

APPLEBEES INTERNATIONAL INC
Form 4
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U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or
Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

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SACK                BURTON                M.
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      (Last)              (First)              (Middle)
Applebee's International, Inc.
4551 W. 107th Street, Suite 100
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                                (Street)

Overland Park        KS                66207
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      (City)              (State)              (Zip)

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

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Applebee's International, Inc. - APPB

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3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

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4. Statement for Month/Year

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5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

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N/A

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6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer

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(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

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 Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of,
 or Beneficially Owned
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (mm/dd/yy)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	
		Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)
Common Stock					
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Common Stock	8/17/01	S		2,500	D 29.9500
Common Stock	8/17/01	S		5,000	D 29.9000
Common Stock	8/20/01	S		5,000	D 30.6500
Common Stock					

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

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedures.