#### **BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC**

Form 4

August 16, 2016

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DOYLE DAVID ROY |  |               | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC<br>[EAT] |   |   |        |                    | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to<br>Issuer  (Check all applicable)  |  |   |  |
|---|--|---------------|---|---|---|--------|--------------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) 6820 LBJ F   | (Last) (First) (Middle) 820 LBJ FREEWAY  |               |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2016 |   |        |                    |  | Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP Chief Information Officer |   |  |
|   | (Street) 4. If An Filed(M  |               |   |   | te Original                                 | 1      |                    | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person                  |  |   |  |
| DALLAS, TX 75240  |  |               |   |   |   |        |                    | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person   |  |   |  |
| (City)  | (State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |               |   |   |   |        |                    |  | ly Owned   |   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                      | 2. Transaction Dat<br>(Month/Day/Year)   | Execution any | med<br>on Date, if<br>Day/Year)   | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)                      | 4. Securit<br>on(A) or Dis<br>(Instr. 3, 4) | sposed | of (D)             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)                                     | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Common<br>Stock   | 08/15/2016   |               |   | M   | 11,000                                      | A      | \$<br>19.12        | 54,200   | D  |   |  |
| Common<br>Stock   | 08/15/2016   |               |   | S   | 15,187                                      | D      | \$<br>54.32<br>(1) | 39,013   | D  |   |  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Ame<br>Underlying Secu<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                      |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|--------------------|---|----------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                  | (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | An<br>or<br>No<br>of |
| Employee<br>Stock Option<br>Right-to-Buy            | \$ 19.12  | 08/15/2016                              |   | M                                       | 11,000  | 08/28/2009(2)  | 08/28/2016         | Common<br>Stock   | 1                    |

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**DOYLE DAVID ROY** 6820 LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75240

**SVP Chief Information Officer** 

### **Signatures**

Bryan D. McCrory, Attorney-in-Fact for David R. 08/16/2016 Doyle

> \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.23 to \$54.41, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Brinker International, any security holder of Brinker International or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold

- at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote (1) to this Form 4.
- (2) Options vest in installments on or after the date shown.

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