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 <sup>*</sup> <u>Davisson Valerie</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC [ EAT ]										all app	olicable) ctor	10	Person(s) to Issu 10% Ow	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6820 LBJ FREEWAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2008										belov	,		Other (specify below)  e Works	
(Street)  DALLAS  (City)			75240 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indiv ine) X					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				4 and S		ount of ities icially d Following	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		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111301.4)			
Common Stock 08/15/2						2008		A		10,500	)	A	\$20.65		38,921		D			
Common Stock 08/15/2						2008		F		2,778		D	\$20.65		36,143		D			
Common Stock 08/15/2						2008			F		2,381		D	\$20.65		33,762		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)				n Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	nip c E ) C ct (	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

Bryan D. McCrory, Attorneyin-Fact for Valerie L. Davisson

08/18/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

-Date

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