

STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC.

Form 8-K

April 17, 2014

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 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): **April 15, 2014**

**STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Connecticut**

(State of incorporation)

**1-5244**

(Commission File No.)

**06-0548860**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1000 Stanley Drive  
New Britain, Connecticut 06053**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number **(860) 225-5111**

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:

- c Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - c Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders**

The Registrant's Annual meeting of Shareholders was held on April 16, 2013.

**Proposal 1: The following Directors were elected at the meeting:**

<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>VOTES FOR</u>	<u>VOTES WITHHELD</u>	<u>BROKER NON-VOTES</u>
George W. Buckley	116,268,932	5,834,379	12,889,978
Patrick D. Campbell	117,710,587	4,392,958	12,889,978
Carlos M. Cardoso	116,188,570	5,914,975	12,889,978
Robert B. Coutts	117,905,462	4,198,083	12,889,978
Debra A. Crew	120,607,382	1,495,885	12,889,978
Benjamin H. Griswold, IV	116,334,052	5,769,493	12,889,978
John F. Lundgren	116,349,316	5,754,229	12,889,978
Anthony Luiso	117,383,514	4,720,031	12,889,978
Marianne M. Parrs	117,409,055	4,694,490	12,889,978
Robert L. Ryan	115,593,359	6,510,186	12,889,978

The Shareholders approved Ernst & Young LLP as the Registrant's registered independent public accounting firm for the Proposal 2: 2014 fiscal year:

<u>For</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>
127,726,855	6,341,436	915,920

Proposal 3: The Shareholders approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Registrant's named executive officers:

<u>For</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Broker Non- Votes</u>
114,037,037	6,668,280	1,389,430	12,889,978

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

- (a) Not applicable
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Exhibits

**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.

Dated: April 17, 2014

**Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.**

By: */s/ Bruce H. Beatt*  
Bruce H. Beatt  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel  
and Secretary

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