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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

[Rule 13d-101]

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED

PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS

THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 3)*

Titan International, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, No Par Value Per Share (Title of Class of Securities)

88830M102 (CUSIP Number)

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New York, New York 10036

(212) 326-2000

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

April 23, 2014 (Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (<u>Act</u>) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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- 1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
 - MHR INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERS III LP
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
 - (a) " (b) x
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

WC

- 5 CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e) $\ddot{}$
- 6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY 5,490,748

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY

EACH

0

REPORTING 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

PERSON

WITH 5,490,748

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

- 11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
 - 5,490,748
- 12 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) $\ ^{\circ}$
- 13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

10.2%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

PN

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- 1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
 - MHR INSTITUTIONAL ADVISORS III LLC
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
 - (a) " (b) x
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 - 10.2%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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- 1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
 - MHR FUND MANAGEMENT LLC
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
 - (a) " (b) x
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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- **6** CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY 6,167,100

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY

EACH

0

REPORTING 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

PERSON

WITH 6,167,100

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

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 - 6,167,100
- 12 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) $\ ^{\circ}$
- 13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

11.5%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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- 1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
 - MHR HOLDINGS LLC
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
 - (a) " (b) x
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
 - AF
- 5 CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e) "
- 6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY 6,167,100

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY

EACH

0

REPORTING 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

PERSON

WITH 6,167,100

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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 - 11.5%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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- 1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
 - MARK H. RACHESKY, M.D.
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
 - (a) " (b) x
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
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- 5 CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e) "
- **6** CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States of America

NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER

SHARES

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OWNED BY

EACH

0

REPORTING 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

PERSON

WITH 6,167,100

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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11.5%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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This statement on Schedule 13D (this <u>Statement</u>) amends and supplements, as Amendment No. 3, the Schedule 13D filed on January 21, 2014 (the <u>Initial Schedule 13D</u>), which was amended on February 20, 2014 by Amendment No. 1 to the Initial Schedule 13D (<u>Amendment No. 1</u>), and on February 27, 2014 by Amendment No. 2 to the Initial Schedule 13D (<u>Amendment No. 2</u> and, together with the Initial Schedule 13D and Amendment No. 1, the <u>Schedule 13D</u>), and relates to shares of common stock, no par value per share (the <u>Common Stock</u>), of Titan International, Inc. (the <u>Issuer</u>). Capitalized terms used in this Statement but not defined herein shall have the respective meanings given to such terms in Amendment No. 2.

Item 4. Purpose of the Transaction

Item 4 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph as the third paragraph of such Item:

On April 23, 2014, the Issuer notified Dr. Rachesky that it has appointed Dr. Rachesky to serve as a Class I director on the Issuer s board of directors, effective as of June 1, 2014. On that same day, Dr. Rachesky notified the Issuer that he has accepted such appointment and has agreed to serve on the Issuer s board of directors.

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: April 24, 2014 MHR INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERS III LP

By: MHR Institutional Advisors III LLC,

its General Partner

By: /s/ Janet Yeung Name: Janet Yeung

Title: Authorized Signatory

MHR INSTITUTIONAL ADVISORS III LLC

By: /s/ Janet Yeung Name: Janet Yeung

Title: Authorized Signatory

MHR FUND MANAGEMENT LLC

By: /s/ Janet Yeung Name: Janet Yeung

Title: Authorized Signatory

MHR HOLDINGS LLC

By: /s/ Janet Yeung Name: Janet Yeung

Title: Authorized Signatory

MARK H. RACHESKY, M.D.

By: /s/ Janet Yeung, Attorney in Fact