

POLT DIETER

Form 4

November 12, 2004

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
POLT DIETER

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/11/2004

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

(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
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option ⁽¹⁾	\$ 20.45						11/06/2002 ⁽²⁾	11/06/2021	Class A Common	5,000
Employee Stock Option ⁽¹⁾	\$ 20.63						11/07/2003 ⁽³⁾	11/07/2022	Class A Common	5,000
Restricted Stock Units ⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾						⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾	Class A Common Stock	3,734 ⁽⁶⁾
Restricted Stock Units ⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	11/11/2004	A		3,700		⁽⁴⁾⁽⁷⁾	⁽⁴⁾⁽⁷⁾	Class A Common Stock	3,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POLT DIETER C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. P.O. BOX 1907 ALBANY, NY 12201-1907			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Kathleen M. Tyrrell,
Attorney-in-fact

 11/12/2004
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Option granted pursuant to Company's 1998 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of Company.
- (2) Become exercisable as to 1,000 shares on each November 6, beginning November 6, 2002.
- (3) Become exercisable as to 1,000 shares on each November 7, beginning November 7, 2003.
- (4) 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

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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.

- (5) 740 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on each November 13, beginning November 13, 2004.
- (6) Includes dividend units accrued on Restricted Stock Units on January 5, 2004, April 5, 2004, July 6, 2004 and October 5, 2004.
- (7) 740 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on each November 11, beginning November 11, 2005.

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