

KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES INC

Form 8-K

February 24, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 23, 2016

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KULICKE AND SOFFA INDUSTRIES, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Pennsylvania  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

000-00121  
(Commission File Number)

23-1498399  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

23A Serangoon North Avenue 5, #01-01 K&S Corporate  
Headquarters, Singapore  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

554369  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (215) 784-6000

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

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

Kulicke and Soffa Industries, Inc. (the “Company”) held its Annual Meeting of Shareholders on February 23, 2016 (the “2016 Annual Meeting”).

The Company’s shareholders elected Mr. Brian R. Bachman and Ms. Mui Sung Yeo as directors to serve until the 2020 Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The votes were cast as follows:

|                  | For        | Withhold  | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| Brian R. Bachman | 51,037,936 | 1,582,706 | 10,916,706       |
| Mui Sung Yeo     | 50,782,444 | 1,838,198 | 10,916,706       |

The Company’s shareholders ratified the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP (Singapore) as the Company’s independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending October 1, 2016. The votes were cast as follows:

| For        | Against | Abstain |
|------------|---------|---------|
| 63,284,261 | 100,225 | 152,862 |

The Company’s shareholders approved, on a non-binding basis, the overall compensation of the Company’s named executive officers as described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis and the accompanying tabular and narrative disclosure included in the Company’s Proxy Statement for the 2016 Annual Meeting. The votes were cast as follows:

| For        | Against   | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| 51,197,058 | 1,159,739 | 263,845 | 10,916,706       |

SIGNATURE

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.

KULICKE AND SOFFA INDUSTRIES, INC.

Date: February 24, 2016

By: /s/ Jonathan H. Chou  
Name: Jonathan H. Chou  
Title: Interim Chief Executive Officer,  
Chief Financial Officer