## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Halftermeyer Daniel A</u>            |  |            |  |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP /DE/ |   |  |   |                       |   |           |                               |  |                          | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner   |   |   |   |  |  |  |
|--|--|------------|--|--|--|---|--|---|-----------------------|---|-----------|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|
|  |  |            |  |  | A  | IN]   |  |   |                       |   |           |                               |  |                          | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. 216 AIRPORT DRIVE, UNIT 1 |  |            |  |  |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2011 |  |   |                       |   |           |                               |  |                          |   | President, PMC                                      |   |   |  |  |  |
| (Street) ROCHESTER NH 03867  |  |            |  |  | 4.   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)    |  |   |                       |   |           |                               |  |                          | 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)   |  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       |   |           |                               |  |                          |   | 1 013011  |   |   |  |  |  |
|  |  | Ta         | able I - Nor   | n-Deriv                                    | ati  | ve S  | ecu  | rities  | Acqu                  | ired,   | Dis       | posed o                       | f, or Be   | nefici                   | ally  | Owned   |   |   |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  |  |            |  | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  |   | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Dat<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Ye |   | oate,                 | Code (Instr.  |           |                               |  |                          |   |   | ly  | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) |  | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)  |  |
|  |  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | Code  | V         | Amount                        | (A) (<br>(D)   | Pric                     | e   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                  |   |   |  | ,  |  |
|  | Common St  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       |   |           |                               |  | _                        |   | 21,4  |   | D - (1)   |  |  |  |
|  |  |            |  |  |  |   | 1/2011   |   |                       | M   |           | 7,397                         | -  |                          | (1)   | 7,397 <sup>(1)</sup>                                |   |   |  |  |  |
| Class A (  | Lommon St  | 09/01      |  | e Securities Acqui                         |  |   | oguir  | D D   | ion                   | 7,397   |           |                               | 4.56   |                          |   | D <sup>(1)</sup>                                    |   |   |  |  |  |
|  |  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       |   |           | onverti                       |  |                          |   | wneu  |   |   |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                              | vative Conversion Date Execurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any |            | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Dai<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Yo | Date, Tra                                  |  | ansaction<br>ode (Instr.                                    |  | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |                       | 6. Date Exercisabl<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |           | e and                         | 7. Title and Amo<br>of Securities<br>Underlying Deri<br>Security (Instr. 3<br>4) |                          | tive  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transact (Instr. 4) | e<br>s<br>ally<br>g   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |  |            |  | Со   | Code   | v   | (A)  | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exerci        | isable  |           | xpiration<br>Date             | Title  | Amour<br>Numbe<br>Shares | er of 📗   |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(2)</sup>                                       | \$22.25  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | C         | 5/18/2015                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   | 1,50                     | 00  |   | 1,50  | 0   | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(2)</sup>                                       | \$22.25  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | C         | 5/14/2016                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   |                          | 00  |   | 3,500   |   | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(2)</sup>                                       | \$19.75  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | C         | 4/15/2017                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock 2,  |                          | 00  | 5,500   |   | 0   | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(4)</sup>                                       | \$19.375   |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | 1         | 1/04/2018                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock 2,  |                          | 00  |   | 8,000   |   | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(4)</sup>                                       | \$15.6875  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | 1         | 1/09/2019                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   | 4,00                     | 00  |   | 12,00   | 00  | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(4)</sup>                                       | \$10.5625  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | 1         | 1/15/2020                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   | 2,80                     | 00  |   | 14,80   | 00  | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(4)</sup>                                       | \$20.45  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   |                       | (3)   | 1         | 1/06/2021                     | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock   | 4,00                     | 00  |   | 18,80   | 00  | D  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option <sup>(4)</sup>                                       | \$20.63  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   | (3)                   | 1   | 1/07/2022 | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock 4, |  | 00                       |   | 22,80   |   | D   |  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units <sup>(5)</sup>                                      | (5)  | 09/01/2011 |  | N  | 1  |   | 7,397 03/01/   |   | ′2011 <sup>(5)(</sup> | 6)  | (5)(6)    | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock 22 |  | .3 <sup>(7)</sup>        | (5)   | 14,816 <sup>(7)</sup>                               |   | D   |  |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock  | (8)  |            |  |  |  |   |  |   | (                     | (8)(9)  |           | (8)(9)                        | Class A<br>Common  | 2,623                    | 3 <sup>(7)</sup>  |   | 2,623   | (7)   | D  |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. 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 footnote 5). No shares were actually issued to the reporting person, nor did the reporting person dispose of any shares.
- 2. Options granted pursuant to the Company's 1992 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of the Company.
- 3. Fully exercisable.

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

- 5. 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.
- 6. 6,750 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on March 1, 2011; 6,750 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on September 1, 2011; 6,750 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on March 1, 2012; and 6,750 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on September 1, 2012.
- 7. Includes dividend units accrued on Restricted Stock Units on July 8, 2011.
- 8. 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.
- 9. The reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2012, half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

## Remarks:

Kathleen M. Tyrrell, Attorneyin-Fact 09/01/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Da

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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The undersigned, as an officer and/or director of Albany International Corp., a Delaware corporation ("the Company"), hereby authorizes THOMAS H. HAGOORT, CHARLES J. SILVA, JR. 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.

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: February 11, 2005
/s/ Daniel A. Halftermeyer