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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): January 29, 2015

SONIC CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of

0-18859 (Commission File Number) 73-1371046 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

Identification No.)

300 Johnny Bench Drive

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

73104

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(405) 225-5000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Company was held on January 29, 2015. Matters voted upon by shareholders at that meeting were:

Proposal 1

Each of the nominees was elected a director to hold office for a three-year term expiring at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders in 2018 or until his or her successor is elected and qualified. The voting results were as follows:

| Nominee | For | Withhold Authority | Broker Non-Vote |
|---------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| Kate S. Lavelle | 43,631,832 | 34,973 | 4,619,274 |
| J. Larry Nichols | 43,338,875 | 327,930 | 4,619,274 |
| Frank E. Richardson | 43,393,684 | 273,121 | 4,619,274 |

Proposal 2

The proposal to ratify the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company s independent registered public accounting firm was approved. The voting results were as follows:

| For | Against | Abstain Broker Non-Vote |
|------------|---------|-------------------------|
| 48,197,988 | 51,137 | 36,954 |

Proposal 3

The Board proposal seeking a non-binding advisory vote on the Company s executive compensation was approved. The voting results were as follows:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Vote |
|------------|---------|---------|------------------------|
| 43,453,446 | 175,197 | 38,162 | 4,619,274 |

SIGNATURE

Date: January 30, 2015

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SONIC CORP.

By: /s/ Stephen C. Vaughan Stephen C. Vaughan,

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer