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COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC
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June 11, 2002

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-K/A-1

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 - For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001

Commission file number 1-13905

COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

57-0981653

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700, Dallas, Texas

75240 - 2697

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(972) 233-1700

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Name of each exchange on which registered
Class A common stock (\$.01 par value per share)	New York Stock Exchange

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

None.

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of Registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K.

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes X No

As of March 1, 2002, 5,103,280, shares of Class A common stock were outstanding. The aggregate market value of the 4.7 million shares of voting stock held by nonaffiliates of Valhi, Inc. as of such date approximated \$62.0 million.

Documents incorporated by reference

The information required by Part III is incorporated by reference from the Registrant's definitive proxy statement to be filed with the Commission pursuant to Regulation 14A not later than 120 days after the end of the fiscal year

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covered by this report.

The undersigned Registrant hereby amends the following items, financial statements, exhibits or other portions of its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001 as set forth below and in the pages attached hereto:

Item 14. EXHIBITS, FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES, AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K.

Exhibit No. 99.1, Annual Report of the CompX Contributory Retirement Plan (Form 11-K) for the year ended December 31, 2001 (filed as an amendment to the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001).

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this amendment to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.

(Registrant)

Dated: June 11, 2002

By: /s/ Stuart M. Bitting

Stuart M. Bitting
Vice President, Treasurer and
Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit 99.1

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FORM 11-K

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 - For the
fiscal year ended December 31, 2001

Commission file number 1-13905

A. Full title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from that of the issuer named below:

COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN
5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700
Dallas, Texas 75240-2697

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office:

COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.
5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700
Dallas, Texas 75240-2697

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1934, the Administrator has duly caused this Annual Report to be signed by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN

By: ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN

By: /s/ Darryl R. Halbert

Darryl R. Halbert
Committee Member

June 11, 2002

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES

December 31, 2001

with

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN

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Report of Independent Accountants

To the Administrative Committee of
CompX Contributory Retirement Plan

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In our opinion, the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of CompX Contributory Retirement Plan (the "Plan") at December 31, 2000 and 2001 and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2001 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management; our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these statements in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America which require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedules of Schedule of Nonexempt Transactions and Schedule of Assets Held for Investment Purposes are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. These supplemental schedules are the responsibility of the Plan's management. The supplemental schedules have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Dallas, Texas
May 30, 2002

COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
December 31, 2000 and 2001

	2000 ----	2001 ----
Assets:		
Investments at fair value	\$13,754,694	\$13,681,452
Contributions receivable:		
Employer	666,730	451,572

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Participant	41,469	--
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Net assets available for benefits	\$14,462,893	\$14,133,024
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COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

Year ended December 31, 2001

Additions:

Investment income -

interest and dividends \$ 503,017

Contributions:

Employer 550,261

Participants 1,097,236

1,647,497

Total additions 2,150,514

Deductions:

Net depreciation in fair value of investments 2,525,578

Benefits to participants 1,327,736

Administrative expenses 1,375

Total deductions 3,854,689

Net decrease in net assets available for benefits (1,704,175)

Transfers from:

Thomas Regout USA Inc. Salary Deferral Plan 1,172,991

Chicago Lock Company Employee 401(K) Retirement Plan 155,196

Chicago Lock Company SEIU Local 1 401(K) Retirement Plan 46,119

Net assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year 14,462,893

End of year	\$ 14,133,024 =====
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COMPX CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1 - Description of Plan and significant accounting policies:

General. The following description of the CompX Contributory Retirement Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

The Plan is a defined contribution plan which covers eligible salaried and hourly U.S. employees of CompX International Inc. and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Employer"). Employees are eligible to participate in the Plan as of the first entry date, as defined, concurrent with or next following the completion of one year of employment and attaining 20 years of age. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA").

The Employer is a 69%-owned subsidiary of Valhi, Inc. Valhi is a 94%-owned subsidiary of Contran Corporation. Substantially all of Contran's outstanding voting stock is held by trusts established for the benefit of certain children and grandchildren of Harold C. Simmons, of which Mr. Simmons is sole trustee. Mr. Simmons, the Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of each of Contran and Valhi, may be deemed to control each of such companies and the Employer.

Effective October 1, 2001, the Thomas Regout USA Inc. Salary Deferral Plan was merged into the Plan and all of the assets of such plan were transferred to the Plan.

In September 2001, the undistributed assets from Chicago Lock Company SEIU Local 1 401(K) Retirement Plan and Chicago Lock Company Employee 401(K) Retirement Plan (collectively, the "Chicago Plans") were transferred into the Plan. The Chicago Plans were terminated effective December 31, 2000, and any assets that could not be distributed to individual participants were transferred to the Plan.

Contributions. The Plan permits participants to defer 1% to 15% of their pre-tax annual compensation as contributions, not to exceed a deferral of \$10,500 in 2001 (subject to adjustment in future years), through payroll deductions. The Employer's contribution is based upon a profit-sharing formula and the Employer's profit, as defined, during the Plan year. The Employer's contribution is allocated to participants' accounts on a percentage or matching basis relative to the participants' contributions for the year. The Employer's contribution is reduced, as provided by the Plan, by nonvested amounts forfeited by participants who withdraw from the Plan. At December 31, 2000 and 2001, unallocated forfeited nonvested accounts were \$18,627 and \$21,274 respectively. For the years ended December 31, 2000 and 2001, \$20,615 and nil of forfeitures

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were used to reduce employer contributions, respectively.

Vesting and benefits. Salary deferrals (including earnings thereon) are immediately vested while Employer contributions (including earnings thereon) vest at the rate of 20% per year of service, as defined.

Upon termination of employment, retirement, death or disability, a participant (or beneficiary, if applicable) may elect to receive either (i) a lump sum amount equal to the vested value of the participant's accounts or (ii) installments over a period of not more than 30 years. With the consent of the Plan administrators, participants can borrow amounts from their vested account balances, subject to certain limitations under the Plan.

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Participants' accounts. Participants can direct the Plan administrator to invest, in 1% increments, their account balance in publicly-traded registered investment companies or pooled funds administered by Putnam Investments or in CompX International Inc. common stock. Below are the investment fund options available to participants at December 31, 2001:

Putnam Voyager Fund - Seeks capital appreciation. Invests primarily in common stocks.

Putnam Vista Fund - Seeks capital appreciation. Invests primarily in common stocks.

Putnam OTC and Emerging Growth Fund - Seeks capital appreciation. Invests primarily in common stocks of small- to medium-sized "emerging growth" companies traded in the over-the-counter ("OTC") market.

The George Putnam Fund of Boston - Seeks to provide a balanced investment which will produce both capital growth and current income. Invests in a diversified group of stocks and bonds.

PIMCO Total Return Fund - Seeks maximum current income and price appreciation. Invests in intermediate - maturity fixed-income securities from all major sectors of the bond market.

UAM ICM Small Company Portfolio Fund - Seeks maximum, long-term total return. Invests in common stocks of smaller to midsize companies.

Putnam Stable Value Fund - This pooled fund seeks stable principal and relatively high current income. Invests primarily in high-quality fixed-income investments.

Putnam Asset Allocation Fund - Growth Portfolio - Seeks capital appreciation. Invests in both stocks and bonds.

Putnam Asset Allocation Fund - Balanced Portfolio - Seeks total return. Invests in both stocks and bonds.

Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund - Seeks to mirror the performance and composition of Standard & Poor's 500 Composite Index.

Equity Income Fund - Seeks to provide current income by investing primarily in Diversified Portfolio of income producing equity securities.

Putnam International Growth Fund - Seeks capital appreciation. Invests in growth and value stocks outside of the United States.

Putnam Asset Allocation Fund - Conservative Portfolio - Seeks total return

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with preservation of capital. Invests in both stocks and bonds.

Company Stock Fund - Invests in CompX International Inc. class A common stock.

The above fund descriptions provide only general information. Participants should refer to the Prospectus of each fund for a more complete description.

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and an allocation of the Employer's contribution and Plan earnings, and charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant earnings, matching or account balances, as defined in the Plan.

In addition to the Putnam Funds, a "Loan Fund" is maintained to account for loans to participants, as permitted by the Plan. These loans, which are secured by the balance in the participant's account, bear interest at rates ranging from 5.75% to 10.5% and mature through 2016.

Plan termination. The Employer has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan, in compliance with the provisions of ERISA. In the event the Plan is terminated, the accounts of all participants will become fully vested.

Basis of accounting. The financial statements of the Plan are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Valuation of investments is more fully described in Note 2.

Management estimates. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results may, in some instances, differ from previously estimated amounts.

Risks and uncertainties. The Plan provides for various investment options in a variety of stocks, bonds, fixed income securities, mutual funds, and other investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the Plan's statement of net assets available for benefits.

Expenses of administering the Plan. The Plan provides that the Employer will generally reimburse the Plan for administrative expenses paid by the Plan. The Employer paid a significant portion of the 2001 administrative expenses.

Tax status. The Plan has been notified by the Internal Revenue Service that it is a qualified plan under Section 401(a) and Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code (the "Code"), and is therefore exempt from federal income taxes under provisions of Section 501(a) of the Code.

The Plan has been amended since it was notified of its exempt status by the Internal Revenue Service. Management believes the Plan currently is designed and operates in accordance with the applicable requirements of the Code and therefore remains exempt from federal income taxes under provisions of Section 501(a) of the Code. In February 2002, the Plan submitted the Plan's document to the Internal Revenue Service for approval.

Note 2 - Investments:

General. The assets of the Plan are held and the related investment

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transactions are executed by Putnam Fiduciary Trust Company as trustee (the "Trustee") of the CompX Master 401(k) Plan Trust (the "Trust"). The Trust invests in publicly-traded registered investment companies, pooled funds administered by Putnam Investments and CompX International Inc. class A common stock (see Note 1). The Plan's investments are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices and net appreciation (depreciation) for the year is reflected in the Plan's statement of changes in net assets available for plan benefits. The net appreciation (depreciation) consists of realized gains or losses and unrealized appreciation or depreciation on investments.

The following presents investments that represent 5 percent or more of the Plan's net assets at year end:

	December 31,	
	2000	2001
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Putnam Voyager Fund (class Y shares)	\$3,831,317	\$3,043,075
Putnam Stable Value Fund (pooled fund)	2,719,778	2,854,648
Putnam Vista Fund (class Y shares)	3,327,830	2,006,590
PIMCO Total Return Fund	--	1,113,511
The George Putnam Fund of Boston (class Y shares)	564,989	1,004,358
Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund (pooled fund)	401,758	978,530

Note 3 - Deposit of participant contributions:

ERISA requires employees to transfer participant elective deferrals to the Plan's trust account within a specified period of time. In 2001, the Employer did not transfer certain contributions within the time required by ERISA. However, all contributions have been transferred to the Plan's trust account, and as prescribed by the regulations, additional amounts have been contributed.

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SCHEDULE G, PART 3 - SCHEDULE OF NONEXEMPT TRANSACTIONS For the year ended December 31, 2001

Party	Relationship	Description of	Loan	Net Gain
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Involved	to Plan	Transaction	Amount	Transact
Thomas Regout USA Inc.	Sponsor deposit of contribution	Loan - late	\$7,124	\$517
Thomas Regout USA Inc.	Sponsor deposit of contribution	Loan - late	\$6,859	\$882

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SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS HELD FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES

December 31, 2001

	Fair value
*Putnam Voyager Fund - Class Y	\$ 3,043,075
*Putnam Stable Value Fund (Common/Collective Trust)	2,854,648
*Putnam Vista Fund - Class Y	2,006,590
*PIMCO Total Return Fund	1,113,511
*The George Putnam Fund of Boston - Class Y	1,004,358
*Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund (Common/Collective Trust)	978,530
*Putnam International Growth Fund - Class Y	505,559
*Putnam OTC and Emerging Growth Fund - Class Y	399,559
*UAM ICM Small Company Portfolio Fund	388,363
*Putnam Equity Income Fund - Class Y	365,469
*Putnam Asset Allocation Fund - Balanced Portfolio - Class Y	72,531
*Putnam Asset Allocation Fund - Growth Portfolio - Class Y	52,530
*Putnam Asset Allocation Fund - Conservative Portfolio - Class Y	44,014
*CompX International Inc. Class A common stock	208,654
*Loans to participants (with interest rates from 5.75% to 10.5%), mature through 2016	644,061

	\$13,681,452

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* party in interest

EXHIBIT 1

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (File No. 333-56163) of CompX International Inc. of our report dated May 30, 2002, relating to the financial statements and supplementary schedules of the CompX Contributory Retirement Plan, which appears in this Form 11-K.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Dallas, Texas
June 11, 2002