FUEL TECH, INC. Form 8-K May 21, 2018

**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) May 16, 2018

FUEL TECH, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-33059 20-5657551 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

Fuel Tech, Inc.

27601 Bella Vista Parkway Warrenville, IL 60555-1617

630-845-4500

(Address and telephone number of principal executive offices)

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- 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.

On May 16 2018, Fuel Tech, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company") held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders, at which the stockholders voted upon: (a) the election of Vincent J. Arnone, Douglas G. Bailey, Sharon L. Jones, James J. Markowsky, Thomas S. Shaw, Jr. and Dennis L. Zeitler to the Company's Board of Directors until the Company's next Annual Meeting of Stockholders or until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified; (b) a proposal to adopt an amendment to the Company's Certificate of Incorporation to: (i) effect a reverse stock split of the Company's outstanding Common Stock at a ratio of not less than one-for-five (1:5) and not more than one-for-ten (1:10), and (ii) to reduce proportionately the shares of Common Stock authorized for issuances; (c) a proposal to amend the Company's 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan to increase the number of shares available by 1,200,000 shares; (d) the ratification of the appointment of RSM US LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm; and (e) an advisory vote on executive compensation.

The stockholders elected all six directors, approved the amendment to the Company's Certificate of Incorporation, approved the amendment to the 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan, approved the ratification of the appointment of RSM US LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm and approved, on an advisory, non-binding basis, Fuel Tech's executive compensation.

The number of votes cast for or against (or withheld) and the number of abstentions and broker non-votes with respect to each matter voted upon, as applicable, are set forth below.

## Proposal 1: Election of Directors

Director For Withheld Broker Non-Votes Vincent J. Arnone 13,789,712307,806 7,698,643 Douglas G. Bailey 13,552,897574,621 7,698,643 Sharon L. Jones 13,813,195284,323 7,698,643 James J. Markowsky 13,813,791283,272 7,698,643 Thomas S. Shaw, Jr. 13,734,358363,160 7,698,643 Dennis L. Zeitler 13,812,341285,177 7,698,643

Proposal 2: A proposal to adopt an amendment to the Company's Certificate of Incorporation to: (i) effect a reverse stock split of the Company's outstanding Common Stock at a ratio of not less than one-for-five (1:5) and not more than one-for-ten (1:10), and (ii) to reduce proportionately the shares of Common Stock authorized for issuances

For Against Abstain 17,817,0483,892,29686,817

Proposal 3: A proposal to amend Fuel Tech, Inc.'s 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan to increase the number of shares available by 1,200,000 shares

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes 13,177,030877,98742,501 7,698,643

Proposal 4: Ratification of RSM US LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm

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For Against Abstain 21,551,376201,15343,632

Proposal 5: Advisory vote on executive compensation

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes 12,408,0381,566,499122,9817,698,643

## **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.

Fuel Tech, Inc. (Registrant)

/s/ Albert

Date: May 21, 2018 By: G.

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