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April 23, 2003

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): April 22, 2003  
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OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE, INC.  
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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-15935	59-3061413
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

2202 North West Shore Boulevard, 5th Floor Tampa, Florida	33607
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(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (813) 282-1225  
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Not applicable.  
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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

ITEM 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

The following information is being furnished pursuant to Item 9 - Regulation FD Disclosure and Item 12 - Results of Operations, pursuant to SEC Release No. 33-8216.

On April 22, 2003, Outback Steakhouse, Inc. issued a press release reporting its financial results for its first quarter of fiscal year 2003, which ended March 31, 2003. A copy of the release is attached as Exhibit 99.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the

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registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE, INC.  
(Registrant)

DATED: April 23, 2003. By: /s/ Robert S. Merritt

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Robert S. Merritt  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

### EXHIBIT INDEX

EXHIBIT  
NUMBER DESCRIPTION

99.1 Press release dated April 22, 2003.