ALLIANCE ONE INTERNATIONAL, INC. Form SC TO-I/A October 14, 2015

## **UNITED STATES**

#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### SCHEDULE TO

(Amendment No. 1/Final Amendment)

Tender Offer Statement under Section 14(d)(1) or Section 13(e)(1)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Alliance One International, Inc.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

**Options to Purchase Common Stock, No Par Value** 

(Title of Class of Securities)

## 018772301

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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# SCHEDULE TO

This Amendment No. 1/Final Amendment ( Amendment No. 1 ) amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Alliance One International, Inc. (Alliance One or the Company), a Virginia corporation, on September 14, 2015 (the Original Schedule TO) relating to the offer (the offer) under which Alliance One s eligible employees were permitted to exchange some or all of their outstanding options with an exercise price equal to \$60.00 per share (which is the exercise price following adjustment for the one-for-ten reverse split of the Company s common stock effected after the close of business on June 26, 2015) (the *eligible options*), whether vested or unvested, for restricted stock units (the **RSUs**), except for employees in Canada who would receive new stock options with new vesting schedules and exercise prices (the *new options*), upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in: (i) the Offer to Exchange Certain Outstanding Options for Restricted Stock Units or New Options, dated September 14, 2015 (the Offer to Exchange ), filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(A) to the Original Schedule TO; (ii) the form of e-mail announcement of the exchange offer to eligible employees not residing in Canada or The People s Republic of China, dated September 14, 2015, filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(B) to the Original Schedule TO; (iii) the form of e-mail announcement of the exchange offer to eligible employees residing in The People s Republic of China, dated September 14, 2015, filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(C) to the Original Schedule TO; (iv) the form of e-mail announcement of the exchange offer to eligible employees residing in Canada, dated September 14, 2015, filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(D) to the Original Schedule TO; (v) the Election Form filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(E) to the Original Schedule TO; (vi) the form of Confirmation of Receipt of Election Form filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(F) to the Original Schedule TO; (vii) the form of reminder e-mail to eligible employees filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(G) to the Original Schedule TO; (viii) the Form of Restricted Stock Unit Agreement (Stock Settled), filed as Exhibit (d)(1) to the Original Schedule TO, (ix) the Form of Restricted Stock Unit Agreement (Cash Settled), filed as Exhibit (d)(2) to the Original Schedule TO, (x) the Form of Stock Option Agreement, filed as Exhibit (d)(3) to the Original Schedule TO and (xi) the Amended and Restated Alliance One International, Inc. 2007 Incentive Plan incorporated by reference as Exhibit (d)(4) to the Original Schedule TO.

Only those items amended are reported in this Amendment No. 1. Except as specifically provided herein, the information contained in the Original Schedule TO remains unchanged and this Amendment No. 1 does not modify any of the information previously reported on the Original Schedule TO.

This Amendment No. 1 is filed in satisfaction of the reporting requirements of Rule 13e-4(c)(4) promulgated under the under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

## Item 4. Terms of the Transaction.

The Offer to Exchange and Item 4(a) of the Original Schedule TO are hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

## (a) Material Terms.

The offer expired at 12:00 p.m. (Noon), New York City time, on October 13, 2015. A total of 31 eligible employees participated in the offer, none of whom reside in Canada. Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Offer to Exchange, the Company accepted for exchange all eligible options validly tendered, and not validly withdrawn, as of such expiration date, which in the aggregate totaled options to purchase 175,000 shares of the Company s common stock, representing approximately 97% of the eligible options subject to the offer. All eligible options accepted in the offer have been cancelled, and the Company granted a total of 29,219 RSUs and 0 new options in exchange therefor, pursuant to the terms of the Offer to Exchange.

# SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

#### ALLIANCE ONE INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Joel L. Thomas Name: Joel L. Thomas Title: Executive Vice President Chief Financial Officer

Dated: October 14, 2015

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