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### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

### SCHEDULE 14A (Rule 14a-101)

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Amendment to Proxy Statement for Annual Meeting of Shareholders

RiskMetrics Group, Inc. hereby amends its Proxy Statement dated April 29, 2009 in connection with its Annual

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**Electronic Voting Instructions** You can vote by Internet or telephone! Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week! Instead of mailing your proxy, you may choose one of the two voting methods outlined below to vote your proxy. VALIDATION DETAILS ARE LOCATED BELOW IN THE TITLE BAR. Proxies submitted by the Internet or telephone must be received by 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on June 15, 2009. Vote by Internet • Log on to the Internet and go to www.envisionreports.com/RMG • Follow the steps outlined on the secured website. Vote by telephone • Call toll free 1-800-652-VOTE (8683) within the United States, Canada & Puerto Rico any time on a touch tone telephone. There is NO CHARGE to you for the call. • Follow the instructions provided by the recorded message. Using a black ink pen, mark your votes with an X as shown in this example. Please do not write outside the designated areas. Х **Annual Meeting Proxy Card** IF YOU HAVE NOT VOTED VIA THE INTERNET OR TELEPHONE, FOLD ALONG THE PERFORATION, DETACH AND RETURN THE BOTTOM PORTION IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE. A Proposals — The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR all the nominees listed and FOR Proposals 2, 3, 4 A and B. 1. Election of Directors 01 - Ethan Berman For Against Abstain [ ] [ ] [ ] 02 - Lovida Coleman, Jr. For Against Abstain [ ] [ ] [ ] 03 - Philip Duff For Against Abstain [ ] [ ] 04 - Stephanie Hanbury-Brown For Against Abstain [ ] [ ] [ ]

05 - Rene Kern

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For Against Abstain

06 - Christopher Mitchell Fo	-	iin				
07 - Frank Noonan For	-					
08 - Lynn Sharp Paine For						
09 - Thomas Renyi For	Against Abstain					
10 - Stephen Thieke For		l				
11 - Robert Trudeau For		l				
2. To ratify the appointment of I ending December 31, 2009. For		in	e Company	-	nt auditor for the	fiscal year
3. To ratify and approve the ame Plan. For Again		npany's 2	2007 Omni	bus Incentive	Compensation	
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4. To consider and approve the f	following two advisor	ory (non-	binding) pr	oposals:		
A. RESOLVED that the shareh and procedures, as described Statement.						
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B. RESOLVED that the sharehoperformance for 2008, as des						
Proxy Statement.		For	Against [ ]	Abstain [ ]		

5. To consider and act upon such other matters as may properly come before the Annual Meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof.

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tice of 2009 Annual Meeting of Shareholders	
xy Solicited by Board of Directors for Annual Meeting — June 16, 2009	
an Berman and Steven Friedman, or any of them, each with the power of substitution, are hereby a resent and vote the shares of the undersigned, with all the powers which the undersigned would sonally present, at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of RiskMetrics Group, Inc. to be held on June Chase Manhattan Plaza, 60th Floor, New York, New York 10005 or at any postponement or adjourning	ld possess if e 16, 2009 at
ares represented by this proxy will be voted by the shareholder. If no such directions are indicated, the eauthority to vote FOR Proposals 1, 2, 3, 4 A and B.	Proxies will
their discretion, the Proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly cometing.	e before the
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