

RAYONIER ADVANCED MATERIALS INC.

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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 14, 2015

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 001-36285

Incorporated in the State of Delaware

I.R.S. Employer Identification Number 46-4559529

1301 Riverplace Boulevard, Jacksonville, Florida 32207

(Principal Executive Office)

Telephone Number: (904) 357-4600

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

The 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Company was held on May 14, 2015 (the “Annual Meeting”). At the Annual Meeting, stockholders of the Company (1) re-elected all three of the director nominees to terms expiring in 2018, (2) approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company’s named executive officers, (3) indicated their preference that the Company hold future advisory votes to approve the compensation of its named executive officers annually, and (4) ratified the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company’s independent registered public accounting firm for 2015.

The final voting results were as follows:

Election of Directors, Terms Expire in 2018	Votes For	Votes Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
James F. Kirsch	26,625,544	1,001,547	48,213	8,172,340
James H. Miller	23,455,718	4,173,927	45,659	8,172,340
Ronald Townsend	26,658,378	968,590	48,336	8,172,340
Advisory Vote on the Compensation of Our Named Executive Officers	Votes For	Votes Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
	25,535,228	1,957,188	182,888	8,172,340
Advisory Vote on the Frequency of Future Advisory Votes on the Compensation of Our Named Executive Officers	One Year	Two Year	Three Year	Abstain
	24,393,840	195,394	2,937,448	148,622
Ratification of Auditors	Votes For	Votes Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
	34,916,523	828,050	103,071	----

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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.

Rayonier Advanced Materials Inc. (Registrant)

BY: /s/ MICHAEL R. HERMAN

Michael R. Herman

Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

May 20, 2015