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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**Current Report**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 2, 2016**

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**BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State of  
Incorporation)

**1-10275**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**75-1914582**  
(IRS Employment  
Identification No.)

**6820 LBJ Freeway**  
**Dallas, Texas 75240**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code 972-980-9917**

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)).
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## **Section 7 - Regulation FD**

### **Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure**

At its February 2, 2016 meeting, the Board of Director's of the Brinker International, Inc. (the "Company") declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.32 per share on the common stock of the Company. The dividend will be payable on March 24, 2016 to shareholders of record as of March 4, 2016.

## **Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

### **Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

#### **(d) Exhibits.**

99.1 Press Release dated February 2, 2016.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Dated: February 2, 2016

By:           /s/ Wyman T. Roberts          

Wyman T. Roberts,  
Chief Executive Officer and  
President and President of Chili's Grill and Bar  
(Principal Executive Officer)

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**BRINKER INTERNATIONAL BOARD DECLARES COMMON DIVIDEND**

DALLAS, Feb. 2, 2016 -- The Board of Directors for Brinker International, Inc. (NYSE: EAT) declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.32 per share on the common stock of the company, representing a 14 percent increase over the prior year. The dividend will be payable March 24, 2016 to shareholders of record as of March 4, 2016.

Brinker International, Inc. is one of the world's leading casual dining restaurant companies. Founded in 1975 and based in Dallas, Texas, as of the fiscal first quarter ended Dec. 23, 2015, Brinker owned, operated or franchised 1,646 restaurants under the names Chili's® Grill & Bar (1,595 restaurants) and Maggiano's Little Italy® (51 restaurants).