

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form 8-K  
July 01, 2010

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**UNITED STATES  
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): 07/01/2010**

**BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 1-10275**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

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

**6820 LBJ FREEWAY**  
DALLAS, TX 75240  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

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

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01. Other Events**

On July 1, 2010, Brinker International, Inc. ("Registrant") issued a Press Release announcing that Registrant and OTB Acquisition LLC, an affiliate of San Francisco-based Golden Gate Capital, closed the previously announced transaction for the sale of On The Border Mexican Grill & Cantina restaurant brand. A copy of this Press Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

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**SIGNATURES**

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: July 01, 2010

By: /s/ Douglas H. Brooks

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

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
EX-99.	OTB Press Release