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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ALBANY INTERNATIONAL
 CORP /DE/ [AIN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/01/2006

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 Group Vice President

C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL
 CORP., P.O. BOX 1907
 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ALBANY, NY 12201-1907

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	03/01/2006		M	1,009	A	<u>(1)</u>	1,009 <u>(1)</u>	D <u>(1)</u>
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	03/01/2006		D	1,009	D	\$ 36.43	0	D <u>(1)</u>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 18.625					<u>(3)</u>	05/14/2012	Class A Common Stock	1,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 16.25					<u>(3)</u>	05/28/2013	Class A Common Stock	1,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 18.75					<u>(3)</u>	05/11/2014	Class A Common Stock	1,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 22.25					<u>(3)</u>	05/18/2015	Class A Common Stock	1,500
Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 22.25					<u>(3)</u>	05/14/2016	Class A Common Stock	2,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 19.75					<u>(3)</u>	04/15/2017	Class A Common Stock	2,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 19.375					<u>(3)</u>	11/04/2018	Class A Common Stock	2,500
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 15.6875					<u>(3)</u>	11/09/2019	Class A Common Stock	4,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 10.5625					11/15/2001 ⁽³⁾	11/15/2020	Class A Common Stock	2,800
Employee Stock	\$ 20.45					11/06/2002 ⁽⁵⁾	11/06/2021	Class A Common	4,000

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(10) Restricted Stock Units granted 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 vesting schedule.

(11) (a) 25% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2006, (b) 50% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2007, and (c) the final 25% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2008. The 2006 payment will be all in cash, while each of the 2007 and 2008 payments will be half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

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