

DAVITA INC.
Form 8-K
June 22, 2017

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 16, 2017

DAVITA INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-14106 No. 51-0354549
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer
of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)
2000 16th Street
Denver, CO 80202
(Address of principal executive offices including Zip Code)
(303) 405-2100
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
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.

On June 16, 2017, the Company held its annual meeting of stockholders in Denver, Colorado. Represented in person or by proxy at the annual meeting were 163,364,597 shares of the Company's common stock, or 83.94% of its outstanding shares of common stock. The results of matters submitted to a stockholder vote at the annual meeting are as follows:

Item 1. Election of Directors.

Eleven board nominees for director were elected by a majority of the votes cast for a term of one year or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. The voting results are as follows:

| Name of Nominee | For | Against | Abstain | Broker non-votes |
|---------------------------------|-------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| Pamela M. Arway | 147,607,409 | 2,680,300 | 74,066 | 13,002,882 |
| Charles G. Berg | 146,762,396 | 3,528,879 | 70,500 | 13,002,882 |
| Carol Anthony ("John") Davidson | 148,113,084 | 2,174,928 | 73,763 | 13,002,882 |
| Barbara J. Desoer | 150,061,192 | 230,767 | 69,816 | 13,002,882 |
| Pascal Desroches | 148,617,259 | 1,669,571 | 74,945 | 13,002,882 |
| Paul J. Diaz | 149,143,726 | 1,141,205 | 76,844 | 13,002,882 |
| Peter T. Grauer | 127,563,564 | 22,724,516 | 73,695 | 13,002,882 |
| John M. Nehra | 148,931,721 | 1,357,825 | 72,229 | 13,002,882 |
| William L. Roper | 148,307,970 | 1,983,042 | 70,763 | 13,002,882 |
| Kent J. Thiry | 143,719,862 | 5,290,648 | 1,351,265 | 13,002,882 |
| Phyllis R. Yale | 150,010,124 | 278,503 | 73,148 | 13,002,882 |

Item 2. Ratification of appointment of independent registered public accounting firm.

The stockholders ratified the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for 2017. The voting results are as follows:

| For | Against | Abstain |
|-------------|-----------|---------|
| 160,556,826 | 2,758,027 | 49,744 |

Item 3. Advisory vote on executive compensation.

The proposal received the vote of a majority of the shares represented and entitled to vote at the meeting. The voting results are as follows:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker non-votes |
|-------------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| 142,027,373 | 8,198,566 | 135,836 | 13,002,882 |

Item 4. Advisory vote on the frequency of future advisory votes on executive compensation

The proposal to hold future advisory votes on executive compensation on an annual basis was approved. In light of these results, the Company intends to continue holding an annual advisory vote on executive compensation. The voting results are as follows:

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| 1 Year | 2 Years | 3 Years | Abstain |
|-------------|---------|------------|---------|
| 135,726,613 | 115,737 | 14,399,382 | 120,043 |

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.

DAVITA INC.

Date: June 22, 2017 By: /s/ Samantha A. Caldwell
Samantha A. Caldwell
Corporate Secretary