

ANALOG DEVICES INC
Form 8-K
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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): March 8, 2017

Analog Devices, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

1-7819
(Commission

File Number)

04-2348234
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

One Technology Way, Norwood, MA
(Address of principal executive offices)

02062
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (781) 329-4700

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

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

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

At the 2017 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Analog Devices, Inc. (the Company), held on March 8, 2017, the proposals listed below were submitted to a vote of our shareholders. The proposals are described in our definitive proxy statement for the Annual Meeting.

Proposal 1 The election of nine nominees to our Board of Directors each for a term expiring at the next annual meeting of shareholders.

The nine nominees named in the definitive proxy statement were elected to serve as directors until our 2018 annual meeting of shareholders. Information as to the vote on each director standing for election is provided below:

| Nominee | Votes For | Votes Against | Votes Abstaining | Broker Non-Votes |
|----------------------|-------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|
| Ray Stata | 259,197,846 | 2,201,953 | 71,872 | 21,183,508 |
| Vincent Roche | 260,535,669 | 862,919 | 73,083 | 21,183,508 |
| James A. Champy | 257,504,489 | 3,883,746 | 83,436 | 21,183,508 |
| Bruce R. Evans | 259,069,410 | 2,250,558 | 151,703 | 21,183,508 |
| Edward H. Frank | 259,888,212 | 1,429,839 | 153,620 | 21,183,508 |
| Mark M. Little | 259,141,100 | 2,174,216 | 156,355 | 21,183,508 |
| Neil Novich | 260,425,134 | 896,439 | 150,098 | 21,183,508 |
| Kenton J. Sicchitano | 256,772,520 | 4,598,207 | 100,944 | 21,183,508 |
| Lisa T. Su | 260,864,982 | 530,650 | 76,039 | 21,183,508 |

Proposal 2 The approval of the compensation of our named executive officers, as described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis, executive compensation tables and accompanying narrative disclosure in our proxy statement.

The shareholders approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of our named executive officers. The voting results were as follows:

| Votes For | Votes Against | Votes Abstaining | Broker Non-Votes |
|-------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|
| 252,573,269 | 5,451,973 | 3,446,429 | 21,183,508 |

Proposal 3 The determination of the frequency of future advisory votes on the compensation of our named executive officers.

The voting results were as follows:

| One Year | Two Years | Three Years | Votes Abstaining |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| 237,910,233 | 412,980 | 20,164,140 | 2,984,318 |

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Based on the results and consistent with a majority of the votes cast with respect to this matter, our Board of Directors has determined to continue to hold an annual advisory vote on the compensation of our named executive officers.

Proposal 4 The ratification of the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending October 28, 2017.

The shareholders ratified the Company's selection of Ernst & Young LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending October 28, 2017. The voting results were as follows:

| Votes For | Votes Against | Votes Abstaining |
|------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 277,283,708 | 5,180,293 | 191,178 |

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.

Date: March 9, 2017

ANALOG DEVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Margaret K. Seif
Margaret K. Seif
Senior Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and
Secretary