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(Rule 14a-101)

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**Meeting Information**

**Meeting Type:** Annual Stockholders Meeting  
**For holders as of:** September 11, 2017  
**Date:** November 8, 2017 **Time:** 9:30 A.M. PST  
**Location:** 4650 Cushing Parkway  
Building CA1 Auditorium  
Fremont, California 94538

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— **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 2017 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](http://www.proxyvote.com). Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow → XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX (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 ten of the nominees listed in proposal 1:**

1. Election of Directors

**Nominees:**

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 01) Martin B. Anstice    | 06) Young Bum (YB) Koh       |
| 02) Eric K. Brandt       | 07) Catherine P. Lego        |
| 03) Michael R. Cannon    | 08) Stephen G. Newberry      |
| 04) Youssef A. El-Mansy  | 09) Abhijit Y. Talwalkar     |
| 05) Christine A. Heckart | 10) Lih Shyng (Rick L.) Tsai |

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 2 and 4 and for 1 YEAR on proposal 3.**

2. Advisory vote to approve the compensation of the named executive officers of Lam Research, or “Say on Pay.”
3. Advisory vote to approve the frequency of holding future stockholder advisory votes on our named executive officer compensation, or “Say on Frequency.”
4. Ratification of the appointment of the independent registered public accounting firm for fiscal year 2018.

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote AGAINST proposal 5.**

5. Stockholder proposal, if properly presented at the annual meeting, regarding annual disclosure of EEO-1 data.

**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.

