PAPA JOHNS INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K December 09, 2005

UNITED STATES

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):

December 8, 2005

Commission File Number: 0-21660

PAPA JOHN S INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 61-1203323 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2002 Papa Johns Boulevard

Louisville, Kentucky 40299-2334

(Address of principal executive offices)

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(502) 261-7272

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 8 Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 8, 2005, Papa John s International, Inc. announced its 2006 growth plans and earnings guidance. The company also announced a two-for-one stock split and a \$25 million increase in share repurchase authorization. In addition, certain of the company s directors and executive officers, including Executive Chairman John H. Schnatter, have adopted or extended previously adopted pre-arranged trading plans under Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 10b5-1 in order to sell shares, or exercise stock options and sell the underlying shares, at predetermined price thresholds.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit Number

Description

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99.1 Papa John s International, Inc. press release dated December 8, 2005.

SIGNATURES

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

PAPA JOHN S INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: December 8, 2005

/s/ J. David Flanery J. David Flanery Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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