

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
May 18, 2015

**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**

**CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.**  
**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction)**

**000-15867**  
**(Commission)**

**00-0000000**  
**(I.R.S. Employer)**

**of Incorporation)**

**File Number)**

**Identification No.)**

**2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5**

**San Jose, California**  
**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**(408) 943-1234**

**95134**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

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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.**

At the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Cadence Design Systems, Inc. ( Cadence ), held on May 14, 2015, Cadence stockholders voted on the following proposals, which are described in detail in Cadence s Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 27, 2015:

1. A proposal to elect the nine (9) directors named in the proxy statement to serve until the 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their successors are elected and qualified, or until the director s earlier death, resignation or removal. This proposal was approved as set forth below:

<b>Nominee</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
Mark W. Adams	226,402,193	128,554	118,549	31,956,280
Susan L. Bostrom	219,740,304	6,105,671	803,321	31,956,280
Dr. James D. Plummer	225,277,670	1,255,769	115,857	31,956,280
Dr. Alberto Sangiovanni-Vincentelli	221,750,742	4,009,277	889,277	31,956,280
George M. Scalise	221,695,363	4,090,798	863,135	31,956,280
Dr. John B. Shoven	222,218,286	4,295,589	135,421	31,956,280
Roger S. Siboni	222,231,661	3,535,762	881,873	31,956,280
Young K. Sohn	226,375,480	143,620	130,196	31,956,280
Lip-Bu Tan	222,510,602	4,042,032	96,662	31,956,280

2. A proposal to approve an amendment to the Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock reserved for issuance and to extend the expiration date. This proposal was approved as set forth below:

<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
209,849,374	16,698,398	101,524	31,956,280

3. A proposal to approve an advisory resolution to approve executive compensation. This proposal was approved as set forth below:

<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
221,943,164	3,707,532	998,600	31,956,280

4. A proposal to ratify the selection of KPMG LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm of Cadence for the fiscal year ending January 2, 2016. This proposal was approved as set forth below:

<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
257,436,243	989,037	180,296	0

**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.

Dated: May 18, 2015

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.

By: /s/ James J. Cowie  
James J. Cowie  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel  
and Secretary