

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

Section 2 – Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On July 31, 2012, Papa John’s International, Inc. issued a press release discussing second quarter results.

Section 8 – Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On July 31, 2012, the Company announced that its Board of Directors has approved an increase of \$50 million in the amount of the company’s common stock that may be repurchased by the company from time to time through June 30, 2013.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Papa John’s International, Inc. press release dated July 31, 2012.

SIGNATURES

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: July 31, 2012 /s/ Lance F. Tucker

Lance F. Tucker

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,
Chief Administrative Officer and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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