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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

(Rule 14a-101)

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SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the

Stockholder Meeting to Be Held on November 9, 2016.

Meeting Information

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ATTN: INVESTOR RELATIONS

4650 CUSHING PARKWAY

FREMONT, CA 94538

Meeting Type:	Annual Stockho	olders Meeting
For holders as of:	September 13, 2	2016
Date: November 9	9, 2016 Time:	9:30 A.M. PST
Location: 4650 Cushing Parkway		
Building CA1 Auditorium		
Fremont, California	94538	

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the company named above.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at *www.proxyvote.com* or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials

before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

Before You Vote

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report Combined Document

How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) and visit: *www.proxyvote.com*.

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1) BY INTERNET: www.proxyvote.com

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Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before October 26, 2016 to facilitate timely delivery.

How To Vote

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Lam s stockholder meetings have attendance requirements. Please check the meeting materials for any requirements for meeting attendance. At the 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to *www.proxyvote.com*. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR all eleven of the nominees listed in proposals 1 and 2:

1. Election of Directors

Nominees:

- 01) Martin B. Anstice 06) Catherine P. Lego
- 02) Eric K. Brandt 07) Stephen G. Newberry
- 03) Michael R. Cannon 08) Abhijit Y. Talwalkar
- 04) Youssef A. El-Mansy 09) Rick L. Tsai
- 05) Christine A. Heckart

2. Election of Additional Directors, Subject to and Contingent upon the Acquisition of KLA-Tencor Corporation being Consummated Prior to the 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders

Nominees:

- 10) John T. Dickson
- 11) Gary B. Moore

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 3 and 4.

3. Advisory vote to approve the compensation of the named executive officers of Lam Research, or Say on Pay.

4. Ratification of the appointment of the independent registered public accounting firm for fiscal year 2017.

NOTE: Other business that may properly come before the annual meeting (including any adjournment or postponement thereof) will be voted as the proxy holders deem advisable.