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(Print or Type R	esponses)									
1. Name and Ad NAHL MIC	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ALBANY INTERNATIONAL				5. Relationship o Issuer	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
				DE/[AIN]		NAL	(Che	ck all applicabl	e)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				Director X Officer (giv below)	Officer (give title Other (specify		
C/O ALBAN CORP., P.O.	IY INTERNAT BOX 1907	IONAL	02/27/20	09			Executive	Vice President	& CFO	
	(Street)	et) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)	11 /			
ALBANY, N						_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecurities	Acquired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Pr	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Class A										
Common Stock							3,121	Ι	by ESOP	

Class A Common Stock

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Securit Acquir	tive ies ed (A) oosed of	6. Date Exercisable a Date (Month/Day/Year)	nd Expiration	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Seci
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N Sł
Class B Common Stock	<u>(1)</u>						<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Class A Common	
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 15						(3)	02/09/2013	Class A Common	
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 16.25						(3)	05/28/2013	Class A Common	
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 18.75						(3)	05/11/2014	Class A Common	2
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 22.25						(3)	05/18/2015	Class A Common	4
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 22.25						(3)	05/14/2016	Class A Common	4
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 19.75						(3)	04/15/2017	Class A Common	2
Employee Stock Option (4)	\$ 25.5625						(5)	11/05/2017	Class A Common	2
Restricted Stock Units <u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>						11/11/2005(6)(7)	(6)(7)	Class A Common Stock	1
Restricted Stock Units <u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>						(9)(10)	(9)(10)	Class A Common Stock	1
	<u>(11)</u>						(11)(12)	(11)(12)		7

Restricted Stock Units (11)							Class A Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units <u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>				03/01/2011(6)(13)	(6)(13)	Class A Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units <u>(14)</u>	<u>(14)</u>	02/27/2009	А	12,625 (8)	(14)(15)	(14)(15)	Class A Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
NAHL MICHAEL C C/O ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. P.O. BOX 1907 ALBANY, NY 12201-1907			Executive Vice President & CFO			
Signatures						

Kathleen M. Tyrrell,	
Attorney-in-Fact	02/27/2009
**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)Convertible, on a share-for-share basis, into Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Option granted pursuant to Company's 1992 Stock Option Plan as incentive to remain in employ of Company.
- Fully exercisable. (3)
- (4) Option granted in an exempt transaction as incentive to remain in employ of Company.

The option is not exercisable unless the market price of Class A Common Stock reaches \$48 per share while the optionee is employed by the Company or a subsidiary. When the target price is achieved, the option becomes exercisable as to a number of shares determined by multiplying 25,000 times the number of full years that have elapsed since the grant date. Thereafter, the option becomes exercisable

as to an additional 25,000 shares on each anniversary of the grant date while the optionee remains an employee. In the event of (5) termination of the optionee's employment, the option terminates as to all shares as to which it is not then exercisable, except that, in the case of voluntary termination after age 62, death, disability or involuntary termination, if the target price has been achieved prior to such termination, the option becomes exercisable, immediately prior to such termination, as to one-half of the shares as to which it is not then exercisable.

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

- (6) 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.
- 1,500 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on each November 11, beginning November 11, 2005. (7)
- (8) Includes dividend units accrued on Restricted Stock Units on January 8, 2009.
- Restricted Stock Units granted on February 16, 2007 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2005 Incentive Plan (the "Incentive (9) 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.

(10) The remaining reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2009, half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

Restricted Stock Units granted on February 15, 2008 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2005 Incentive Plan (the "Incentive

(11) 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.

Two-thirds of the remaining reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2009, and the(12) remaining balance of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on our about March 1, 2010. Each of the 2009 and 2010 payments will be half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

8,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on March 1, 2011; 8,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on September 1, 2011; 8,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on March 1, 2012; and 8,000 Restricted Stock Units (plus related dividend units) vest on September 1, 2012.

Restricted Stock Units granted on February 27, 2009 pursuant to the Albany International Corp. 2005 Incentive Plan (the "Incentive
(14) 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.

25% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2009, (b) 50% of the reported

(15) units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on or about March 1, 2010, and (c) the final 25% of the reported units (plus related dividend units) will be settled and payable on our about March 1, 2011. The 2009 payment will be all in cash, while each of the 2010 and 2011 payments will be half in cash, half in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

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