UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) August 27, 2007 ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. _ _____ (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 0-16214 14-0462060 Delaware -----(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)(Commission
File Number)(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.) 12204 1373 Broadway, Albany, New York -----(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code (518) 445-2200 None (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.) Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions: Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 1 1 240.14a-12)

- |_| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- |_| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13a-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

A copy of a Company news release announcing a management change is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP.

By: /s/ Michael C. Nahl

Name: Michael C. Nahl Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

Date: August 27, 2007

Exhibit 99.1

ALBANY INTERNATIONAL ANNOUNCES MANAGEMENT CHANGE

Albany, New York, August 27, 2007 - Albany International Corp. (NYSE:AIN) today announced that the Company has been informed by John C. Standish of his intention to resign his position as Senior Vice President-Manufacturing, Americas Business Corridor, effective January 31, 2008, in order to focus on his duties as an Albany International Director and his new role as Chairman of the J.S. Standish Company. The J.S. Standish Company is a corporation which controls approximately 3.03% of the outstanding Class A Common Stock of Albany International, holds the power to elect all of the directors of the J.S. Standish Company. In addition to John Standish, current Albany International directors Christine L. Standish and Thomas R. Beecher, Jr. are also directors of the J.S. Standish Company.

 $\,$ Mr. Standish is announcing his intent well in advance of his departure date in order to ensure a seamless transition.

Albany International is the world's largest producer of custom-designed paper machine fabrics and process belts that are essential to the manufacture of paper and paperboard. In its family of businesses, Albany applies its core competencies in advanced textiles and materials to other industries. Founded in 1895, the Company is headquartered in Albany, New York, with plants strategically located to serve its global customers. Additional information about the Company and its businesses and products is available at www.albint.com.