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### UNITED STATES

#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

#### Washington, D.C. 20549

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November 2, 2015

Dear Cisco Shareholder,

# PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR SHARES ARE REPRESENTED

# AT THE UPCOMING ANNUAL MEETING!

The November 19, 2015 Annual Meeting of Shareholders is fast approaching, and according to our latest records, we have not yet received your vote. Your Board of Directors recommends that shareholders vote FOR each of the nominees in Proposal 1, FOR Proposals 2 and 3, and AGAINST Proposals 4 and 5.

Your vote is important, no matter how many or how few shares you may own. Please help your company avoid the expense of further solicitation. Since time is short, we encourage you to vote today by telephone or by Internet.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

/s/ Charles H. Robbins

**Charles H. Robbins** *Chief Executive Officer* 

## YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT!

## Since time is short, we encourage you to vote your shares by telephone or by

## Internet please follow the easy instructions on the enclosed proxy card.

If you have any questions, or need assistance in voting

your shares, please call our proxy solicitor,

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