BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC Form SC TO-I/A October 17, 2006

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Amendment No. 5

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SCHEDULE TO

Tender Offer Statement under Section 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Brinker International, Inc.

(Name of Subject Company (issuer))

Brinker International, Inc. (Offeror and Issuer)

(Names of Filing Persons (identifying status as offeror, issuer or other person)

Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

10964110

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

Roger F. Thomson Executive Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer, General Counsel and Secretary Brinker International, Inc. 6820 LBJ Freeway Dallas, Texas 75240 (972) 980-9917

(Name, address and telephone number of person authorized to receive notices and communications on behalf of filing person)

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Transaction Valuation* \$ 450,000,000 Amount of Filing Fee** \$48,150.00

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Amount Previously Paid: \$48,150.00 Filing Party: Brinker International, Inc.

Form or Registration No.: Schedule TO-I Date Filed: August 29.

2006

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INTRODUCTION

This Amendment No. 5 amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) on August 29, 2006, as amended and supplemented by Amendment No. 1 thereto filed with the Commission on September 26, 2006, Amendment No. 2 thereto filed with the Commission on September 28, 2006, Amendment No. 3 thereto filed with the Commission on September 29, 2006, and Amendment No. 4 thereto filed with the Commission on October 12, 2006 (the Schedule TO), by Brinker International, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company), relating to the offer by the Company to purchase for cash up to 11,250,000 shares of its common stock, \$0.10 par value per share, or such lesser number of shares as are properly tendered and not properly withdrawn, at a price per share not greater than \$40.00 nor less than \$35.25, net to the seller in cash, without interest, on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase, dated August 29, 2006, as amended and supplemented by the Supplement to the Offer to Purchase, dated September 27, 2006, and the related Amended Letter of Transmittal, which, together with any amendments or supplements from time to time thereto, collectively constitute the Offer. A copy of the Offer to Purchase, the Supplement to the Offer to Purchase and the related Amended Letter of Transmittal were previously filed with the Schedule TO as Exhibits (a)(1)(A), (a)(1)(K) and (a)(1)(L), respectively.

The information in the Offer, including all schedules and annexes thereto, which were previously filed with the Schedule TO, is hereby expressly incorporated by reference into this Amendment, except that such information is hereby amended and supplemented to the extent specifically provided herein.

Item 11. Additional Information.

Item 11 of the Schedule TO is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following:

On October 17, 2006, the Company issued a press release announcing the final results of the Offer, which expired at 12:00 midnight, Eastern time, on Wednesday, October 11, 2006. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(R) to this Schedule TO and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 12. Exhibits.

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Item 12 of the Schedule TO is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following exhibit, which is filed herewith:

(a)(1)(R) Press Release, dated October 17, 2006

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SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Amendment No. 5 is true, complete and correct.

Brinker International, Inc.

By: /s/ Roger F. Thomson

Name: Roger F. Thomson

Title:s Executive Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer,

General Counsel and Secretary

Date: October 17, 2006

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