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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|---|---|------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--|----------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|---|--|--|---|---|--------------|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Hansen Robert Alan | | | | | <u>A</u> | or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP /DE/</u> [AIN] | | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | | |
| | (First) (Middle) ANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. PORT DRIVE, UNIT 1 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2018 | | | | | | | | | | X Oncer (give the Souther (specify below) below) Senior Vice President & CTO | | | | | |
| (Street) ROCHESTER NH 03867 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| | | Та | ble I - Nor | -Deriv | vativ | ve Se | curiti | es A | ٩cqu | iired, | Dis | oosed of | , or Ber | nefic | ially | Owned | | | | | |
| Date | | | Date | Transaction ate lonth/Day/Year) | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year | | | Code (Instr. | | 4. Securiti Disposed 5) | es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | or and | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | Form (D) or | vnership n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| I | | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Pri | се | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (instr. 4) | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4,708 | | | | By 401(k) | |
| Class A G | Common St | ock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10, | 328 | | D | | |
| | | | Table II - I | | | | | | | | | osed of, onvertib | | | | wned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deeme Execution (Month/Day/Year) 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deeme Execution (Month/Day/Year) | | | ate, Transa Code (I | | | | tive ities red sed 3, 4 | Expi | ate Exercisable and iration Date nth/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | 9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4) | e Ov s Fo Illy Dit or g (I) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | c | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exer | cisable | | Expiration Date | Title | Amo or Num of Sha | - 1 | | | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option ⁽¹⁾ | \$19.375 | | | | | | | | | (2) | | 11/04/2018 | Class A Common Stock | 15 | 50 | | 150 | | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option ⁽³⁾ | \$15.6875 | | | | | | | | | (2) | | 11/09/2019 | Class A Common Stock | 20 | 00 | | 350 | | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option ⁽³⁾ | \$10.5625 | | | | | | | | | (2) | | 11/15/2020 | Class A Common Stock | 45 | 50 | | 800 | | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option ⁽³⁾ | \$20.45 | | | | | | | | | (2) | | 11/06/2021 | Class A Common Stock | 60 | 00 | | 1,400 |) | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option ⁽³⁾ | \$20.63 | | | | | | | | | (2) | | 11/07/2022 | Class A Common Stock | 1,0 | 000 | | 2,400 |) | D | | |
| Phantom Stock Units ⁽⁴⁾ | (4) | | | | | | | | 03/0 | 1/2017 ⁽⁴ |)(5) | (4)(5) | Class A Common Stock | 6,7 | '46 | | 6,746 | 5 | D | | |
| Phantom Stock Units ⁽⁶⁾ | (6) | 02/22/2018 | | | A | | 4,416 | | 03/0 | 1/2018 ⁽⁶ |)(7) | (6)(7) | Class A Common Stock | 4,4 | 16 | \$0 ⁽⁶⁾ | 4,416 | 5 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Options granted pursuant to the Company's 1992 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of the Company.

2. Fully exercisable.

3. Options granted pursuant to the Company's 1998 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of the Company.

4. Phantom Stock Units granted on February 23, 2017 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2011 Performance Phantom Stock Unit Plan (the "Phantom Stock Plan"). Each Phantom Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive the cash equivalent of one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting.

5. 1,687 Phantom Stock Units will be settled and payable each year on or about March 1, beginning March 1, 2017.

6. Phantom Stock Units granted on February 22, 2018 pursuant to the Phantom Stock Plan. Each Phantom Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive the cash equivalent of one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting.

7. 883 Phantom Stock Units will be settled and payable each year on or about March 1, beginning March 1, 2018.

Remarks:

<u>in-Fact</u>

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

 * 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).

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AUTHORIZATION TO SIGN SEC FORMS 3 AND 4 AND NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES (FORM 144)

The undersigned, as an officer and/or director of Albany International Corp., a Delaware corporation ("the Company"), hereby authorizes CHARLES J. SILVA, JR., JOSEPH M. GAUG AND KATHLEEN M. TYRRELL, and each of them with full power to act without the others, to sign and file, or cause to be filed, on behalf of the undersigned, any forms and other documents, including without limitation, Forms 3 and 4 or any other forms hereafter substitute therefor, required or permitted to be filed by the undersigned pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or rules or regulations promulgated thereunder, and Notice of Proposed Sale of Securities pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933.

The authorization of a person named above shall automatically terminate at such time as such person ceases to be an employee of the Company. The undersigned may terminate the authorization of any such person at any time by delivering written notice of termination to the Company.

Date July 24, 2006 /s/ Robert Alan Hansen