

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/
Form 8-K
April 20, 2017
UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 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 18, 2017

WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 1-3932 38-1490038
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2000 North M-63,
Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022-2692
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant's telephone number, including area code (269) 923-5000

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)
- ..Soliciting material pursuant to rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- ..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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ..

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ..

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

On April 18, 2017, Whirlpool Corporation (the "Corporation") held its 2017 annual meeting of stockholders. The matters listed below were submitted to a vote of the stockholders through the solicitation of proxies, and the proposals are described in detail in the Corporation's proxy statement dated March 2, 2017 (the "Proxy Statement"). The results of the stockholder vote are as follows:

- Samuel R. Allen, Marc R. Bitzer, Greg Creed, Gary T. DiCamillo, Diane M. Dietz, Gerri T. Elliott, Jeff M. Fettig, Michael F. Johnston, John D. Liu, Harish Manwani, William D. Perez, Larry O. Spencer, and Michael D. White
- were each elected by the stockholders to a term to expire in 2018 or until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified.

Nominees	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
Samuel Allen	314,894	120,234	6,728,632
Marc Bitzer	662,712	96,343	6,728,632
Greg Creed	282,776	126,601	6,728,632

Gary	1,437,024	124,210	6,728,632
DiCamillo			
Diane	519,310	123,887	6,728,632
Dietz			
Gerri	641,996	121,209	6,728,632
Elliott			
Jeff	1,296,641	219,590	6,728,632
Fettig			
Michael	1,433,422	129,539	6,728,632
Johnston			
John	854,931	117,359	6,728,632
Liu			
Harish	3,262,836	131,396	6,728,632
Manwani			
William	174,506	118,548	6,728,632
Perez			
Larry	267,105	124,091	6,728,632
Spencer			
Michael	786,788	133,825	6,728,632
White			

b. The stockholders approved, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, the compensation paid to the Corporation's named executive officers disclosed in the Proxy Statement, including the Compensation Discussion & Analysis, the compensation

tables, and
related
disclosure.

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
56,864,980	2,776,331	312,531	6,728,632

c. The stockholders voted, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, on the frequency with which the Corporation should hold future advisory votes on executive compensation. Consistent with a majority of the votes cast with respect to this proposal and with the recommendation of the Corporation's Board of Directors, the Corporation will hold a stockholder advisory vote on the compensation of the Corporation's named executive officers annually until the next required vote on the frequency of stockholder votes on the compensation of the Corporation's named executive officers as required pursuant to Section 14(A) of the Securities and Exchange act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations

promulgated
thereunder.

1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
52,796,833	555,824	6,446,290	154,895	6,728,632

d. The stockholders ratified the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Corporation's independent registered public accounting firm for 2017.

For	Against	Abstain
63,926,596	2,569,356	186,522

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.

WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION

Date: April 20, 2017 By: /s/ BRIDGET K. QUINN
Name: Bridget K. Quinn
Title: Corporate Secretary and Group Counsel