SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO FORM S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

75-1914582

(State of incorporation)

(I.R.S. employer

identification number)

6820 LBJ Freeway Dallas, Texas 75240 972-980-9917

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area

code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

Russell G. Owens Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Brinker International, Inc. 6820 LBJ Freeway Dallas, Texas 75240 972-980-9917

(Name, address including zip code, and telephone number, including area

code, of agent for service)

Copies to:

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: Not applicable.

If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to a dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box. []

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box. []

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule $462\,(b)$ under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. []

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. []

If delivery of the prospectus is expected to be made pursuant to Rule 434, please check the following box. []

The registrant hereby withdraws the effectiveness of this registration statement. The registrant believes that all of the shares registered under this registration statement have been sold or, if shares remain unsold, such shares are eligible for resale under Rule 144 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant has duly caused this post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized in the City of Dallas and the State of Texas, on the 20th $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right)$ January, 1999.

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By:

Russell G. Owens, Executive Vice

Chief Financial

President and Chief Financial Officer

1933, as amended, this po Registration Statement has be	rements of the Securities Act of ost-effective amendment to this een signed below by the following dicated effective on the 20th day
Signature	Title
Ronald A. McDougall	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Russell G. Owens	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)
Norman E. Brinker	Chairman of the Board
Donald J. Carty	Director
Gerard V. Centioli	Director
Dan W. Cook, III	Director
J.M. Haggar, Jr.	_ Director
Frederick S. Humphries	_ Director
Ronald Kirk	_ Director
	Director

Jeffrey A. Marcus

			Director
James	Ε.	Oesterreicher	
			Director
Roger	т.	Staubach	