

STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC.
Form 8-K
April 21, 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):

April 16, 2015

Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Connecticut

1-5244

06-0548860

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

1000 Stanley Drive, New Britain, Connecticut

06053

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(860) 225-5111

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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 - ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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The Registrant's Annual meeting of Shareholders was held on April 16, 2015.

Proposal 1: The following Directors were elected at the meeting:

NOMINEE	VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD	BROKER NON-VOTES
Andrea J. Ayers	117,666,846	1,723,479	11,102,866
George W. Buckley	117,090,657	2,299,668	11,102,866
Patrick D. Campbell	117,685,825	1,704,500	11,102,866
Carlos M. Cardoso	117,263,019	2,127,306	11,102,866
Robert B. Coutts	117,356,487	2,033,838	11,102,866
Debra A. Crew	117,694,404	1,695,921	11,102,866
Benjamin H. Griswold, IV	116,897,096	2,493,229	11,102,866
Anthony Luiso	117,409,292	1,981,033	11,102,866
John F. Lundgren	115,303,373	4,086,952	11,102,866
Marianne M. Parrs	117,132,372	2,257,953	11,102,866
Robert L. Ryan	117,667,210	1,723,115	11,102,866

Proposal 2: The Shareholders approved Ernst & Young LLP as the Registrant's registered independent public accounting firm for the 2015 fiscal year:

For

Against

Abstain

126,581,384	3,088,887	822,920
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Proposal 3: The Shareholders approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Registrant's named executive officers:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
112,359,842	5,630,182	1,400,300	11,102,866

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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.

Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.

April 21, 2015

By: */s/ BRUCE H. BEATT*

Name: BRUCE H. BEATT

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary