

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*<br><u>Stone Christopher Eric</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP</u><br><u>325 CORPORATE DRIVE</u><br><br>(Street)<br><u>PORTSMOUTH NH 03801</u><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP /DE/ [</u><br><u>AIN ]</u><br>Foreign Trading Symbol<br><br>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><u>08/12/2026</u><br><br>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br><br>Director 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)<br><br><u>President AEC</u><br><br>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><br>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|                                     |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V | Amount                                                            | (A) or (D) | Price   |                                                                                               |                                                          |                                                       |
| Class A Common Stock                |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                   |            |         | 9,703                                                                                         | D                                                        |                                                       |
| Class A Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> | 08/12/2026                           |                                                    | M                              |   | 6,905 <sup>(1)</sup>                                              | A          | \$0     | 16,608                                                                                        | D                                                        |                                                       |
| Class A Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup> | 03/01/2026                           |                                                    | F                              |   | 1,975 <sup>(2)</sup>                                              | D          | \$63.84 | 14,633                                                                                        | D                                                        |                                                       |

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 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) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V | (A)                                                                                    | (D) | Date Exercisable                                         | Expiration Date | Title                                                                             | Amount or Number of Shares |                                            |                                                                                                    |                                                           |                                                        |
| Restricted Stock Units <sup>(3)</sup>      | (3)                                                    | 08/12/2026                           |                                                    | M                              |   | 6,905                                                                                  |     | 08/12/2026 <sup>(3)(4)</sup>                             | (3)(4)          | Class A Common Stock                                                              | 13,809                     | \$0                                        | 6,904                                                                                              | D                                                         |                                                        |
| Restricted Stock Units <sup>(5)</sup>      | (5)                                                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                                        |     | 03/01/2026 <sup>(5)(6)</sup>                             | (5)(6)          | Class A Common Stock                                                              | 3,867                      |                                            | 2,578                                                                                              | D                                                         |                                                        |
| Restricted Stock Units <sup>(7)</sup>      | (7)                                                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                                        |     | 03/01/2026 <sup>(7)(8)</sup>                             | (7)(8)          | Class A Common Stock                                                              | 2,301                      |                                            | 1,150                                                                                              | D                                                         |                                                        |
| Restricted Stock Units <sup>(9)</sup>      | (9)                                                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                                        |     | 03/01/2027 <sup>(9)(10)</sup>                            | (9)(10)         | Class A Common Stock                                                              | 5,521                      |                                            | 5,521                                                                                              | D                                                         |                                                        |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares distributed pursuant to vesting of Restricted Stock Units granted on August 12, 2024.
2. Shares withheld to satisfy the tax liability in connection with the transaction described in footnote 1 above.
3. Restricted Stock Units granted August 12, 2024 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2023 Plan. Each Restricted Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting.
4. 6905 Restricted Stock Units vest on August 12, 2025; 6905 Restricted Stock Units vest on August 12, 2026; and 6904 Restricted Stock Units vest on August 12, 2027.
5. Restricted Stock Units granted February 21, 2025 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2023 Plan. Each Restricted Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting.
6. 1289 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2026; 1289 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2027; and 1289 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2028.
7. Restricted Stock Units granted August 12, 2024 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2023 Plan. Each Restricted Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting.
8. 1151 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2025; 1151 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2026; and 1150 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2027.
9. Restricted Stock Units granted February 27, 2026 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2023 Plan. Each Restricted Stock Unit entitles the holder to receive one share of Class A Common Stock at the time of vesting.
10. 1841 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2027; 1840 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2028; and 1840 Restricted Stock Units vest on March 1, 2029.

Cynthia A. SantaBarbara,  
Attorney-in-Fact

08/13/2026

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

\* 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, 4 AND 5 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 JOSEPH M. GAUG, SARA STANKUS AND CYNTHIA SANTABARBARA, 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 (1) Forms 3, 4 and 5 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 (2) 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 August 12, 2024  
/s/ Chris Stone