

Ellington Financial LLC  
Form 8-K  
May 17, 2016

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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 17, 2016

ELLINGTON FINANCIAL LLC  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-34569  
Delaware 26-0489289  
(State or other jurisdiction of (IRS Employer  
incorporation) Identification No.)

53 Forest Avenue  
Old Greenwich, CT 06870  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(203) 698-1200  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

On May 17, 2016, Ellington Financial LLC (the “Company”) held its annual meeting of shareholders. Proxies for the meeting were solicited pursuant to Regulation 14A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The final voting results for each of the matters submitted to a vote of the shareholders at the annual meeting are set forth below.

Proposal 1: Election of Directors

Votes regarding the election of five directors, each of whom was elected for a term expiring at the 2017 annual meeting or until such time as his successor is elected and qualified, were as follows:

	For	Withheld	Broker Non-Votes
Thomas F. Robards	17,217,705	148,433	11,070,055
Michael W. Vranos	16,979,917	386,221	11,070,055
Laurence Penn	17,214,248	151,890	11,070,055
Ronald I. Simon, Ph.D.	17,196,180	169,958	11,070,055
Edward Resendez	17,192,199	173,939	11,070,055

Proposal 2: Advisory (Non-Binding) “Say on Pay” Vote to Approve Executive Compensation

Votes on a proposal to approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers were as follows:

For	Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
16,794,315	448,526	123,297	11,070,055

Proposal 3: Ratification of the Appointment of the Company's Independent Registered Public Accountants

Votes regarding the proposal to ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2016 were as follows:

For	Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
28,291,669	87,801	56,723	*

\* No broker non-votes arose in connection with this proposal due to the fact that the proposal was considered “routine” under New York Stock Exchange Rules.

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.

ELLINGTON FINANCIAL LLC

May  
Date: 17, By: /s/ Lisa Mumford  
2016

Lisa Mumford  
Chief Financial Officer