FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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* <u>Joyce Michael Joseph</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP /DE/								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. 216 AIRPORT DRIVE, UNIT 1					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2012								X	Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, Applied Technologies				
(Street) ROCHESTER NH 03867					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	6. 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. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date				2. Transac Date	nsaction th/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		(A) or	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	S Ily Ollowing (I	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	on(s)		(Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Stock														3,7	'12	I	By 401(k)	
Class A Common Stock														14,	513	D		
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 01/0:				01/01/2	./2012				M		7,459.5	i A	(1)	7,459	9.5(1)	D ⁽¹⁾		
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 01/01					/2012				D		7,459.5	D	\$23.9	0		D ⁽¹⁾		
			Table II - I								osed of, o			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Code	, Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Date Exe piration onth/Day	Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	e V	(A)	(D)	Da: Ex	te ercisabl	e	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Restricted Stock Units ⁽²⁾	(2)	01/01/2012		М			7,459.5	03/	/01/2011	(2)(3)	(2)(3)	Class A Common Stock	14,919	(2)	0 ⁽⁴⁾	D		
Restricted Stock Units ⁽⁵⁾	(5)								(5)(6)		(5)(6)	Class A Common Stock	2,514		2,514	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 2). No shares were actually issued to the reporting person, nor did the reporting person dispose of any shares.
- 2. 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.
- 3. Pursuant to the Restricted Stock Unit Plan, 7459.5 RSUs vested upon the reporting person's departure from the Company.
- 4. In addition to the vesting of 7459.5 RSUs, reflects the forfeiture of 7459.5 RSUs pursuant to the Restricted Stock Unit Plan upon the reporting person's departure from the Company.
- 5. 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.
- 6. The remaining reported units will be settled and payable on our about March 1, 2012, half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock

Remarks:

Kathleen M. Tyrrell, Attorney-

01/03/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 March 1, 2007
/s/ Michael J. Joyce