SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Form 10-K/A (x)ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT 0F 1934 For the fiscal year ended: December 31, 1997 0R () TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 or 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the transition period from ______ to ____ Commission file number: 0-16214 ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) Delaware 14-0462060 - - - - - - - - - -(State or other jurisdiction of (IRS Employer incorporation or organization) Identification No.) 1373 Broadway, Albany, New York 12204 - - - - -(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code 518-445-2200 --- --- ----Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: Title of each class Name of each exchange on which registered Class A Common Stock (\$0.001 par value) New York Stock Exchange and -----Pacific Stock Exchange Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None (Title of Class) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports,) and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes X No $_$ Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K.[] The aggregate market value of Class A Common Stock held on February 9, 1998 by non-affiliates of the registrant was \$557,192,783. The registrant had 24,280,216 shares of Class A Common Stock and 5,615,563 shares of Class B Common Stock outstanding as of February 9, 1998. DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE PART Registrant's Annual Report to Shareholders for the year ended December 31, 1997. II Registrant's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held on May 12, 1998. TTT Exhibit No. Exhibit Index - -------27 Financial Data Schedule (Restated as of December 31, 1995) 27 Financial Data Schedule (Restated as of March 31, 1996)

Financial Data Schedule (Restated as of June 30, 1996)

Financial Data Schedule (Restated as of September 30, 1996)

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized on the 31st day of March, 1998.

ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP.

by /s/Michael C. Nahl Michael C. Nahl Principal Financial Officer Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer 5 THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP'S CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1995 AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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12-MOS DEC-31-1995 DEC-31-1995 7,609 0 175,425 5,010 167,088 364,207 625,119 282,969 802,232 126,945 245,265 0 0 31 304,911 802,232 652,645 652,645 379,696 562,855 (1,024) 963 20,009 69,842 27,208 43,011 0 0 0 43,011 1.42 1.35

5 THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP'S CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF AND FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1996 AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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                   307,752
810,807
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5 THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP'S CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF AND FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1996 AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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6-M0S DEC-31-1996 JUN-30-1996 6,561 0 181,240 5,242 177,954 379,104 637,080 295,288 820,396 150,585 222,647 0 0 31 316,192 820,396 340,148 340,148 197,382 295,722 (28) 232 8,515 35,707 13,928 21,666 0 (1,296) 0 20,370 0.67 0.67

5 THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP'S CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF AND FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1996 AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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9-MOS DEC-31-1996 SEP-30-1996 9,166 0 176,177 5,351 179,132 378,275 642,973 303,621 818,950 183,147 185,852 0 0 31 325,221 818,950 509,969 509,969 295,150 440,961 574 341 12,221 55,872 21,792 34,192 0 (1,296) 0 32,896 1.08 1.08

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12-MOS DEC-31-1996 DEC-31-1996 8,034 0 184,478 4,962 180,198 384,627 641,695 302,234 831,917 176,746 187,100 0 0 31 332,299 831,917 692,760 692,760 399,311 594,939 12 1,036 15,833 80,940 31,570 49,602 0 (1,296) 0 48,306 1.59 1.58

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3-M0S DEC-31-1997 MAR-31-1997 7,028 0 176,295 4,271 182,472 378,679 625,995 298,674 814,714 139,660 211,959 0 0 31 326,904 814,714 171,820 171,820 100,005 150,189 583 (691) 3,888 17,851 6,961 10,883 0 0 0 10,883 0.36 0.35

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6-M0S DEC-31-1997 JUN-30-1997 10,875 0 179,881 4,211 181,948 384,661 624,501 300,179 819,622 148,468 193,954 0 0 31 332,824 819,622 353,724 353,724 203,223 305,960 1,024 (751) 7,725 39,766 15,508 24,354 0 0 0 24,354 0.80 0.78

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9-MOS DEC-31-1997 SEP-30-1997 22,471 0 173,471 4,777 182,153 391,119 629,243 305,772 829,808 162,107 188,621 0 0 31 342,508 829,808 525,454 525,454 301,038 453,062 2,696 (185) 11,570 58,311 22,740 35,778 0 0 0 35,778 1.17 1.14