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): June 12, 2019 CATERPILLAR INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| (| Delaware [State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | 1-768 (Commission File Number) | 37-0602744 (I.R.S Employer Identification No.) | | |
| 510 |) Lake Cook Road, Suite 100, Do | eerfield, | 60015 | | |
| | Illinois | | (Zip Code) | | |
| | (Address of principal executive of | fices) | (21) 0000) | | |
| | Registrant's tele | ephone number, including area co | de: (224) 551-4000 | | |
| | Former name of | or former address, if changed sinc | e last report: N/A | | |
| | he appropriate box below if the Form ny of the following provisions: | 8-K filing is intended to simultaneous | sly satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant | | |
| | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) | | | | |
| | Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) | | | | |
| | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) | | | | |
| | Pre-commencement communication | ns pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under t | he Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) | | |
| Securiti | es registered pursuant to Section 12(| b) of the Act: | | | |
| | Title of each class | Trading Symbol (s) | Name of each exchange which registered | | |
| Common Stock (\$1.00 par value) | | CAT | New York Stock Exchange | | |
| 9 3/8% Debentures due March 15, 2021 | | CAT21 | New York Stock Exchange | | |
| 8% Deb | entures due February 15, 2023 | CAT23 | New York Stock Exchange | | |
| 5.3% D | ebentures due September 15, 2035 | CAT35 | New York Stock Exchange | | |
| | • | | defined by Rule 405 of the Securities Act of Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2 of this chapter). | | |

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

On June 12, 2019, Caterpillar Inc. (the "Company") held its 2019 Annual Shareholders Meeting. Set forth below are the voting results for each of the matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders.

Proposal 1 – Company Proposal - Election of Directors

All nominees for election to the Company's Board of Directors named in the Proxy Statement were elected, each to a one-year term, with the following vote:

| Director | For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|
| Kelly A. Ayotte | 358,383,694 | 6,162,364 | 695,287 | 116,977,639 |
| David L. Calhoun | 350,030,174 | 12,593,973 | 2,617,198 | 116,977,639 |
| Daniel M. Dickinson | 352,598,908 | 11,876,485 | 765,952 | 116,977,639 |
| Juan Gallardo | 355,336,635 | 9,157,943 | 746,767 | 116,977,639 |
| Dennis A. Muilenburg | 362,690,472 | 1,793,832 | 757,041 | 116,977,639 |
| William A. Osborn | 352,267,262 | 12,210,430 | 763,653 | 116,977,639 |
| Debra L. Reed-Klages | 362,911,212 | 1,683,269 | 646,864 | 116,977,639 |
| Edward B. Rust, Jr. | 356,542,494 | 7,928,655 | 770,196 | 116,977,639 |
| Susan C. Schwab | 359,607,189 | 5,007,328 | 626,828 | 116,977,639 |
| D. James Umpleby III | 351,583,991 | 12,000,752 | 1,656,602 | 116,977,639 |
| Miles D. White | 217,904,708 | 146,595,996 | 740,641 | 116,977,639 |
| Rayford Wilkins, Jr. | 362,673,689 | 1,808,792 | 758,864 | 116,977,639 |

Proposal 2 – Company Proposal - Ratification of Independent Registered Accounting Firm

The proposal requesting ratification of the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for 2019 was approved with the following vote:

| For | Against | Abstain | |
|-------------|------------|-----------|--|
| 464,034,038 | 16,828,775 | 1,356,171 | |

Proposal 3 – Company Proposal - Advisory vote on executive compensation

The proposal requesting that the shareholders of the Company approve executive compensation, on an advisory basis, was approved with the following vote:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|-------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| 348,035,791 | 15,442,836 | 1,762,718 | 116,977,639 |

Proposal 4 – Shareholder Proposal – Amend Proxy Access to Remove Resubmission Threshold

The proposal requesting that the Board of Directors amend the Company's bylaws to remove the requirement that a director candidate submitted through the proxy access process receive a minimum level of support in order to qualify as a proxy access candidate at a future shareholder meeting was not approved based on the following vote:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|
| 85,015,993 | 277,736,400 | 2,488,952 | 116,977,639 |

Proposal 5 – Shareholder Proposal – Report on Activities in Conflict-Affected Areas

The proposal requesting the Board of Directors to assess and report on risks associated with business activities in conflict-affected areas other than those areas already addressed through the Company's conflict minerals policy was not approved based on the following vote:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|
| 28,053,497 | 333,054,589 | 4,133,259 | 116,977,639 |

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 hereunto duly authorized.

CATERPILLAR INC.

June 14, 2019

By: /s/ Suzette M. Long

Suzette M. Long General Counsel & Corporate Secretary