

GLOBAL INDUSTRIES LTD  
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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
SCHEDULE 14A

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Voting items The Board of Directors recommends that you vote FOR the following: 1. Election of Directors Nominees 01 Charles O. Buckner 02 John A. Clerico 03 Lawrence R. Dickerson 04 Edward P. Djerejian 05 William J. Doré 06 Larry E. Farmer 07 Edgar G. Hotard 08 Richard A. Pattarozzi 09 James L. Payne 10 Michael J. Pollock 11 John B. Reed The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal(s): 2 To approve an amendment to the Company s Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock. 3 To ratify the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the independent public accountants for the Company to serve for the 2010 fiscal year. NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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