FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JOHNSON STARLETTE B 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		nent -	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC [EAT]						
(Last) (First) (Middle)	01/05/2000		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2000			
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)	_					Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Table I - Non	-Derivati	ve Securities Beneficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock			3,489	D					
			Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		s)				
() E	2. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	te	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			
Employee Stock Option Right-to-Buy	01/21/2001 ⁽¹⁾	01/21/2009	Common Stock	9,000	17.8333	D			
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	10/31/1999 ⁽¹⁾	10/31/2007	Common Stock	9,000	9.3333	D			
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	02/06/1999 ⁽¹⁾	02/06/2007	Common Stock	4,500	7.4167	D			
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	11/04/2001 ⁽¹⁾	11/04/2009	Common Stock	6,400	16.125	D			

Explanation of Responses:

Jay L. Tobin, Attorney-in-Fact for Starlette B. Johnson

06/09/2003

** 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 5 (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).

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^{1.} Options vest in installments on and after date shown.