UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

(Rule 14A-101)

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

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Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)

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- Preliminary Proxy Statement
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MKS Instruments, Inc.

(Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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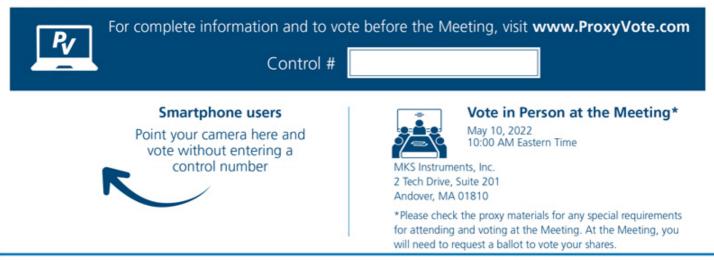
Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting To Be Held on May 10, 2022.

You invested in MKS INSTRUMENTS, INC. and it's time to vote!

You have the right to vote on proposals being presented at the Meeting.

Get informed before you vote

View the Annual Report, Notice & Proxy Statement online OR receive a free paper or email copy of the proxy materials by making a request prior to April 26, 2022. If you would like to request a copy of the proxy materials, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to sendmaterial@proxyvote.com. If sending an email, please include your control number (indicated below) in the subject line. If you want to receive a paper or email copy of the proxy materials, you must request one. Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to sendmaterial@proxyvote.com will NOT be forwarded to investment advisors of shareholders. This communication only presents an overview of the more complete proxy materials. We encourage shareholders to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.



You may also vote by mail or by telephone by requesting a free paper copy of the proxy materials as described above and following the instructions on your proxy card.

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This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the Meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to view the proxy materials and to vote on these important matters.

Voting Items		Board Recommends
1.	The election of the three nominees listed below as Class II Directors, each to serve for a three-year term: Nominees: 01) John T.C. Lee 02) Jacqueline F. Moloney 03) Michelle M. Warner	Sor For
2.	The approval of our 2022 Stock Incentive Plan.	Ser Ser
3.	The approval, on an advisory basis, of executive compensation.	Ser Ser
4.	The ratification of the selection of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2022.	🛛 For
NOTE: To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting and any adjournment or postponement of the Meeting.		

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