxyvote.com* or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).



ENGINEERED FOR LIFE ITT CORPORATION 1133 WESTCHESTER AVENUE WHITE PLAINS, NY 10604

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting For holders as of: March 16, 2012 Date: May 8, 2012 Time: 10:30 a.m., EDT Location: Doral Arrowwod 975 Anderson Hill Road Rye Brook, New York 10573

DIRECTIONS TO ANNUAL MEETING

For directions to the Annual Meeting at the Doral Arrowwood, 975 Anderson Hill Road, Rye Brook, New York 10573, please see <u>http://www.doralarrowwood.com/map-directions</u>

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

ADMISSION TICKET

This is notice of your invitation to attend the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of ITT Corporation to be held on Tuesday, May 8, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. EDT at the Doral Arrowwood, 975 Anderson Hill Road, Rye Brook, New York 10573.

You should present this Admission Ticket in order to gain admittance to the Annual Meeting. This ticket admits only the shareholder listed and is not transferable.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

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Before You Vote How to Access the Proxy Materials

| Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE: |
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| NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT ANNUAL REPORT |
| How to View Online: |
| Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow \rightarrow [XXXX XXXX XXXX] (located on the following page) and visit: <i>www.proxyvote.com</i> . |
| How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy: |
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| 1) BY INTERNET:www.proxyvote.com2) BY TELEPHONE:1-800-579-16393) BY E-MAIL*:sendmaterial@proxyvote.com |
| * If requesting materials by e-mail, please send a blank e-mail with the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow → XXXX XXXX XXXX (located on the following page) in the subject line. |
| Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before April 24, 2012 to facilitate timely delivery. |

How To Vote -

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to www.proxyvote.com. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow

→ XXXX XXXX XXXX available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

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Voting Items

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A VOTE "FOR" PROPOSALS 1, 2 AND 3.

1. Election of ten members of the Board of Directors.

Nominees:

- 1a. Denise L. Ramos
- 1b. Frank T. MacInnis
- 1c. Orlando D. Ashford
- 1d. Peter D'Aloia
- 1e. Donald DeFosset, Jr.
- 1f. Christina A. Gold
- 1g. General Paul J. Kern
- 1h. Linda S. Sanford
- 1i. Donald J. Stebbins
- 1j. Markos I. Tambakeras

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- 2. Ratification of the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as ITT's Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm for 2012.
- 3. To approve, in a non-binding vote, the compensation of our named executive officers.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS YOU VOTE AGAINST PROPOSALS 4, 5 AND 6:

- 4. To vote on a shareholder proposal requesting that the Company change its state of incorporation from Indiana to Delaware.
- 5. To vote on a shareholder proposal requesting that the Company adopt a policy that, whenever possible, the Chairman of the Board of Directors be an independent director who has not previously served as an executive officer of the Company.
- 6. To vote on a shareholder proposal requesting that the Company amend, where applicable, its policies related to human rights.

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