Iridium Communications Inc. Form 8-K May 13, 2016

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): May 12, 2016

Iridium Communications Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-33963 (Commission

26-1344998 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

of incorporation)

File Number) 1750 Tysons Boulevard, Suite 1400 Edgar Filing: Iridium Communications Inc. - Form 8-K

McLean, VA 22102

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(703) 287-7400

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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

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

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the *Annual Meeting*) of Iridium Communications Inc. (the *Company*) was held on May 12, 2016 in McLean, Virginia. Of the 95,507,344 shares outstanding as of the record date, 87,447,868 shares, or approximately 91.56%, were present or represented by proxy at the meeting. Set forth below are the results of the matters submitted for a vote of stockholders at the Annual Meeting.

Proposal 1 Election of Directors

The following twelve (12) directors were elected to serve for one-year terms until the 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their respective successors are elected and qualified.

| | | Votes | |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| Name | Votes For | Withheld | Broker Non-Votes |
| Robert H. Niehaus | 70,134,655 | 287,754 | 17,025,459 |
| Thomas C. Canfield | 70,184,437 | 237,972 | 17,025,459 |
| Matthew J. Desch | 70,256,780 | 165,629 | 17,025,459 |
| Thomas J. Fitzpatrick | 65,912,983 | 4,509,426 | 17,025,459 |
| Jane L. Harman | 68,371,913 | 2,050,496 | 17,025,459 |
| Alvin B. Krongard | 70,073,073 | 349,336 | 17,025,459 |
| Admiral Eric T. Olson (Ret.) | 70,278,080 | 144,329 | 17,025,459 |
| Steven B. Pfeiffer | 70,254,978 | 167,431 | 17,025,459 |
| Parker W. Rush | 70,206,464 | 215,945 | 17,025,459 |
| Henrik O. Schliemann | 70,281,325 | 141,084 | 17,025,459 |
| S. Scott Smith | 69,453,535 | 968,874 | 17,025,459 |
| Barry J. West | 70,271,794 | 150,615 | 17,025,459 |

Proposal 2 Approval, on an Advisory Basis, of the Compensation of the Company s Named Executive Officers.

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-----------|---------|-------------------------|
| 64,386,309 | 5,874,318 | 161,782 | 17,025,459 |

Proposal 3 Ratification of the Appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company s independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016.

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------|---------|-------------------------|
| 87,039,831 | 283,650 | 124,387 | |

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 13, 2016, the Company announced that its board of directors had declared a cash dividend on its 6.75% Series B Cumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred Stock of \$4.21875 per share, representing a dividend for the period from and including March 16, 2016 through June 15, 2016. The dividend is payable on June 15, 2016, to all stockholders of record as of June 1, 2016.

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.

Date: May 13, 2016

IRIDIUM COMMUNICATIONS INC.

By: /s/ Thomas J. Fitzpatrick
Thomas J. Fitzpatrick

Chief Financial Officer and Chief Administrative

Officer