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Form 8-K February 21, 2008

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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) February 15, 2008 ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 0-16214 14-0462060 Delaware ______ (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.) 1373 Broadway, Albany, New York (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code (518) 445-2200 (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.) Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the

simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- |_| Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- |_| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- |_| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13a-4(c))

Item 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

On February 15, 2008, the Registrant's Board of Directors approved amendments to the Registrant's Directors' Annual Retainer Plan. A copy of the amended Plan is being filed as an exhibit.

Item 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (a) Not Applicable.
- (b) Not Applicable.

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- (c) Not Applicable.
- (d) Exhibit: Directors' Annual Retainer Plan.

Signature

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ALBANY INTERNATIONAL CORP.

By: /s/ Michael C. Nahl

Name: Michael C. Nahl

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 20, 2008

Index to Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description of Document

10(o)(v) Directors' Annual Retainer Plan