OPPENHEIMER HOLDINGS INC Form 8-K May 15, 2012

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 14, 2012

OPPENHEIMER HOLDINGS INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Commission File Number 1-12043

Delaware (State of incorporation)

98-0080034 (IRS Employer Identification No)

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125 Broad Street, New York, NY 10004

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(212) 668-8000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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SECTION 5 CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

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

- (a) On May 14, 2012, Oppenheimer Holdings Inc. (the Company) held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the Annual Meeting) in New York City.
- (b) At the Annual Meeting, the holders of the Company s Class B voting common stock (Class B Voting Stock) elected the seven directors named below to serve until their successors are elected and qualified. The votes for such persons were as follows:

Name	For	Withheld	Broker Non-Votes
R. Crystal	96,656	0	0
W. Ehrhardt	96,656	0	0
M.A.M. Keehner	96,656	0	0
A.G. Lowenthal	96,656	0	0
K.W. McArthur	96,656	0	0
A.W. Oughtred	96,656	0	0
E.K. Roberts	96,656	0	0

In addition, at the Annual Meeting, the holders of the Company s Class B Voting Stock ratified the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company s independent registered public accounting firm for the 2012 fiscal year and authorized the Audit Committee to fix such auditor s remuneration with 96,656 votes for such proposal, 0 votes against, and 0 abstentions as to such proposal.

Further, at the Annual Meeting, the holders of the Company s Class B Voting Stock ratified the amendment to the Company s 2006 Equity Incentive Plan described in the proxy statement with 96,656 votes for such proposal, 0 votes against, and 0 abstentions as to such proposal.

- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) Not currently applicable.

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.

Oppenheimer Holdings Inc.

Date: May 15, 2012

By: /s/ E.K. Roberts

E.K. Roberts

President and Treasurer

Principal Financial Officer)

(Duly Authorized Officer and