

THOMSON ROGER F
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
THOMSON ROGER F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC
[EAT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6820 LBJ FREEWAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/15/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, CAO, General Counsel

DALLAS, TX 75240

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2007 | | M | | 30,261 | A | \$ 21.6667 |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2007 | | S | | 30,261 | D | \$ 34.7298 |
| | | | | | 113,250 ⁽¹⁾ | D | |
| | | | | | 82,989 | D | |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Employee Stock Option Right-to-Buy | \$ 21.6667 ⁽²⁾ | 02/15/2007 | | M | 30,261 | 11/13/2005 ⁽³⁾ 11/13/2013 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| THOMSON ROGER F 6820 LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75240 | | | EVP, CAO, General Counsel | |

Signatures

Bryan D. McCrory, Attorney-in-Fact for Roger F. Thomson
02/16/2007

**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) On November 30, 2006, the common stock of Brinker International, Inc. split 3-for-2, resulting in this person's acquisition of 27,663 additional shares of common stock.

This option was previously reported as covering 46,500 shares at an exercise price of \$32.50 per share, but was adjusted to reflect a 3-for-2 stock split on November 30, 2006. All other options owned by this reporting person were similarly adjusted to reflect such stock split.

(3) Options vest in installments on or after the date shown

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