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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 2, 2018

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda 001-32141 98-0429991

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or (Commission File (I.R.S. Employer Identification

organization) Number) No.)

Assured Guaranty Ltd. 30 Woodbourne Avenue

Hamilton HM 08 Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (441) 279-5700

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d 2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e 4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2). Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

Assured Guaranty Ltd. (the "Company") convened its annual general meeting of shareholders on May 2, 2018, pursuant to notice duly given. The matters voted upon at the meeting and the results of such voting are set forth below:

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Election of
  Directors
  1a) Francis L. Borges
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     For
     98,601,86895,284
                          83,345 6,010,224
  1b)G. Lawrence Buhl
     For
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
               Against
     96,803,8991,898,015 78,583 6,010,224
  1c) Dominic J. Frederico
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     97,691,5351,004,999 83,963 6,010,224
  1d)Bonnie L. Howard
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     98,672,66924,122
                          83,706 6,010,224
  1e) Thomas W. Jones
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     98,619,72527,103
                          133,6696,010,224
  1f) Patrick W. Kenny
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     96,905,8231,791,092 83,582 6,010,224
  1g) Alan J. Kreczko
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     98,669,56127,354
                          83,582 6,010,224
  1h)Simon W. Leathes
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     98,548,152148,763
                          83,582 6,010,224
  1i) Michael T. O'Kane
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     For
               Against
     97,381,1161,267,475 131,9066,010,224
  1j) Yukiko Omura
     For
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     98,564,787132,064
                          83,646 6,010,224
To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation 2.
  paid to the Company's named executive officers.
               Against
                          Abstain Broker Non-Votes
     For
     59,373,24739,198,757208,4936,010,224
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To appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP ("PwC") as the Company's independent auditor for the fiscal year ending

3. December 31, 2018, and to authorize the Board of Directors, acting through its Audit Committee, to set the fees of the independent auditor:

For Against Abstain 103,305,848 1,383,086101,787

To authorize the Company to vote for directors of the

"Company's subsidiary, Assured Guaranty Re Ltd. ("AG Re"):

4aa. Howard W. Albert

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes 98,671,277 30,133 79,087 6,010,224

4ab. Robert A. Bailenson

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,670,809 30,971 78,717 6,010,224

4ac. Russell B. Brewer II

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,671,271 30,069 79,157 6,010,224

4ad. Gary Burnet

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,671,799 30,003 78,695 6,010,224

4ae. Ling Chow

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,673,873 28,144 78,480 6,010,224

4af. Stephen Donnarumma

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,666,405 34,935 79,157 6,010,224

4ag. Dominic J. Frederico

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,670,928 30,412 79,157 6,010,224

4ah. Walter A. Scott

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Votes

98,670,844 30,496 79,157 6,010,224

To authorize the Company to appoint PwC as AG Re's

4B. independent auditor for the fiscal year ending December 31,

2018.

For Against Abstain 103,320,109 1,377,04293,570

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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.

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD.

By:/s/ Ling Chow Name: Ling Chow Title: General Counsel

DATE: May 4, 2018