BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K October 30, 2014

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): October 30, 2014

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation)

1-10275 (Commission File Number) 6820 LBJ Freeway 75-1914582 (IRS Employment Identification No.)

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 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Registrant was held on October 30, 2014. Matters voted upon by shareholders at that meeting were:

Proposal 1

Each of the management s nominees, was elected a director to hold office until the next Annual Meeting of Shareholders or until his or her successor is elected and qualified.

	Number of Shares Voted				
Name	For	Against	Withheld	Broker Non-Vote	
Joseph M. DePinto	57,288,760	26,888	151,406	4,075,834	
Harriet Edelman	57,021,247	242,613	203,194	4,075,834	
Michael A. George	57,046,906	214,801	205,347	4,075,834	
William T. Giles	57,047,125	213,922	206,007	4,075,834	
Gerardo I. Lopez	57,043,569	216,003	207,482	4,075,834	
Jon L. Luther	57,287,192	28,092	151,770	4,075,834	
George R. Mrkonic	56,882,670	248,506	335,878	4,075,834	
Rosendo G. Parra	57,290,156	26,822	150,076	4,075,834	
Wyman T. Roberts Proposal 2	57,290,711	28,540	147,803	4,075,834	

The proposal to ratify the appointment of KPMG LLP as Independent Auditors for Fiscal 2015 was approved. The results were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Vote
59,972,921	1,412,464	157,503	4,075,834
Proposal 3			

The proposal on executive compensation was approved. The results were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Vote
56,890,941	384,402	191,711	4,075,834

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Section 7 Regulation FD

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

In the Press Release, the Registrant announced that at the October 30, 2014 Board of Director s Meeting, the Board of Directors declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.28 per share on the common stock of the company. The dividend will be payable on December 26, 2014 to shareholders of record as of December 5, 2014.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release, dated October 30, 2014.

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.

Date: October 30, 2014

BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Wyman T. Roberts

Wyman T. Roberts, Chief Executive Officer and President and President of Chili s Grill & Bar