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BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K February 14, 2007

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

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 14, 2007

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation)

1-10275 (Commission File Number) **74-1914582** (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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Section 5 Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On February 14, 2007, Brinker International, Inc. (the Registrant) announced that Mr. John Mims has been added to the Board of Directors of Registrant. As of this date, Mr. Mims has not been assigned to any of the Committees of the Board of Directors.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99 Press Release, dated February 14, 2007.

SIGNATURE

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

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Date: February 14, 2007 By: /s/ Douglas H. Brooks

Douglas H. Brooks, Chairman of the Board President and Chief Executive Officer

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