

ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP /DE/
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MORONE JOSEPH G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP., P.O. BOX 1907

(Street)

ALBANY, NY 12201-1907

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP /DE/ [AIN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

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

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) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | 2,671 | D ⁽¹⁾ | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | 544 | I | By ESOP |
| Class A Common Stock ⁽²⁾ | 03/01/2007 | | M | 3,844 A ⁽²⁾ | 3,844 ⁽²⁾ | D ⁽²⁾ | |
| Class A Common Stock | 03/01/2007 | | D | 3,844 D \$ | 0 | D ⁽²⁾ | |

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Owned jointly with spouse.

Deemed acquisition and disposition to the issuer of shares underlying previously granted Restricted Stock Units upon settlement in cash of such Units (see footnotes 5 and 6). No shares were actually issued to the reporting person, nor did the reporting person dispose of any shares.

(3) 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.

(4) 6,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on each August 1, beginning August 1, 2006.

(5) Restricted Stock Units granted on February 16, 2007 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) Reflects settlement in cash of 25% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) on March 1, 2007. 50% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2008, and the final 25% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2009. Each of the 2008 and 2009 payments will be half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

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