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 10, 2012

MaxLinear, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

14-1896129

(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

Delaware 001-34666
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number)

2051 Palomar Airport Road, Suite 100, Carlsbad, California 92011 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (760) 692-0711

N/A

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

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

MaxLinear, Inc. ("MaxLinear") held its 2012 annual meeting of stockholders on May 10, 2012 (the "Annual Meeting"). Of the 22,175,183 shares of MaxLinear's Class A common stock and 11,188,001 shares of MaxLinear's Class B common stock outstanding as of March 12, 2012, 20,517,923 shares of Class A common stock and 10,996,060 shares of Class B common stock were represented at the Annual Meeting, either in person or by proxy, constituting, of the shares entitled to vote, 93% of the outstanding shares of Class A common stock, 98% of the outstanding shares of Class B common stock, and collectively 94% of the outstanding shares of Class A common stock and Class B common stock. The matters voted on at the Annual Meeting and the votes cast with respect to each such matter are set forth below.

1. Election of Class III Director by the holders of Class A common stock and Class B common stock. The following nominee was re-elected by the holders of Class A common stock and Class B common stock, voting together as a single class, to serve as a Class III director to hold office until MaxLinear's 2015 annual meeting of stockholders or until his successor has been duly elected and qualified or his earlier resignation or removal:

 Nominee
 Votes For Thomas E. Pardun
 Votes Against 1,505,883
 Votes Withheld 19,825
 Broker Non-Votes 7,357,622

2. Election of Class III Director by the holders of Class B common stock. The following nominee was re-elected by the holders of Class B common stock, voting separately as a class, to hold office until MaxLinear's 2015 annual meeting of stockholders or until his successor has been duly elected and qualified or his earlier resignation or removal:

3. Vote to approve amendments to 2010 Equity Incentive Plan and 2004 Stock Plan to allow for one-time option exchange. For purposes of this proposal, each outstanding share of Class B common stock was entitled to ten votes, and each outstanding share of Class A common stock was entitled to one vote. Amendments to our 2010 Equity Incentive Plan and our 2004 Stock Plan to allow for a one-time option exchange that will permit our eligible employees to exchange certain outstanding stock options for a lesser number of restricted stock units to be granted under our 2010 Equity Incentive Plan with an adjusted vesting schedule was approved by our stockholders:

 Votes For
 Votes Against
 Abstentions
 Broker Non-Votes

 112,476,809
 10,469,244
 174,848
 7,357,622

4. Advisory Vote to Approve Named Executive Officer Compensation. On an advisory basis, the compensation of our named executive officers as disclosed in our proxy statement was approved by our stockholders:

 Votes For
 Votes Against
 Abstentions
 Broker Non-Votes

 23,596,308
 277,756
 282,297
 7,357,622

5. Ratification of Appointment of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm. The appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as MaxLinear's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2012, was ratified based on the following results of voting:

 Votes For
 Votes Against
 Abstentions
 Broker Non-Votes

 31,287,713
 46,405
 179,865
 N/A

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.

Date: May 14, 2012 MAXLINEAR, INC.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Kishore Seendripu, Ph.D.

Kishore Seendripu, Ph.D. President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)