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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 23, 2016

RAYONIER INC.

**COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-6780** 

Incorporated in the State of North Carolina

I.R.S. Employer Identification Number 13-2607329

225 Water Street, Suite 1400

Jacksonville, Florida 32202

(Principal Executive Office)

Telephone Number: (904) 357-9100

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

The 2016 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Company was held on May 23, 2016 (the "Annual Meeting"). At the Annual Meeting, shareholders of the Company (1) approved all nine of the director nominees for the ensuing year, (2) approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers, and (3) ratified the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for 2016. The final voting results were as follows:

Election of Directors, Terms Expire in 2017 Richard D. Kincaid John A. Blumberg Dod A. Fraser Scott R. Jones Bernard Lanigan, Jr. Blanche L. Lincoln V. Larkin Martin David L. Nunes	100,487,65 101,190,24 101,183,45 101,435,66 101,787,86 101,406,21 100,727,79	72,059,831 5793,522 2800,842 9550,466 5755,419	Broker Abstain Non-Votes 186,657 13,182,876 750,378 13,182,876 749,851 13,182,876 748,010 13,182,876 190,861 13,182,876 743,754 13,182,876 741,802 13,182,876 754,362 13,182,876
Andrew G. Wiltshire	102,014,60		183,38113,182,876
Advisory Vote on the Compensation of Our Named Executive Officers	Votes For 99,633,711	_	Broker Abstain Non-Votes 413,95013,182,876
Ratification of Auditors	Votes For 114,330,21	_	Broker Abstain Non-Votes 756,483—

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#### **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.

RAYONIER INC. (Registrant)

BY: /s/ MARK R. BRIDWELL

Mark R. Bridwell

Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary

May 24, 2016

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