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HASBRO, INC.

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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Under Securities and Exchange Commission rules, you are receiving this notice that the proxy materials for the annual meeting are available on the Internet. Follow the instructions below to view the materials and vote online or request a paper or email copy of the proxy materials. The items to be voted on and location of the annual meeting are on the reverse side. Your vote is important!

Shareholder Meeting to be Held on May 17, 2018

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet or by mail. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting. The Hasbro, Inc. proxy statement and annual report to shareholders are available at:

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Hasbro, Inc. s Annual Meeting of Shareholders will be held on May 17, 2018 at 1027 Newport Avenue, Pawtucket, Rhode Island, at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time.

Proposals to be voted on at the meeting are listed below along with the Board of Directors recommendations.

The Board of Directors recommends that you vote FOR all nominees, FOR proposals 2 and 3, and AGAINST proposal 4:

Four matters are scheduled to be voted on at the 2018 Annual Meeting. Those four proposals are:

- 1. The election of the following twelve (12) persons as Directors to serve until the 2019 Annual Meeting of Shareholders, and until their successors are duly elected and qualified:
 - Kenneth A. Bronfin, Michael R. Burns, Hope F. Cochran, Crispin H. Davis, Lisa Gersh, Brian D. Goldner, Alan G. Hassenfeld, Tracy A. Leinbach, Edward M. Philip, Richard S. Stoddart, Mary Beth West and Linda K. Zecher.
- 2. The adoption, on an advisory basis, of a resolution approving the compensation of the Named Executive Officers of Hasbro, Inc., as described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis and Executive Compensation sections of the 2018 Proxy Statement.
- 3. Ratification of the selection of KPMG LLP as Hasbro, Inc. s independent registered public accounting firm for fiscal 2018.
- 4. Shareholder Proposal-Proposed Amendments to the Company s Clawback Policy.

NOTE: To transact such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting and any adjournment or postponement thereof.

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