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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) May 21, 2015

WESTAR ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Kansas 1-3523 48-0290150

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

818 South Kansas Avenue, Topeka, Kansas
(Address of principal executive offices)
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (785) 575-6300

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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## WESTAR ENERGY, INC.

Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

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We held our 2015 Annual Meeting of Shareholders on May 21, 2015 in Topeka, Kansas. Results for items presented for voting are listed below.

Item 1 on the Proxy Card. Our shareholders elected three Class I directors for a three-year term, with the following vote:

	Number of Votes		
	For	Withheld	Broker Non-Votes
Charles Q. Chandler IV	86,540,093	1,750,911	25,483,599
R.A. Edwards III	86,844,349	1,446,655	25,483,599
Sandra A.J. Lawrence	87,198,842	1,092,162	25,483,599

Item 2 on the Proxy Card. In an advisory "say on pay" vote, our shareholders approved the compensation of our named executive officers, with the following vote:

## Number of Votes

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
84,105,002	3,351,589	834,413	25,483,599

Item 3 on the Proxy Card. Our shareholders voted for the ratification and confirmation of the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for 2015, with the following vote:

### Number of Votes

For	Against	Abstain	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
112,233,371	962,060	579,172	0

## **SIGNATURE**

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 hereunto duly authorized.

#### WESTAR ENERGY, INC.

Date: May 26, 2015

By: /s/ Larry D. Irick

Name: Larry D. Irick

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate

Secretary