PITNEY BOWES INC /DE/ Form DEFA14A March 24, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

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Pitney Bowes Inc.

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*** Exercise Your Right to Vote ***

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Stockholder Meeting to Be Held on May 8, 2017.

PITNEY BOWES INC.

PITNEY BOWES INC. C/O BROADRIDGE CORPORATE ISSUER SOLUTIONS P.O. BOX 1342 BRENTWOOD, NY 11717

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting
For holders as of: March 10, 2017
Date: May 8, 2017 Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: Hyatt Regency Hotel

1800 East Putnam Avenue Old Greenwich, CT 06870

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the company named above.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete

proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

— Before You Vote —

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy
Materials
Available
to
VIEW
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RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT, ANNUAL REPORT TO STOCKHOLDERS, INCLUDING THE REPORT ON FORM 10-K

How

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Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) and visit: www.proxyvote.com.

How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:

- BY INTERNET: www.proxyvote.com
 BY TELEPHONE: 1-800-579-1639
- 3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

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Please make

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as instructed

above on or

before April

24, 2017 to

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delivery.

— How To Vote —

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Many stockholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares. Upon arrival, please present this admission ticket and valid government-issued photo identification at the registration desk.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to *www.proxyvote.com*. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (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 each of the nominees listed in proposal 1 below:

1. Election of Directors

Nominees:

- 1a. Linda G. Alvarado
- 1b. Anne M. Busquet
- 1c. Roger Fradin
- 1d. Anne Sutherland Fuchs
- 1e. S. Douglas Hutcheson
- 1f. Marc B. Lautenbach
- 1g. Eduardo R. Menascé
- 1h. Michael I. Roth
- 1i. Linda S. Sanford
- 1j. David L. Shedlarz
- 1k David B. Snow, Jr.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 2, 3 and EVERY YEAR for proposal 4.

- 2. Ratification of the Audit Committee's Appointment of the Independent Accountants for 2017.
- 3. Advisory Vote to Approve Executive Compensation.
- 4. Advisory Vote on the Frequency of Future Advisory Votes to Approve Executive Compensation.

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.