BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K July 01, 2010

# 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)

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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.

#### **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

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

# EXHIBIT INDEX

**Exhibit No.** Description

EX-99. OTB Press Release