FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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			or occitor 30(ii) or the investment company Act or 1340						
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Sterrett Thomas V.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PAPA JOHNS INTERNATIONAL INC [PZZA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Persor (Check all applicable) Director	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner				
(Last) P. O. BOX 99900	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2013	X Officer (give title below) SVP, Internal	Other (specify below) tional				
(Street) LOUISVILLE (City)	KY (State)	40269 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing ((X Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than (ting Person				

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (li 8)		Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Securities Beneficially Owned or Indi		sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Securitie Beneficia Followin		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(msu. 4)
Common Stock	03/07/2013		М		2,000	A	\$18.43	8,679.9825	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2013		М		1,237	A	\$26.31	9,916.9825	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2013		S		1,720	D	\$59.52 ⁽¹⁾	8,196.9825	D	
Common Stock								285.3604	I	By 401(k) Plan

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)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Add or (D		5. Num Derivat Securit Acquir or Disp (D) (Ins and 5)	tive ties ed (A) loosed of	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Stock Options ⁽²⁾	\$26.31	03/07/2013		M			1,237	(3)	05/08/2013	Common Stock	1,237	\$0.0000	0.0000	D	
Stock Options ⁽²⁾	\$18.43	03/07/2013		M			2,000	12/31/2010	12/31/2013	Common Stock	2,000	\$0.0000	3,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received ranged from \$59.50 to \$59.54. The reporting person has provided to the issuer and will provide to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- 2. Option to purchase under Papa John's International, Inc. 2008 Omnibus Incentive Plan
- 3. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning one year from the grant date of May 8, 2008.

<u>Debra A. Breeden, by power of attorney</u>

03/07/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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