

CANON INC  
Form 6-K  
March 30, 2018

**FORM 6-K**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

**Report of Foreign Issuer**

**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of **March** **2018**,

**CANON INC.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

30-2, Shimomaruko 3-Chome, Ohta-Ku, Tokyo 146-8501, Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes      No

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

**CANON INC.**

(Registrant)

Date . **March 30, 2018**

By /s/ Eiji Shimizu  
(Signature)\*

Eiji Shimizu  
General Manager  
Consolidated Accounting Division  
Canon Inc.

\*Print the name and title of the signing officer under his signature.

The following materials are included.

1. Extraordinary Report

(Translation)

**Cover Page**

Document Name: Extraordinary Report  
Filed with: The Director-General of the Kanto Local Finance Bureau  
Filing Date: March 30, 2018  
Corporate Name: Canon Inc.  
Name and Title of Representative: Fujio Mitarai, Chairman & CEO  
Location of Head Office: 30-2, Shimomaruko 3-chome, Ohta-ku, Tokyo  
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Nagoya Stock Exchange, Inc.  
(8-20, Sakae 3-chome, Naka-ku, Nagoya)  
Fukuoka Stock Exchange  
(14-2, Tenjin 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka)  
Sapporo Securities Exchange  
(14-1, Minamiichijo-nishi 5-chome, Chuo-ku, Sapporo)

1. Reason for Filing

Canon Inc. (the Company) is filing this Extraordinary Report pursuant to Article 24-5, Paragraph 4 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Law and Article 19, Paragraph 2, Item 9-2 of the Cabinet Office Ordinance relating to the Disclosure of Details of Corporations, etc. to report the approval of resolutions at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders for the 117th Business Term (the Ordinary General Meeting) of the Company held at March 29, 2018.

2. Description of Report

(1) Date on which the Ordinary General Meeting was held:

March 29, 2018

(2) Details of the Matters to be Resolved:

Item No.1: Dividend from Surplus

a. Matters concerning allocation of dividend and its total amount:

85.00 yen per one common share of the Company

Total amount of dividend 91,779,241,555 yen

b. Effective date of the dividend from surplus:

March 30, 2018

Item No.2: Election of Seven Directors

It was proposed that the following persons be elected as Directors:

Messrs. Fujio Mitarai, Masaya Maeda, Toshizo Tanaka, Toshio Homma, Shigeyuki Matsumoto, Kunitaro Saida and Haruhiko Kato.

Item No.3: Election of Two Audit & Supervisory Board Members

It was proposed that the following persons be elected as Audit & Supervisory Board Members:

Messrs. Masaaki Nakamura and Koichi Kashimoto.

Item No.4: Grant of Bonus to Directors

It was proposed that bonus be granted to the five Directors excluding Outside Directors as of the end of this term, which totals 111,500,000 yen.

Item No.5: Revision of Remuneration, etc. for Directors

It was proposed that the stock-type compensation stock option plan be introduced, and the amount of remuneration of Directors relating to this stock-type compensation stock option plan be set at a yearly amount of 0.3 billion yen or less as part of a yearly amount of 1.8 billion yen or less, which was approved at the Company's Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders for the 112th Business Term.

(3) The number of voting rights concerning the indication of for, against or abstention for each item; Requirements for approving the items; and Results of resolutions

| Item                | For       | Against   | Abstention | Ratio of favorable votes | Results  |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Item No.1           | 7,935,847 | 6,271     | 1,257      | 97.50                    | Approved |
| Item No.2           |           |           |            |                          |          |
| Fujio Mitarai       | 7,576,444 | 276,396   | 90,458     | 93.08                    | Approved |
| Masaya Maeda        | 7,651,576 | 203,178   | 88,544     | 94.01                    | Approved |
| Toshizo Tanaka      | 7,627,126 | 316,173   | 2          | 93.71                    | Approved |
| Toshio Homma        | 7,640,866 | 302,434   | 2          | 93.87                    | Approved |
| Shigeyuki Matsumoto | 7,639,566 | 303,734   | 2          | 93.86                    | Approved |
| Kunitaro Saida      | 7,607,548 | 335,745   | 2          | 93.47                    | Approved |
| Haruhiko Kato       | 7,628,876 | 314,421   | 2          | 93.73                    | Approved |
| Item No.3           |           |           |            |                          |          |
| Masaaki Nakamura    | 7,637,379 | 304,369   | 1,435      | 93.83                    | Approved |
| Koichi Kashimoto    | 5,864,985 | 2,076,783 | 1,406      | 72.06                    | Approved |
| Item No.4           | 7,850,923 | 76,851    | 15,588     | 96.46                    | Approved |
| Item No.5           | 7,656,995 | 284,701   | 1,728      | 94.07                    | Approved |

Note: 1. Each of the number of For, Against and Abstention is the aggregate number of the voting rights a) exercised in advance by the day prior to the Ordinary General Meeting, and b) exercised by shareholders present at the Meeting (provided that such shareholders' intention to approve or disapprove the propositions could be ascertained.)

2. The Ratio of favorable votes is the ratio of the following 1) to 2);

1) the aggregate number of votes in favor exercised in advance by the day prior to the Ordinary General Meeting, and those exercised by shareholders present at the Meeting (provided that such shareholders' intention to approve the propositions could be ascertained.)

2) the total number of voting rights exercised in advance by the day prior to the Ordinary General Meeting and those of shareholders present at the Meeting.

3. The requirements for approval of each resolution are as follows:

- For Item 1, 4 and 5, a majority of the votes of the shareholders present at the Ordinary General Meeting who are entitled to exercise voting rights;

- For Item 2 and 3, a majority of the votes of the shareholders present at the Ordinary General Meeting who hold shares representing in aggregate not less than one-third (1/3) of the votes of all shareholders entitled to exercise voting rights.

\* In this paragraph, each number of voting rights held by shareholders present at the Meeting includes the number of voting rights exercised in writing or by means of electronic transmission.

(4) The aggregate number of a) voting rights exercised in advance by the day prior to the Ordinary General Meeting and b) voting rights exercised by shareholders present at the Meeting, and such shareholders' intention to approve or disapprove the propositions could be ascertained, was sufficient to meet all requirements pursuant to the Corporation Law to approve all of the items. Accordingly, voting rights of shareholders present at the Ordinary General Meeting whose intention to approve or disapprove the propositions or abstain from the vote could not be ascertained, were not counted.