

Hansen Robert Alan
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Hansen Robert Alan

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ALBANY INTERNATIONAL
 CORP /DE/ [AIN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President & CTO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL
 CORP., 216 AIRPORT DRIVE,
 UNIT 1

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/01/2012

(Street)
 ROCHESTER, NH 03867

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock					8,609	I	By 401(k)
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012		M	839 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 0	7,246	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012		A	924 ⁽²⁾ A \$ 0	8,170	D	

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Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	F	544 ⁽³⁾	D	\$ 23.9	7,626	D
Class A Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾	03/01/2012	M	6,668	A	(4)	6,668 ⁽⁴⁾	D ⁽⁴⁾
Class A Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾	03/01/2012	D	6,668	D	\$ 24.38	0	D ⁽⁴⁾
Class A Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾	03/01/2012	M	839	A	(4)	839 ⁽⁴⁾	D ⁽⁴⁾
Class A Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾	03/01/2012	D	839	D	\$ 23.54	0	D ⁽⁴⁾

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 Derivative 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 19.375					⁽⁶⁾	11/04/2018	Class A Common Stock	15
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁷⁾	\$ 15.6875					⁽⁶⁾	11/09/2019	Class A Common Stock	20
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁷⁾	\$ 10.5625					⁽⁶⁾	11/15/2020	Class A Common Stock	45
	\$ 20.45					⁽⁶⁾	11/06/2021		60

Employee Stock Option ⁽⁷⁾								Class A Common Stock	
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁷⁾	\$ 20.63					<u>(6)</u>	11/07/2022	Class A Common Stock	1,0
Restricted Stock Units ⁽⁸⁾	<u>(8)</u>	03/01/2012	M	6,668	03/01/2011	<u>(8)(9)</u>	<u>(8)(9)</u>	Class A Common Stock	13, (1)
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹¹⁾	<u>(11)</u>	03/01/2012	M	1,678		<u>(11)(12)</u>	<u>(11)(12)</u>	Class A Common Stock	1,6 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hansen Robert Alan C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. 216 AIRPORT DRIVE, UNIT 1 ROCHESTER, NH 03867			Senior Vice President & CTO	

Signatures

Kathleen M. Tyrrell,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/05/2012

**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) Shares distributed upon partial settlement of Restricted Stock Units previously granted pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2005 Incentive Plan (see footnote 11).
- (2) Shares distributed pursuant to an Annual Performance Bonus Award made under the Albany International Corp. 2005 Incentive Plan (the "Incentive Plan").
- (3) Shares withheld to satisfy the tax liability in connection with the acquisitions described in footnotes 1 and 2 above.
- (4) Deemed acquisition and disposition to the issuer of shares of stock underlying Restricted Stock Units upon automatic vesting and cash settlement of such Units (see footnotes 8 and 11). No shares were actually issued to the reporting person, nor did the reporting person dispose of any shares.
- (5) Options granted pursuant to the Company's 1992 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of the Company.
- (6) Fully exercisable.
- (7) Options granted pursuant to the Company's 1998 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of the Company.
- (8) Restricted Stock Units granted pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2003 Restricted Stock Unit Plan (the "Restricted Stock Unit Plan"). Each Restricted Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive the cash equivalent of one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting or, in the event that the holder elects to defer payment, at such later time elected in accordance with the Restricted Stock Unit Plan.

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- (9) 6,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on March 1, 2011; 6,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on September 1, 2011; 6,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on March 1, 2012; and 6,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on September 1, 2012.
- (10) Includes dividend units accrued on Restricted Stock Units on January 10, 2012.
- (11) Restricted Stock Units granted on February 25, 2010 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2005 Incentive Plan (the "Incentive Plan"). Each Restricted Stock Unit award entitles the holder to receive a number of shares of Class A Common Stock, the cash equivalent of such shares, or a combination of cash and shares, in each case in accordance with a settlement schedule.
- (12) Reflects settlement (half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock) on March 1, 2012.

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