MRKONIC GEORGE R JR

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MRKONIC GEORGE R JR	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC [EAT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BORDERS GROUP INC, 100 PHOENIX DRIVE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2013	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
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(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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ANN ARBOR, MI 48108

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/28/2013		M	6,000	A	\$ 22.173	19,654	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2013		M	6,000	A	\$ 23.267	25,654	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2013		M	7,500	A	\$ 25.66	33,154	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2013		S	19,500	D	\$ 33.7189	13,654	D	

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	tion of Derivative Expiration Securities (Month/Da		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Sec
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A O N O S
Non-Employee Stock Option Right-to-Buy	\$ 25.66	02/28/2013		M		7,500	01/04/2008(2)	01/04/2016	Common Stock	
Non-Employee Stock Option Right-to-Buy	\$ 23.2667	02/28/2013		M		6,000	01/03/2007(2)	01/03/2015	Common Stock	
Non-Employee Stock Option Right-to-Buy	\$ 22.1733	02/28/2013		M		6,000	01/12/2006(2)	01/12/2014	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Treporting O When I wante / I wante of	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MRKONIC GEORGE R JR							
C/O BORDERS GROUP INC	X						
100 PHOENIX DRIVE	Λ						
ANN ARBOR, MI 48108							

Signatures

Bryan D. McCrory, Attorney-in-fact for George R.

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** 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 sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.684 to \$33.760, 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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