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October 3, 2011

WILL WOODS BAKER BOTTS LLP 2001 ROSS AVENUE SUITE 600 DALLAS, TX 75201-2980

Re: F-3451 BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC CHILI'S GRILL & BAR FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

Dear Mr. Woods:

The Annual Report has been reviewed and is in compliance with Minnesota Statute Chapter 80C and Minnesota Rules Chapter 2860.

This means that there continues to be an effective registration statement on file and that the franchisor may offer and sell the above-referenced franchise in Minnesota.

The franchisor is not required to escrow franchise fees, post a Franchise Surety Bond or defer receipt of franchise fees during this registration period.

As a reminder, the next annual report is due within 120 days after the franchisor's fiscal year end, which is June 30, 2011.

Sincerely,

MIKE ROTHMAN Commissioner

By:

Daniel Sexton Commerce Analyst Supervisor Registration Division (651) 296-4520

MR:DES:dlw



STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE REGISTRATION DIVISION (651) 296-6328

IN THE MATTER OF THE REGISTRATION OF: CHILI'S GRILL & BAR FRANCHISE AGREEMENT By BRINKER INTERNATIONAL INC

> ORDER AMENDING REGISTRATION

WHEREAS, an application to amend the registration and amendment fee have been filed,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the registration dated February 10, 1998, is amended as of the date set forth below.

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MIKE ROTHMAN Commissioner Department of Commerce 85.7th Place East, Suite 500 St Paul, MN 55101

Date: October 3, 2011

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UNIFORM FRANCHISE REGISTRATION APPLICATION

State: Minnesota

State of Minnesota Dopt. of Commerce SEP 3.0 2011

File No.: F-3451

Fee: \$300

401,013

APPLICATION FOR (check only one):

- INITIAL REGISTRATION OF AN OFFER AND SALE OF FRANCHISES
- X RENEWAL APPLICATION OR ANNUAL REPORT
- PRE-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT
- POST-EFFECTIVE MATERIAL AMENDMENT
- 1. Full legal name of Franchisor: Brinker International Payroll Company, L.P.
- 2. "Chili's®", "Chili's Southwest Grill & Bar®", Name of the franchise offering: "Chili's® Grill & Bar", "Chili's Hamburger Grill & Bar" and "Chili's Too®"
- 3. Franchisor's principal business address: 6820 LBJ Freeway Dallas, TX 75240
- Name and address of Franchisor's agent in this State authorized to receive service of 4. process:

Commissioner of Commerce Department of Commerce 85 Seventh Place East Suite 500 St. Paul, MN 55101

5. The states in which this application is or will be shortly on file (or in which Franchisor is exempt):

California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington, and Wisconsin.

6. Name, address, telephone and facsimile numbers, and e-mail address of person to whom communications regarding this application should be directed:

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