

ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/  
Form 8-K  
March 28, 2019

**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): March 27, 2019

**ABM Industries Incorporated**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| <b>Delaware</b>                                   | <b>1-8929</b>               | <b>94-1369354</b>                          |
| (State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | (Commission File<br>Number) | (IRS<br>Employer<br>Identification<br>No.) |

**One Liberty Plaza, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor**  
**New York, New York**                      **10006**  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(212) 297-0200**

N/A

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(Former name or former address if changed since last report)

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:

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Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

**Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

On March 27, 2019, ABM Industries Incorporated (“ABM”) held its 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. ABM’s stockholders voted on the matters outlined in ABM’s Definitive Proxy Statement filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on February 13, 2019. Set forth below are the number of votes cast for and against, and the number of abstentions and broker non-votes, for each matter voted upon by ABM’s stockholders.

The following persons were elected to serve as directors of ABM by a vote of stockholders, each to serve for a (1) term ending at the annual meeting of stockholders in the year 2022 and until their successors are duly elected and qualified: LeighAnne G. Baker, Sudhakar Kesavan and Filippo Passerini.

| Nominee            | For        | Against   | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|--------------------|------------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| LeighAnne G. Baker | 58,190,259 | 69,597    | 40,070  | 3,871,263        |
| Sudhakar Kesavan   | 56,929,842 | 1,333,545 | 36,539  | 3,871,263        |
| Filippo Passerini  | 58,162,304 | 105,555   | 32,067  | 3,871,263        |

The following directors remained in office: Linda Chavez, Donald F. Colleran, Art A. Garcia, Thomas M. Gartland, Scott Salmirs, and Winifred M. Webb.

(2) The stockholders approved, on an advisory basis, ABM’s executive compensation.

| For        | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------|---------|------------------|
| 57,533,347 | 721,032 | 45,547  | 3,871,263        |

(3) The stockholders ratified the appointment of KPMG LLP as ABM’s independent registered public accounting firm for fiscal year 2019.

| For        | Against | Abstain |
|------------|---------|---------|
| 61,405,790 | 731,104 | 34,295  |

**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.

ABM INDUSTRIES  
INCORPORATED

Dated: March 28, 2019 By/s/ Andrea R. Newborn  
Andrea R. Newborn  
Executive Vice President, General  
Counsel and Secretary