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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 13, 2014

ALTERA CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 0-16617 (Commission 77-0016691 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

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101 Innovation Drive, San Jose, California 95134
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (408) 544-7000

Not Applicable

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

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

Altera Corporation (the Company) held its Annual Meeting on May 13, 2014, at 2:30 p.m. local time. All of the Company s nominees for director were re-elected, Proposals 2, 3, 4 and 5 were approved by the Company s stockholders with the requisite vote, and Proposal 6 was not approved by the Company s stockholders. The following matters were acted upon at the meeting:

1 Election of directors to serve until the next annual meeting of stockholders:

					BROKER
	NOMINEES	FOR	AGAINST	ABSTAIN	NON-VOTES
	John P. Daane	256,899,105	4,823,514	960,074	17,061,957
	T. Michael Nevens	260,820,716	1,637,570	224,407	17,061,957
	A. Blaine Bowman	261,961,742	492,913	228,038	17,061,957
	Elisha W. Finney	262,014,261	447,286	221,146	17,061,957
	Kevin McGarity	259,666,688	2,791,598	224,407	17,061,957
	Krish A. Prabhu	260,448,645	2,003,920	230,128	17,061,957
	Shane V. Robison	259,659,134	2,797,293	226,266	17,061,957
	John Shoemaker	259,624,930	2,840,658	217,105	17,061,957
	Thomas H. Waechter	261,359,879	1,097,546	225,268	17,061,957
					BROKER
		FOR	AGAINST	ABSTAIN	NON-VOTES
3	Approval of an amendment to the 2005 Equity Incentive Plan to (i) extend the term of the plan, (ii) increase by 3,000,000 the number of shares of common stock reserved for issuance under the plan and (iii) make certain other changes as described in more detail in the proxy statement. Approval of an amendment to the 1987 Employee Stock Purchase Plan to increase by 1,000,000 the number of shares of common stock reserved for issuance	242,742,853 257,094,942	19,712,733 5,373,715	227,107 214,036	17,061,957 17,061,957
1	under the plan.	250 779 012	10 002 922	000 050	17.061.057
4	Approval, on an advisory basis, of named executive officer compensation.	250,778,912	10,903,822	999,959	17,061,957
5	Ratification of the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2014.	277,342,600	2,052,613	349,437	
6		126,407,357	136,034,484	240,852	17,061,957

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A stockholder proposal regarding an independent chair of the board.

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.

ALTERA CORPORATION

/s/ Katherine E. Schuelke Katherine E. Schuelke Senior Vice President, General Counsel, and Secretary

Dated: May 19, 2014