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## Voting items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

1. Election of Class II Directors

Nominees

01) Steven M. Altschuler M.D. 02) Lars Ekman M.D., Ph.D. 03) Katherine A. High M.D.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

2. To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote 1 YEAR for the following proposal:

3. To recommend, on an advisory basis, the frequency of future stockholder advisory votes on the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

4. To ratify the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2017.

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.