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): May 5, 2023



(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-4018 (Commission File Number) 53-0257888 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3005 Highland Parkway
Downers Grove, Illinois
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60515 (Zip Code)

(630) 541-1540 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

| | ck 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 twing provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below): |
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| | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) |
| | 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)) |
| Secu | urities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: |

| Title of each class | Trading Symbol(s) | Name of each exchange on which registered |
|-----------------------|----------------------|--|
| Common Stock | DOV | New York Stock Exchange |
| 1.250% Notes due 2026 | DOV 26 | New York Stock Exchange |
| 0.750% Notes due 2027 | DOV 27 | New York Stock Exchange |

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 \square

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. \Box

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

On May 5, 2023, Dover Corporation (the "Company") held its Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "Annual Meeting"). At the Annual Meeting, the shareholders:

- (1) elected nine directors,
- (2) ratified the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for 2023,
- (3) approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis and the accompanying tables in the proxy statement ("Say-on-Pay") for the Annual Meeting, and
- (4) approved, on an advisory basis, the frequency of future advisory votes on executive compensation of the Company's named executive officers as described in the proxy statement ("Say-on-Frequency") for the Annual Meeting. In light of the outcome of Say-on-Frequency vote, the Board adopted a resolution to hold a Say-on-Pay vote annually until the next required Say-on-Frequency vote.

The shareholders did not approve the shareholder proposal regarding approval of certain termination payments.

The voting results for each such proposal are reported below.

1. To elect nine directors:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Vote |
|-------------|--|---|---|
| 117,796,196 | 695,750 | 204,325 | 9,083,933 |
| 117,629,924 | 861,024 | 205,323 | 9,083,933 |
| 105,901,056 | 12,592,152 | 203,063 | 9,083,933 |
| 105,616,610 | 12,865,924 | 213,737 | 9,083,933 |
| 117,844,486 | 651,267 | 200,518 | 9,083,933 |
| 117,573,419 | 906,348 | 216,504 | 9,083,933 |
| 117,344,673 | 1,164,699 | 186,899 | 9,083,933 |
| 114,326,514 | 4,166,998 | 202,759 | 9,083,933 |
| 114,999,826 | 3,499,315 | 197,130 | 9,083,933 |
| | 117,796,196 117,629,924 105,901,056 105,616,610 117,844,486 117,573,419 117,344,673 114,326,514 | 117,796,196 695,750 117,629,924 861,024 105,901,056 12,592,152 105,616,610 12,865,924 117,844,486 651,267 117,573,419 906,348 117,344,673 1,164,699 114,326,514 4,166,998 | 117,796,196 695,750 204,325 117,629,924 861,024 205,323 105,901,056 12,592,152 203,063 105,616,610 12,865,924 213,737 117,844,486 651,267 200,518 117,573,419 906,348 216,504 117,344,673 1,164,699 186,899 114,326,514 4,166,998 202,759 |

2. To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for 2023:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Vote |
|-------------|-------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| 123,470,169 | 4, 139, 923 | $1\overline{70,112}$ | 0 |

3. To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers:

| For | <u>Against</u> | <u>Abstain</u> | Broker Non-Vote |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 110,947,024 | 7,389,286 | 359,961 | 9,083,933 |

4. To approve, on an advisory basis, the frequency of holding an advisory vote on executive compensation:

 One Year
 Two Years
 Three Years
 Abstain
 Broker Non-Vote

 116,199,108
 229,518
 2,047,566
 220,189
 9,083,933

5. To consider a shareholder proposal regarding approval of certain termination payments:

 For
 Against
 Abstain
 Broker Non-Vote

 9,283,612
 109,014,811
 397,848
 9,083,933

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Current Report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 10, 2023

DOVER CORPORATION

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Ivonne M. Cabrera

Ivonne M. Cabrera

Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary