FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* THOMSON ROGER F					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC [EAT]									check a	onship of Reportir Il applicable) Director	10%	Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6820 LBJ FREEWAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/19/2005										Officer (give title below) EVP, Gen	belov eral Counsel	r (specify v)
(Street) DALLAS TX 75240 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne)	'			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)						nd S	. Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Following eported	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	т	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)		(111501.4)
Common Stock 0				07/19	/2005			S		1,671		D	\$40	.84	51,681	D		
	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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date irity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date, ny/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount mber	8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	tive derivative ty Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

Roger F. Thomson

07/21/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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