BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

Form 8-K May 04, 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: April 28, 2015 (Date of earliest event reported)

BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 1-7928

Delaware 94-1381833 (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

1000 Alfred Nobel Dr. Hercules, California 94547 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(510) 724-7000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. (the "Company") held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders on April 28, 2015. The matters voted upon at the meeting and the results of those votes are set forth below.

1. Each of the nominated directors was elected and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the votes cast in the respective class of Common Stock, as follows:

	Class of				
	Common Stock	Votes	Votes	Votes	Broker
	to Elect	For	Against	Abstaining	Non-Votes
Louis Drapeau	Class A	18,671,483	997,336	50,214	2,690,480
Robert M. Malchione	Class A	19,200,612	459,404	59,017	2,690,480
Joel McComb	Class B	4,846,742	340	88	200,658
Deborah J. Neff	Class B	4,846,742	378	50	200,658
Alice N. Schwartz	Class B	4,839,107	8,025	38	200,658
Norman Schwartz	Class B	4,839,107	8,025	38	200,658

2. The proposal to select KPMG LLP as the Company's independent auditors for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2015 was ratified and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the voting power of the holders of Class A and Class B Common Stock, as follows:

Votes	Votes	Votes	Broker
For	Against	Abstaining	Non-Votes
7,279,910	2,200	6,670	_

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.

BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.

Date: May 4, 2015 By: /s/ Christine A. Tsingos

Christine A. Tsingos

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer