

2024 Annual Stewardship Report



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Approach to Investment Stewardship

Dimensional advocates for stronger governance practices at the companies in which we invest on behalf of our clients because we believe it can improve returns for investors.¹

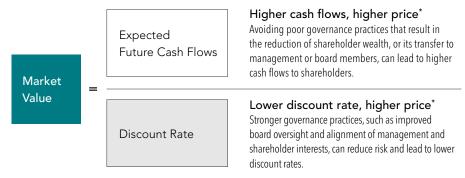
Dimensional manages global equity and fixed income strategies for clients around the world. We aim in all areas to be responsible stewards of our clients' assets, and one way we look to do so is through our stewardship activities. Stewardship activities include engaging with boards and management at portfolio companies, voting on behalf of our clients at shareholder meetings, and advocating for policies that we believe protect and enhance shareholder value.

Our Stewardship Philosophy

At Dimensional, we believe that security prices reflect the aggregate expectations of market participants, which may include information about a company's governance practices. Improvements in corporate governance may be rewarded with higher market prices if they enhance expected future cash flows or reduce perceived risks, as shown below.²

Stewardship activities that promote better governance practices may improve returns to shareholders. When there is evidence of poor governance practices at a portfolio company, Dimensional generally believes our clients are better served when we promote improvements in corporate governance through stewardship activities rather than divesting.

STRONGER GOVERNANCE PRACTICES CAN IMPROVE RETURNS



*All else equal. Not guaranteed.

^{1. &}quot;Dimensional," "our," "us," or "we" may refer to the Dimensional separate but affiliated entities generally, rather than one particular entity. These entities are Dimensional Fund Advisors LP, Dimensional Fund Advisors Ltd., DFA Australia Limited, Dimensional Fund Advisors Canada ULC, Dimensional Fund Advisors Pte. Ltd., Dimensional Ireland Limited, and Dimensional Japan Ltd.

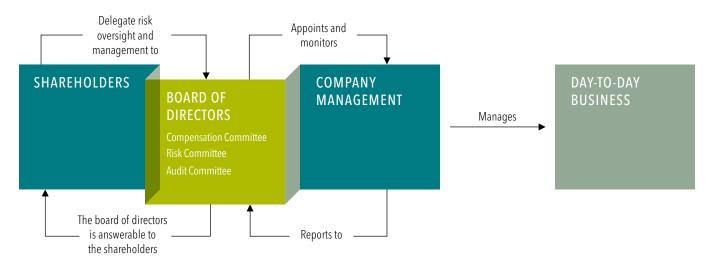
^{2.} Dimensional from time to time may discuss governance matters with portfolio companies to represent client interests; however, regardless of such conversations, Dimensional acquires securities on behalf of its clients solely for the purpose of investment and not with the purpose or intended effect of changing or influencing the control of any portfolio company.

A Focus on Good Governance

Dimensional believes that stewardship efforts should focus on people, policies, and practices that seek to improve governance at portfolio companies. As illustrated in the graphic below, shareholders delegate leadership and oversight of company management to the board of directors, which is accountable to shareholders. Company management implements day-to-day business matters and is accountable to the board. We believe the goal of good governance is to align boards and management incentives with shareholder interests.

Without strong, foundational governance practices and effective boards, companies may be poorly equipped to address matters of concern to shareholders, including a broad range of environmental, social, and governance ("ESG") issues.

LEADERSHIP BEGINS WITH BOARDS OF DIRECTORS



Dimensional's stewardship activities focus on the following foundational issues of good governance.

STEWARDSHIP PRIORITIES

Board Structure and Composition

Companies should elect strong, qualified boards with appropriate skill sets to oversee management and risks.

Oversight and Disclosure of Material Risks

Company boards should exercise oversight of material risks, including environmental and social risks, and disclose these risks and their oversight.

Shareholder Rights

Companies should maintain mechanisms for shareholders to raise concerns and hold boards and management accountable.

Executive Compensation

Compensation plans should be based on rigorous and transparent metrics that clearly link pay and longterm performance.

Implementation Process

Investment stewardship at Dimensional is a global effort supported by multiple teams. Dimensional's stewardship efforts are overseen by the Investment Stewardship Committee of Dimensional Fund Advisors LP. This group of senior employees and directors, listed below, is chaired by the Head of Investment Stewardship Group and includes members of Dimensional's Portfolio Management, Executive, and Compliance teams, as well as the Head of Responsible Investment and members of Dimensional's Board of Directors. The Investment Stewardship Committee, a subcommittee of the Investment Committee of Dimensional Fund Advisors LP, is responsible for developing our policies and approach to investment stewardship, which are then executed by the Investment Stewardship Group in coordination with other groups.

INVESTMENT STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE OF DIMENSIONAL FUND ADVISORS LP4

Kristin Drake	Chair of Investment Stewardship Committee, Head of Investment Stewardship Group
Eugene Fama	Consultant and Dimensional Director ³
Kenneth French	Consultant and Dimensional Director ³
David Booth	Chairman, Founder, and Dimensional Director ³
Dave Butler	Co-Chief Executive Officer and Dimensional Director ³
Gerard O'Reilly	Co-Chief Executive Officer, Co-Chief Investment Officer, and Dimensional Director ³
Will Collins-Dean	Senior Portfolio Manager
Joel Schneider	Deputy Head of Portfolio Management, North America
Jim Whittington	Head of Responsible Investment, Senior Portfolio Manager
Selwyn Notelovitz	Global Chief Compliance Officer
Valerie Brown ⁵	Deputy General Counsel

^{3.} Board of Directors of the general partner of Dimensional Fund Advisors LP.

^{4.} Committee membership, individual names, and titles as of June 30, 2024.

^{5.} Ex officio.

Global stewardship activities are supported by a global staff of over 20 in six offices and cover thousands of portfolio companies across over 40 countries.

GLOBAL STEWARDSHIP IMPLEMENTATION⁶

The Investment Committee

Responsible for setting Dimensional's proxy voting policy and guidelines for voting and overseeing each Dimensional entity's proxy voting process.

Responsible for overseeing the incorporation of ESG considerations into certain portfolios' design and construction.

The Investment Stewardship Committee

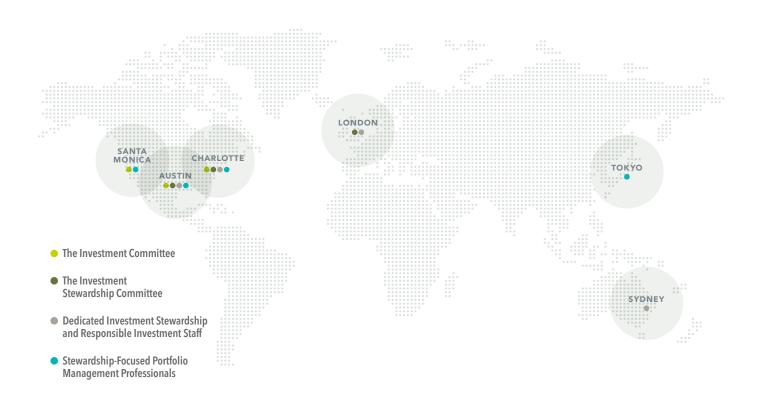
Responsible for recommending changes to Dimensional's proxy voting policy, considering complex proxy voting cases, and overseeing the Investment Stewardship Group.

Dedicated Investment Stewardship and Responsible Investment Staff

The Investment Stewardship Group implements stewardship efforts by conducting engagements, instructing proxy votes, and making recommendations to the Investment Stewardship Committee on potential enhancements to the firm's stewardship policies, procedures, and operations. The Responsible Investment team is responsible for coordinating Dimensional's firmwide ESG investment strategy across areas such as sustainability product design, data, ESG regulatory requirements, ESG research, and ESG thought leadership.

Stewardship-Focused Portfolio Management Professionals

Cross-functional portfolio management staff offer support and insight into region-specific investment and client considerations that may impact our stewardship activities.



Dimensional's proxy voting policy is principles-based, setting out our views on certain governance practices and providing the framework by which Dimensional analyzes key proposal types. However, a fund's or account's investment strategy can impact voting determinations. For example, in our dedicated social and sustainability strategies, we follow proxy voting guidelines tailored in certain circumstances to consider social and sustainability objectives when evaluating certain proxy votes.

Dimensional seeks to vote (or refrain from voting) proxies on behalf of our clients in a manner that seeks to maximize the value of the client's investment, subject to any particular investment or voting guidelines of specific funds or accounts. These votes can be on routine business matters raised by management, such as executive compensation plans, or issues raised by other shareholders, such as environmental shareholder proposals.

In addition to voting activities, the Investment Stewardship Group may engage with portfolio companies directly to understand their perspective on a particular topic or to provide our point of view.⁷ Engagement can take the form of meetings and calls with board directors and company executives or written letters. Each year, Dimensional identifies focused stewardship topics and may conduct letter campaigns to engage with a broader set of portfolio companies and pinpoint opportunities for additional engagement on these key issues.

The Investment Stewardship Group may consider news and other developments that might affect portfolio companies when undertaking stewardship activities. As part of our risk management process, we monitor securities in our eligible universe for reports of potential involvement in significant controversies, including ESG-related controversies. If we believe that these controversies are likely to have a material impact on a portfolio company's financials, we may temporarily exclude the portfolio company from purchase, and the Investment Stewardship Group may follow up on this controversy with engagement.

To keep track of upcoming general meetings and execute votes on behalf of clients, Dimensional retains certain third-party proxy service providers, though we remain responsible for proxy voting decisions. The Investment Stewardship Group may conduct its own independent research, gather additional data, and engage with a company's board or its management, if needed, before coming to a decision.

Outcomes for Shareholders

The goal of our approach to stewardship is to effectively use engagement and voting to protect and enhance shareholder value. Stewardship is an important element of our investment process and commitment to our clients, and the following sections summarize notable activities and examples of stewardship work conducted by Dimensional's team during the proxy year.

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Investment Stewardship Activities

July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024

Dimensional's investment stewardship efforts seek to improve governance practices at portfolio companies in a way that we believe may protect and enhance shareholder value. The following statistics provide a broad overview of Dimensional's engagement and proxy voting activities during the proxy year.

Global Engagement

Engagements⁸

Global Proxy Voting

Meetings Voted

Proposale Voted

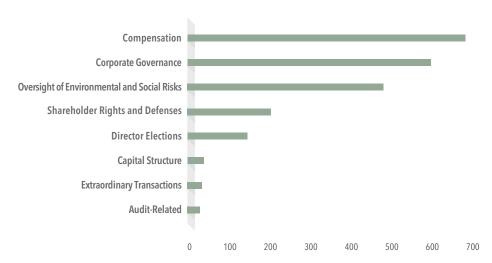
^{8.} Includes calls with portfolio companies and dissident and shareholder proponents.

Company Engagements

Dimensional engages with portfolio companies to better understand their governance practices and advocate for strong corporate governance.

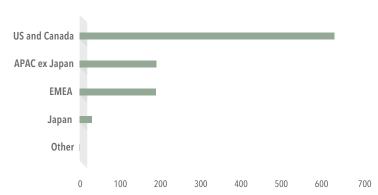
More than half of total engagements included discussions on compensation.

ENGAGEMENTS BY TOPIC⁹



Engagements outside of North America represented nearly 40% of total engagements for the 2024 proxy year.

ENGAGEMENTS BY REGION



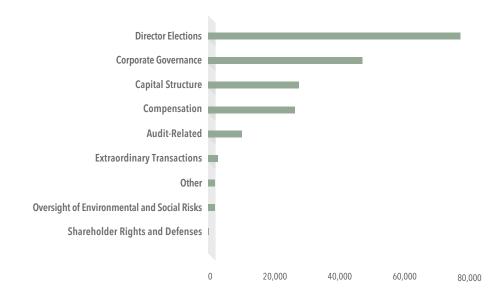
^{9.} Engagements may cover multiple topics. Total number of topical discussions will exceed total number of portfolio company discussions due to many discussions covering multiple stewardship topics. Categories based on SEC Form N-PX. See "Appendix: Form N-PX Voting Categories" for additional details. Compensation category includes the following N-PX categories: Compensation; and Section 14A say-on-pay. Oversight of Environmental and Social Risks includes the following N-PX categories: Environment or climate; Other social issues; Diversity, equity, and inclusion; and Human rights or human capital/workforce. Compensation and Oversight of Environmental and Social Risks as represented above remove duplicate engagement counts. Categories without data, such as investment company matters and other, are not included.

Proxy Voting

Management proposals represented 97% of the proposals voted. Shareholder proposals represented 3% of proposals voted.

Dimensional votes (or refrains from voting) proxies at shareholder meetings globally to hold boards and management of portfolio companies accountable to shareholders and promote governance best practices.

PROPOSALS VOTED BY TOPIC10

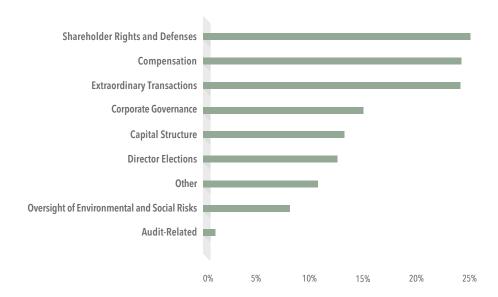


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Shareholder rights and defenses and compensation were the issues on which Dimensional most frequently voted against management at portfolio companies.

VOTES AGAINST MANAGEMENT BY TOPIC

Dimensional votes (or refrains from voting) proxies in accordance with internal guidelines, which are designed to encourage portfolio companies to maintain governance policies consistent with maximizing shareholder value.



Advocating for Shareholder Rights at Baloise Holding AG

Switzerland, Financials

Goal	Advocate for improved shareholder voting rights.
Background	Baloise Holding AG ("Baloise") maintained a provision in its governing documents that restricted the voting rights of any shareholders to 2% of shares outstanding, even if the shareholder held more than 2% of shares. In advance of Baloise's Annual General Meeting in April 2024, Capital ("the Proponent") submitted a shareholder proposal seeking to remove this cap.
Engagement	Dimensional engaged with both Baloise and the Proponent to understand the implications of removing the voting rights cap.
	Baloise's representatives explained that the voting rights restrictions they have in place are common market practice in Switzerland, and that such restrictions are generally intended to support the long-term independence of a company and protect the company from potential hostile takeovers initiated by short-term-focused shareholders.
	During the engagement with the Proponent, they stated that the current provision serves as an antitakeover device that deters offers that could be beneficial to shareholders. The Proponent noted that the 2% voting rights restrictions maintained by the company were more restrictive than the 5% cap maintained by most of its market cap and industry peers.
Outcome	Dimensional strongly opposes antitakeover mechanisms and believes that the market for corporate control, which can result in acquisitions that increase shareholder value, should be able to function without undue restrictions. Therefore, Dimensional supported the shareholder proposal to remove the 2% shares outstanding limit, which passed with 78.2% support.
	As shareholder proposals in Switzerland are binding, the cap was removed

immediately after the meeting.

Cybersecurity Risk Oversight Engagement and Voting at UnitedHealth Group Incorporated

United States, Health Care

Goal

Board accountability of cybersecurity risks oversight and data protection.

Background

On February 22, 2024, UnitedHealth Group Incorporated ("UnitedHealth") announced that it was the victim of a ransomware cyberattack. In the week following the announcement, the stock price fell 6.25%. Dimensional's Investment Stewardship team identified this issue through our ongoing news and security monitoring processes.

On May 1, 2024, the UnitedHealth CEO stated in congressional testimony that the server accessed by the attackers, contrary to the portfolio company's policies, did not have multifactor authentication protection. The CEO also testified that UnitedHealth paid the attackers a \$22 million ransom payment and that the attack compromised the health and personal data of an estimated one-third of Americans.

Engagement

In May 2024, Dimensional engaged with UnitedHealth to understand the role of the board in overseeing cybersecurity. UnitedHealth confirmed that, as outlined in its committee charter, the board's audit committee maintains oversight of the portfolio company's policies, procedures, and resource commitment in the areas of cybersecurity and data protection, including key risk areas and mitigation strategies.

Outcome

Dimensional believes that portfolio company boards are responsible for addressing material risks within their stated duties. Dimensional voted against all incumbent members of the audit committee standing for reelection at the June 2024 annual shareholder meeting due to the material impact of their failure to ensure the portfolio company's data protection policy was being followed. The incumbent members of the audit committee were ultimately reelected, receiving between 91% and 93% support.

Board Oversight Voting at Olam Group Limited

Singapore, Consumer Staples Distribution and Retail

Goal

Advocate for effective board oversight of portfolio company practices to improve safety.

Background

Olam Group Limited ("Olam Group") is a global food distributor operating across Africa and Asia through various subsidiaries as well as two separately governed businesses: Olam Global Agri ("Olam Agri") and Olam Food Ingredients ("OFI"). In its 2023 annual report, Olam Group stated that in 2023 the total number of fatalities across the organization's activities, including Olam Group, Olam Agri, OFI, and its subsidiaries, reached 16, and 2023 was the third consecutive year of increased fatalities. These deaths, which included employees, contractors, and a member of the public, were a result of road safety and vehicle accidents, agricultural equipment accidents, and falls.

Olam Group stated in its annual report that, following these fatalities, the different organizations had made various changes to their policies and operations, including additional training and modification of equipment. The portfolio company stated that the leadership of the organizations had also conducted reviews of these incidents.

Engagement

In April 2024, Dimensional requested an engagement with Olam Group before the company's April 2024 Annual General Meeting (AGM) to better understand company practices around fatalities and safety. Olam Group declined the request.

Outcome

While the Olam Group has disclosed some information about changes made in response to the fatalities across the various organizations, the portfolio company lacked sufficient disclosure as to how it plans to address the issue by reducing the trend of increasing fatalities as well as the results of any investigations into the causes of the fatalities. Although Olam Group's responsibility and sustainability committee has board-level oversight of safety and health across all the organizations, it does not disclose an overarching set of policies and procedures governing the oversight and management of safety risks that is applicable across the various organizations.

The lack of appropriate disclosure around the past fatalities, combined with the high frequency and persistence of fatalities, led Dimensional to vote against the only incumbent board member of the responsibility and sustainability committee up for election. At the AGM, the board member won the majority of votes and was reelected.

Dimensional intends to monitor for the disclosure of the company's safety measures going forward.

Remuneration Practices at Qantas Airways Limited

Australia, Passenger Airlines

Goal

Communicate our concerns with the portfolio company's remuneration and governance practices.

Background

After investigating consumer complaints, the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) filed a lawsuit against Qantas Airways Limited ("Qantas") in August 2023 alleging the company illegally sold tickets for over 8,000 flights between May and July 2022 without disclosing they had been canceled. The ACCC may seek a record penalty of up to AUS 250 million if the company loses the court case. Additionally, Qantas lost a civil lawsuit in September 2023 after Australia's High Court affirmed previous lower court rulings that it had illegally fired 1,700 ground staff in 2020.

Following these events, Qantas's Chief Executive Officer, Alan Joyce, announced he would retire two months earlier than previously scheduled, and Qantas's board subsequently announced plans for a board renewal, which included the departure of two independent directors and the board chair. Qantas also revised its executive remuneration practices to include greater consideration for reputational matters, as disclosed in its 2023 Annual Report.

Engagement

Dimensional engaged with Qantas's board chair and remuneration committee chair to understand the company's board refreshment process and discuss Qantas's ongoing legal and reputational issues. Dimensional raised concerns regarding the portfolio company's policies allowing for remuneration recoupment for executives in instances of misconduct, and specifically how the policy was being applied to Joyce's remuneration in light of recent reputational damages to the company.

Additionally, Dimensional sought to understand why the Qantas board allowed Joyce to sell over 90% of his Qantas shares in June 2023 after complying with an ACCC compulsory notice to provide data as part of the canceled flights investigation. Qantas's board approved the sale, noting the absence of ACCC litigation in June and the lack of a legal reason to prevent Joyce from selling his shares.

Outcome

Dimensional expects portfolio companies to structure executive compensation in a manner that does not insulate management from the consequences of failures of risk oversight and management. Despite the extensive issues facing Qantas, short-term executive incentive pay for fiscal year 2023 was only reduced by 20%, and payouts were higher, at 126% of target. Dimensional believed that the Qantas board's decision to exercise its discretion not to recoup deferred awards to the former CEO further represented a misalignment of pay and performance. Consistent with our view that executive compensation should align management interests with shareholder interests, at the November 2023 annual general meeting (AGM), Dimensional voted against the remuneration report, which ultimately failed to pass. The resolution received significant shareholder opposition (82.9% dissent) and was notably the second-highest shares voted against a remuneration report resolution for an Australian Securities Exchange (ASX)-listed company in November 2023.

Additionally, Dimensional voted against an incumbent board member of the remuneration and audit committees up for reelection given his role in the portfolio company's concerning remuneration practices and broader reputational issues. Despite receiving significant shareholder opposition (33.9% dissent), the director was reelected.

Dimensional intends to monitor Qantas's response to the shareholder vote and the company's decisions relating to executive pay, board refreshment, and reputation restoration going forward.

Forced Labor Campaign

Campaign Goal

Communicate Dimensional's expectation of board oversight of human rights risks, including forced labor, to portfolio companies operating in industries where forced labor may be a material risk.

Background

Dimensional expects portfolio companies to disclose information on human rights issues, such as identifying the specific risks, potential impacts, and details on how these are monitored through the supply chain, governance over the risks, and any details of violations or corrective action.

In February 2024, Dimensional sent letters to 94 portfolio companies across the Europe, Middle East, Africa and the Asia Pacific regions in industries where the United Nations Global Compact identified forced labor as a material risk, and Dimensional clients held more than 1% of shares outstanding as of December 31, 2023. Dimensional's letter asks portfolio companies to disclose the extent to which forced labor poses a material risk to the company. To the extent that forced labor is deemed a material risk, the letter requests disclosure of the role of the portfolio company's board in overseeing the risks posed by forced labor throughout the organization and supply chain, as well as disclosure of the policies and procedures in place to address the risks posed by forced labor.

Outcomes and Observations

On an ongoing basis, Dimensional is receiving responses from letter recipients. The responses are varied, with some recipients expressing a willingness to consider changing their practices, while others cited objections to the level of disclosures we requested.

Dimensional's Investment Stewardship Group is monitoring company responses, reviewing portfolio company disclosures, and if necessary, engaging and considering potential voting actions against the directors if disclosures remain insufficient, in accordance with Dimensional's proxy voting guidelines.

Data (AS OF JUNE 30, 2024)



Letters Addressing Forced Labor



Responses



Engagements

Shareholder Rights Letter Campaign

Campaign Goal

Communicate Dimensional's position on unequal voting rights and poison pills to portfolio companies enacting these provisions.

Background

In February 2023, Dimensional sent letters to 123 US-based portfolio companies to raise our concerns regarding their governance practices, specifically companies where our clients held more than 1% in common stock and observed either unequal voting-rights share structures or a nonshareholder-approved poison pill. The letters outlined that, in our view, these practices are likely detrimental to shareholder value through board and management entrenchment and reduced accountability to shareholders. The letters also shared Dimensional's approach to voting against directors when they are up for election at companies that maintain these practices, including where they serve on the boards of other portfolio companies that were otherwise consistent with Dimensional's guidelines.

Outcomes and Observations

As a follow-up to the letters we sent, Dimensional received 49 portfolio company responses and engaged with 44 of the companies. Dimensional received a range of responses from portfolio companies we targeted as part of this campaign. In some cases, companies expressed a willingness to consider changing their practices. In other cases, companies cited barriers to taking action, such as a controlling shareholder, or stated they believed their practices were in line with those of peers. Of the companies that received the letter, Dimensional voted against 653 directors at 83 unique portfolio companies due to concerns related to the adoption or maintenance of poison pills and unequal-voting-rights structures. In addition to voting against directors at firms that adopted nonshareholder-approved poison pills and received our letter, we also voted against 12 of those directors with respect to their position on the boards of other portfolio companies.

Letters Sent by Issue¹¹



Letters Addressing Unequal Voting Rights



Letters Addressing Nonshareholder-Approved Poison Pills

^{11.} Of the 123 portfolio companies that received letters from Dimensional, two were sent a letter addressing unequal voting rights and a letter addressing nonshareholder-approved poison pills.

Shareholder Rights Letter Campaign (continued)

Key Statistics (AS OF JUNE 30, 2024)



Directors Voted Against for Concerns Related to Unequal Voting Rights



Directors Voted Against for Concerns Related to Nonshareholder-Approved Poison Pills



Engagements Related to Unequal Voting Rights and Nonshareholder-Approved Poison Pills Company Example: PJT Partners Inc.

Background

PJT Partners Inc., a US-based financial services public company, was a recipient of Dimensional's letter due to its dual-class share structure with unequal voting rights. Additionally, the portfolio company maintains other practices that Dimensional is generally opposed to: a classified board and a supermajority vote requirement to approve amendments to its charter and bylaws. Prior to the portfolio company's May 2023 annual shareholder meeting, Dimensional engaged with members of the management team to discuss our concerns with the portfolio company's governance practices. The portfolio company disclosed in that engagement and in the 2023 proxy statement that it has been fielding shareholder concerns regarding its board structure and governance practices. In June 2024, we again discussed our concerns with PJT's governance practices.

Outcome

Given the portfolio company's concerning governance practices, Dimensional withheld a vote from the lead independent director at the company's May 2023 annual shareholder meeting. Despite this, the lead independent director was reelected in 2023. Our concerns continued in 2024, and we voted against all directors up for reelection at the 2024 annual shareholder meeting, where ultimately each was reelected.

Public Policy

Industry Participation and Public Policy Advocacy

Dimensional participates in industry groups with the goal of improving the structural and regulatory environment in a way that benefits the industry, the market, and our clients. We believe that certain matters are best addressed at an industry or regulatory level, because it is important to establish level playing fields across all publicly traded companies in a market. Our participation in industry events and groups can also spark our own innovation and application of best practices. We also consider industry-wide standards and guidelines set by bodies such as the Japan Stewardship Code, United Nations Principles of Responsible Investing, and Sustainability Accounting Standards Board.

INDUSTRY GROUP DIMENSIONAL PARTICIPANT

International Corporate Governance Network	Dimensional Fund Advisors LP	
Council of Institutional Investors	Dimensional Fund Advisors LP	
The Investment Association (UK)	Dimensional Fund Advisors Ltd.	
Program on Institutional Investors at Harvard Law School	Dimensional Fund Advisors LP	
Investment Company Institute	Dimensional Fund Advisors LP	
ICI Global	Dimensional	
Responsible Investment Association Australasia (RIAA)	DFA Australia Limited	
Asia Corporate Governance Association	Dimensional Fund Advisors LP	
United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (UN PRI)	Dimensional	

Stewardship Codes

As part of our commitment to encouraging strong governance, Dimensional Fund Advisors LP is a signatory to the Japan Stewardship Code, and Dimensional Fund Advisors Ltd. has been a signatory to the UK Stewardship Code 2020 since 2021. Dimensional is also a signatory to the United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (UN PRI) and occasionally participates in UN PRI working groups, surveys, and events.

Public Policy Advocacy

July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024

transparent markets, improve the investor experience, and appropriately balance the costs of regulatory compliance with the benefits to investors. Our public policy advocacy efforts are led by Stephanie Hui, Lead Counsel, Public Policy, and Vice President, and includes cross-team collaboration from senior executives, Portfolio Management, Research, the Responsible Investment team, and Legal. Through our engagement with regulators and participation in industry groups, we believe we can encourage positive regulatory developments that may benefit our clients and investors. Between July 1, 2023, and June 30, 2024, Dimensional submitted 12 letters to 6 different regulatory bodies around the world on a variety of topics impacting investors, asset managers, funds, and the market. Selected topics are described below.

Dimensional advocates for public policies that we believe will promote fair and

Read the letter to the SEC on Disseminating Information on US Treasury Security Transactions

November 30, 2023



Policy Spotlight: Fair and Transparent Markets

At Dimensional, our investment approach is based on our enduring belief in the power of markets, and we advocate for policies that support fair and efficient markets. Dimensional strongly believes that market transparency fosters a fair and efficient market and that market participants are best served when public information is disseminated evenly to all market participants.

US and UK Fixed Income Market Transparency

Dimensional has advocated for increased transparency in the fixed income market for a number of years. In the US, transparency in the fixed income market is largely made possible by the Trade Reporting and Compliance Engine (TRACE), which provides public access to reliable bond information by requiring the reporting of over-the-counter transactions in eligible fixed income securities within 15 minutes of execution. TRACE has set the global standard for bond market transparency; however, we believe there is room for improvement. For example, the types of securities required to be reported through TRACE could be expanded, data could be disseminated more quickly, and additional specificity of large trade sizes could be provided.

In July 2023 and December 2023, the UK Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) published consultation papers proposing a framework for a UK consolidated tape for bonds. Under the proposed framework, trading venues would be required to send data to a consolidated tape provider in as close to real time as technically possible, and the consolidated tape provider would publish the data in real time as soon as reasonably possible after receipt, subject to a deferrals regime that would permit data for transactions above certain thresholds to be reported later. Dimensional submitted a letter in support of the establishment of a consolidated tape, noting the benefits to investors of further post-trade bond transparency, and urged the FCA to take steps toward complete and immediate post-trade data dissemination.

Over the reporting period, Dimensional submitted five letters to regulators in support of greater transparency in the fixed income market. In February 2024, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority Inc. (FINRA), which administers TRACE, and the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, which runs a system similar to TRACE for municipal bonds, filed proposed rule changes with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) to shorten the reporting time frame for securities currently subject to a 15-minute reporting time frame to one minute. We submitted comment letters in support of both proposals, and in September 2024, the SEC approved both FINRA's and MSRB's proposed rule changes. We are supportive of these changes because, as we have learned since the launch of TRACE in 2002, transparency fosters a fair and efficient market, which benefits all investors.

Read the letter to the UK FCA on Improving Bond Transparency

March 6, 2024



Viewpoint: Advocating for Investors— Public Policy at Dimensional

At Dimensional, we advocate for public policies that we believe will promote efficient markets, improve the investor experience, and appropriately balance the costs of regulatory compliance with the benefits to investors. By engaging with regulators, we believe we can encourage positive regulatory developments that may benefit our clients, the market, and investors in public markets in general.



Stephanie Hui
Lead Counsel, Public Polic
and Vice President

The Rulemaking Process

In the US, the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) makes most of the rules that govern the US capital markets. As part of its rulemaking process, the SEC publishes the text of a proposed rule along with an explanation of how the proposal seeks to address the issues identified by the SEC. This gives the public the opportunity to review the proposal and provide the SEC with comments, which the SEC may take into consideration as it drafts the final rule. Other regulators in the US and around the world similarly solicit public feedback during their rulemaking processes.

Asset managers are active participants in the rulemaking process. At Dimensional, we submit comment letters to regulators, participate in discussions with industry groups, and engage with regulators to advocate for changes to proposed regulations that may benefit investors and help foster efficient markets.

Advocating for Investors

Dimensional's first guiding principle is to act in the best interest of clients. As part of this commitment to our clients, we advocate for changes to regulations that we believe will benefit our clients and the investors in our funds. We recognize that the assets we manage represent the savings, sacrifice, and dreams that investors have entrusted to us, and we take this responsibility seriously.

When we invest on behalf of investors, costs are top of mind, and we believe that regulations should strike an appropriate balance between costs and benefits to investors. We also strongly believe that investors benefit from greater choice and competition in the market. Competition in the market incentivizes funds and managers to operate efficiently and keep fees and expenses low, to the benefit of investors. We support regulations that are designed to promote, rather than hinder, competition in the market, and that facilitate, rather than limit, investor choice. In some cases, we may also proactively seek the ability to offer solutions that we believe would provide more investor choice and promote competition in the market. For example, in 2023, we applied to the SEC for exemptive relief to offer ETF share classes of mutual funds. The SEC's current regulatory framework does not permit ETF share classes—instead, managers must apply individually to the SEC for the ability to do so. We strongly believe that the ETF share class structure could benefit both mutual fund class and ETF class shareholders, and we are continuing to advocate for regulatory approval to offer ETF share classes.

Finally, as part of our investment stewardship efforts, we also comment on regulations that may impact the public companies that Dimensional invests in on behalf of clients, such as climate-related disclosures, executive compensation, and corporate takeovers. We believe that stronger governance practices can improve returns of the companies we invest in on behalf of our clients and that a regulatory framework that appropriately balances costs and benefits to investors can help to encourage good governance practices at portfolio companies.

Advocating for Efficient Markets

Our advocacy efforts also reflect our enduring belief in the power of markets. Dimensional's investment approach is based on the belief that markets incorporate all available information into security prices, and in our investment process, we use the information in market prices to pursue better outcomes for investors in our funds.

To that end, Dimensional has historically advocated for greater price transparency in the fixed income markets. Since 2019, we have submitted 14 letters to regulators in the US and the UK to support regulations that aim to improve transparency in the fixed income market. We have seen these advocacy efforts gradually pay off—for example, in the US, trades in USD-denominated foreign sovereign debt securities are now required to be reported through the Trade and Reporting Compliance Engine (TRACE), information about transactions in certain US Treasury securities is now made available through TRACE, and trades will soon be reported to TRACE within one minute, instead of within 15 minutes.¹² Dimensional supported each of these incremental improvements to TRACE when they were proposed and continues to advocate for the expansion of the types of securities required to be reported through TRACE as well as increased specificity on large trade sizes. In the UK and in Europe, regulators have announced the establishment of a consolidated tape for bonds with the goal of improving transparency in the bond market. We have publicly supported each of these regulatory developments because of our belief that price transparency fosters a fair and efficient market, which benefits all investors.

Participating in the rulemaking process is another way that Dimensional strives to be a responsible steward of the assets entrusted to us. By engaging with policymakers, we believe we can encourage positive regulatory developments that will benefit our

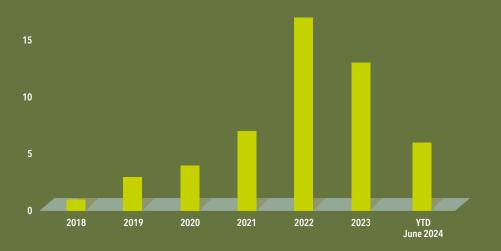


clients and investors.

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^{12.} On September 20, 2024, the SEC approved FINRA's rule change to shorten the reporting time frame from 15 minutes to one minute. As of October 31, 2024, FINRA had not yet announced the effective date of this change.

Policy Spotlight: Disclosure-Related Regulations

Around the world, regulators have increasingly focused on the extent to which operating companies, investment advisors, and funds disclose information relating to their environmental and social risks and opportunities. Over the reporting period, Dimensional submitted responses relating to such issues to the UK Department for Energy Security and Net Zero, the European Commission, the Australian Treasury, and the UK FCA.

Read Dimensional's sustainability-related letters

Dimensional Response to UK
Department for Energy Security
and Net Zero on Scope 3 Reporting

December 14, 2023



Dimensional Response to UK FCA on Extending Sustainability Disclosure Requirements to Portfolio Management Services

June 13, 2024



Labeling and Classification Frameworks for Sustainable Investment Products

With respect to investment products, regulators have taken varying approaches to disclosure requirements for sustainability funds. In the European Union, the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation is a transparency framework that has become a de facto classification system, while the UK FCA has adopted its own Sustainability Disclosure Requirements, which were designed specifically as a product-labeling regime. In the US, the SEC has proposed but not yet adopted a disclosure framework for funds that pursue ESG-related strategies.

Over the reporting period, Dimensional submitted responses to the European Commission and the FCA to express our views on disclosure and labeling frameworks for investment products and services. In our view, sustainability-related labels and disclosures should be designed to help investors identify products or services that align with their values and effectively assess how sustainability products are pursuing nonfinancial goals. We also believe that frameworks that too narrowly define what it means to be a sustainable investment may push investors toward highly concentrated, highly specialized solutions that may be less suited to helping them achieve their financial goals.

^{13.} For example, see: Joseph Chi, Mathieu Pellerin, Jacobo Rodriguez, "The Economics of Climate Change" (white paper, Dimensional Fund Advisors, October 2020).

UK Department for Energy Security and Net Zero—Call for Evidence on Scope 3 Emissions

Goal	Explain why a mandatory Scope 3 reporting regime would have few benefits to investors given limitations in the Scope 3 standards.
Background	In October 2023, the UK Department for Energy Security and Net Zero published a Call for Evidence on Scope 3 Emissions in the UK Reporting Landscape. In the Call for Evidence, the UK government sought views on the costs, benefits, and practicalities of Scope 3 emissions reporting, asking about the usefulness to investors of Scope 3 information.
Outcome	In December 2023, Dimensional submitted a response to the Call for Evidence. In our letter, we explained why the costs of a mandatory Scope 3 reporting requirement would be likely to outweigh any benefits to investors. In our view, Scope 3 data is of limited value to investors because the Scope 3 standard was not designed to be compared across companies, the data are unreliable, and it is not clear that Scope 3 data—even if perfectly reported—would help investors evaluate a company's climate-related opportunities, risks, and actions.

Appendix: Portfolio Companies Engaged in 2024

Dimensional conducted at least one engagement with each of the following global portfolio companies during proxy year 2024.

Company Name

1-800-FLOWERS.COM Inc.

3M Company

4imprint Group plc

A. O. Smith Corporation

AAR Corp.

AbbVie Inc.

ABM Industries Incorporated

Academy Sports and Outdoors Inc.

Acciona SA

Adams Resources & Energy Inc.

Adecco Group AG

Advanced Micro Devices Inc.

AdvanSix Inc.

Aecon Group Inc.

Aegon NV

Aflac Incorporated

Agilysys Inc.

AGL Energy Limited

Ahresty Corporation

Ain Holdings Inc.

Air France-KLM

Air Lease Corporation

Airbus SE

Airgain Inc.

Airtel Africa plc

The Akita Bank Ltd.

Alarm.com Holdings Inc.

Alaska Air Group Inc.

Albemarle Corporation

Alexandria Real Estate Equities Inc.

Alico Inc.

Alight Inc.

Allegiant Travel Co.

Alliance Global Group Inc.

Allied Properties Real Estate

Investment Trust

Allreal Holding AG

Ally Financial Inc.

Alpha Services and Holdings SA

Alphabet Inc.

ALS Limited

AltaGas Ltd.

Alto Ingredients Inc.

Amazon.com Inc.

Ambac Financial Group Inc.

Ambarella Inc.

AMC Networks Inc.

Ameresco Inc.

American Airlines Group Inc.

American Express Co.

American International Group Inc.

American Software Inc.

American Tower Corporation

Ameriprise Financial Inc.

Cencora

AMP Ltd.

Amphenol Corporation

Amtech Systems Inc.

Analog Devices Inc.

ANDRITZ AG

Angang Steel Co., Ltd.

Anglo-Eastern Plantations plc

Ansell Ltd.

Antero Midstream Corporation

Antero Resources Corp.

Anywhere Real Estate Inc.

ANZ Group Holdings Limited

APA Corporation

APA Group

Apartment Income REIT Corp.

Apollo Global Management Inc.

Apple Inc.

Applied Materials Inc.

ArcBest Corporation

Arch Resources Inc.

Archer-Daniels-Midland Company

Archrock Inc.

Arista Networks Inc.

Arkema Azenta Inc. Bloomin' Brands Inc.

Array Technologies Inc. Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. BlueScope Steel Limited

Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals Inc. Baloise Holding AG The Boeing Company

Ascent Industries Co. Banco De Sabadell SA Boise Cascade Company

Ashford Hospitality Trust Inc.

Banco Santander SA

Bonduelle

Ashtead Group plc

Bank of America Corporation

BorgWarner Inc.

Assicurazioni Generali SpA

Bank of Marin Bancorp

Borussia Dortmund GmbH

& Co. KGaA

Associated Banc-Corp
The Bank of New York
Mellon Corporation
Bossard Holding AG

Bank of Queensland Limited Bread Financial Holdings Inc.
Astral Foods Limited

AstraZeneca plc

Bapcor Limited

Broadcom Inc.

Barco NV

Brookdale Senior Living Inc.

Asure Software Inc.

AT&T Inc.

ATI Inc.

Barnes & Noble Education Inc.

Barnes Group Inc.

Barnes Group Inc.

Bubs Australia Limited

Bucher Industries AG

AtkinsRéalis

Barrick Gold Corporation

Bucher Industries AG

BASF SE

Bunka Shutter Co. Ltd.

Basic-Fit NV

Burckhardt Compression
Holding AG

Atria Oyj

Bath & Body Works Inc.

Bayer AG

Bath & Body Works Inc.

Business First Bancshares Inc.

AtriCure Inc.

Bayerische Motoren Werke AG

AUO Corporation

Buzzi SpA

C&C Group pla

Aurizon Holdings Limited

BBMG Corporation

C&C Group plc

CACI International Inc.

Austal Limited

Beazer Homes USA Inc.

Australian Agricultural

Company Limited

Beazley plc

Cadence Bank

Caesars Entertainment Inc.

AvalonBay Communities Inc.

BELIMO Holding AG

Cahya Mata Sarawak Berhad

Avery Dennison Corporation

Bell Food Group AG

AVI Limited

Bergman & Beving AB

Cairn Homes plc

CANCOM SE

Capita plc

Avnet Inc.

Berkeley Group Holdings plc

AXA SA

Berkshire Hills Bancorp Inc.

Capital Fideral Financial Inc.

Axalta Coating Systems Ltd.

Axis Capital Holdings Limited

Axogen Inc.

Best Buy Co. Inc.

Cardinal Health Inc.

Carnival Corporation

Carnival Corporation

Axos Financial Inc.

BioLife Solutions Inc.

Carrefour SA

The AZEK Company Inc.

Casella Waste Systems Inc.

Castle Biosciences Inc.

Catcher Technology Co. Ltd.

Caterpillar Inc.

Cathay General Bancorp

Cenovus Energy Inc.

Centene Corporation

Central China Real Estate Limited

Central Garden & Pet Company

Central Glass Co. Ltd.

Centrus Energy Corp.

CEVA Inc.

CF Industries Holdings Inc.

Chargeurs

Charles River Laboratories

International Inc.

Chegg Inc.

Chemung Financial Corporation

Chevron Corporation

Chimerix Inc.

China ZhengTong Auto Services

Holdings Limited

Chipotle Mexican Grill Inc.

Choice Hotels International Inc.

Chow Sang Sang Holdings International Limited

Chubb Limited

The Cigna Group

Cintas Corporation

Cisco Systems Inc.

Citigroup Inc.

Citizens Financial Group Inc.

City Chic Collective Limited

Clarkson plc

Clean Energy Fuels Corp.

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc.

Close Brothers Group plc

CNB Financial Corporation

Coca-Cola Consolidated Inc.

Coeur Mining Inc.

Coles Group Limited

Columbia Banking System Inc.

Columbus McKinnon Corporation

Comcast Corporation

Commercial Metals Company

Compagnie de Saint Gobain SA

Compagnie des Alpes SA

Compagnie Generale Des Etablissements Michelin

Compal Electronics Inc.

CompuGroup Medical SE

& Co. KGaA

Conagra Brands Inc.

CONMED Corporation

Corcept Therapeutics Incorporated

Coronation Fund Managers Ltd.

Covenant Logistics Group Inc.

Covestro AG

Covivio SA

Cracker Barrel Old Country

Store Inc.

Cranswick plc

Credit Corp Group Limited

Crompton Greaves Consumer

Electricals Limited

Cromwell Property Group

CrossFirst Bankshares Inc.

Crown Castle Inc.

Crown Holdings Inc.

CSX Corporation

CTBC Financial Holding Co. Ltd.

CTS Eventim AG & Co. KGaA

Cummins Inc.

Cumulus Media Inc.

CVS Health Corporation

D.R. Horton Inc.

Daishi Hokuetsu Financial Group Inc.

Daktronics Inc.

DAOL Investment & Securities Co. Ltd.

De Grey Mining Ltd.

De La Rue plc

Delek US Holdings Inc.

Dell Technologies Inc.

Delta Air Lines Inc.

Delta Apparel Inc.

Deluxe Corporation

DKK Co. Ltd.

Designer Brands Inc.

Deutsche Bank AG

Deutsche Beteiligungs AG

Deutsche EuroShop AG

Deutsche Telekom AG

Devon Energy Corporation

Dexus

DFS Furniture plc

DGB Financial Group

DHI Group Inc.

Diamondback Energy Inc.

Dick's Sporting Goods Inc.

Diploma plc

Dollar General Corporation

dormakaba Holding AG

Dover Corporation

Downer EDI Limited

Dr. Hönle AG **Evolution Mining Limited** Frontier Communications Parent Inc.

DS Smith plc **Evolution Petroleum Corporation** FS Bancorp Inc. Dürr AG **Exelon Corporation FUCHS SE**

Dun & Bradstreet Holdings Inc. Expeditors International of Fujikura Ltd. Washington Inc.

Easterly Government Properties Inc. Fukuda Denshi Co. Ltd. Exxon Mobil Corporation Ecolab Inc. Fulgent Genetics Inc. Ezaki Glico Co. Ltd.

Edenred Furukawa Electric Co. Ltd. F.N.B. Corporation eHealth Inc. Amotiv Limited Fagron NV

Fastly Inc. Element Solutions Inc. Galapagos NV

Flders Limited

FedEx Corporation Eli Lilly and Company Gates Industrial Corporation plc Ferrexpo plc

Gaia Inc.

Ellaktor SA Gaztransport & Technigaz Fifth Third Bancorp Emeco Holdings Limited Gem Diamonds Limited

Financial Institutions Inc. Empire State Realty Trust Inc. Genco Shipping & Trading Limited

First American Financial Corporation Employers Holdings Inc. General Mills Inc.

Enagas SA General Motors Company Investment Trust Encavis AG Gentherm Incorporated First Citizens BancShares Inc.

First Capital Real Estate

Encompass Health Corporation Genuine Parts Company First Financial Corporation Endeavour Group Limited Genuit Group plc

First Majestic Silver Corp. Gerresheimer AG ENEOS Holdings Inc. flatexDEGIRO AG

ENGIE SA G-III Apparel Group Ltd. Floor & Decor Holdings Inc. Enhabit Inc. Gildan Activewear Inc. Flushing Financial Corporation

Giordano International Limited **Enplas Corporation** Foot Locker Inc.

GL Events SA Enstar Group Limited Fortescue Metals Group Ltd. **Entergy Corporation** Gladstone Commercial Corporation

Fortune Brands Innovations Inc. Enterprise Bancorp Inc. Glaukos Corporation

Fox Corporation Entravision Glencore plc Frasers Group plc

Communications Corporation Global Ferronickel Holdings Inc. freenet AG

Equifax Inc. Globe Life Inc. Freeport-McMoRan Inc. Equinix Inc.

FreightCar America Inc. Equity Commonwealth Golden Agri-Resources Ltd. Fresnillo plc

Ercros SA The Goldman Sachs Group Inc. Frontdoor Inc. Essent Group Ltd.

Frontera Energy Corporation Evergreen Marine Corp. Goodman Property Trust

Gloria Material Technology Corp.

Goodman Group

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company

GoPro Inc.

The GPT Group

GrafTech International Ltd.

Grafton Group plc GrainCorp Limited

Grainger plc

Grange Resources Limited

Greatview Aseptic Packaging

Company Limited

The Greenbrier Companies Inc.

Greenlight Capital Re Ltd.

Greif Inc.

Griffon Corporation

Grifols SA

GT Capital Holdings Inc.

Guess? Inc.

Gulf Keystone Petroleum Ltd.

Gunze Limited

Halliburton Company

Hamilton Lane Incorporated

Hammerson plc

Hana Financial Group Inc.

Hansen Technologies Limited

Harley-Davidson Inc.

The Hartford Financial Services

Group Inc.

Harvard Bioscience Inc.

Hasbro Inc.

Haverty Furniture Companies Inc.

Hawaiian Holdings Inc.

Hays plc

Healius Limited

Healthcare Realty Trust Incorporated

Hecla Mining Company

Helia Group Limited

Helios Technologies Inc.

Henry Schein Inc.

The Hershey Company

Hess Corporation

Hewlett Packard Enterprise Company

Hiap Teck Venture Berhad

Hikma Pharmaceuticals plc

Hindalco Industries Limited

Hochschild Mining plc

Hong Yi Fiber Ind. Co. Ltd.

Hope Bancorp Inc.

Horace Mann Educators Corporation

HP Inc.

Hub Group Inc.

HUGO BOSS AG

Hunting PLC

Huntington Bancshares Incorporated

Huntington Ingalls Industries Inc.

Huron Consulting Group Inc.

Hyster-Yale Materials Handling Inc.

Hyundai Elevator Co. Ltd.

Hyundai Motor Company

Iberdrola SA

International Business Machines Corporation

IDACORP Inc.

IHI Corporation

Illinois Tool Works Inc.

Illumina Inc.

IMAX Corporation

Impala Platinum Holdings Limited

Implenia AG

Indra Sistemas SA

INDUS Holding AG

Informa plc

Inghams Group Limited

Ingredion Incorporated

Innovative Solutions and

Support Inc.

Insteel Industries Inc.

Intel Corporation

Inter Parfums Inc.

Interface Inc.

International Distributions

Services plc

Intevac Inc.

Invesco Ltd.

Invitation Homes Inc.

Iress Limited

Irish Residential Properties REIT plc

iRobot Corporation

ITV plc

Iveco Group NV

J & J Snack Foods Corp.

J Sainsbury plc

Jacquet Metals SA

James Fisher and Sons plc

JB Financial Group Co. Ltd.

JBG SMITH Properties

JFrog Ltd.

The J. M. Smucker Company

John B. Sanfilippo & Son Inc.

John Wiley & Sons Inc.

John Wood Group plc

Johnson Outdoors Inc.

Jones Lang LaSalle Incorporated

JPMorgan Chase & Co.

Jubilant Pharmova Limited

Jupiter Fund Management plc

Jupiter Mines Limited

Jyske Bank A/S

K+S AG Kakao Corp.

Karoon Energy Ltd.

KB Home

Keller Group plc

Kewaunee Scientific Corporation

Kier Group plc

Kilroy Realty Corporation

Kimberly-Clark Corporation

Kinder Morgan Inc.

Kingspan Group plc KION GROUP AG

Kirby Corporation

Knife River Corporation

Koenig & Bauer AG

The Kroger Co.

KT&G Corporation

 $\hbox{Kulicke and Soffa Industries Inc.}\\$

Kumho Petrochemical Co. Ltd.

Kura Oncology Inc. Kyndryl Holdings Inc.

Kyokuto Kaihatsu Kogyo Co. Ltd.

La Francaise des Jeux SA

Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings

Lancaster Colony Corporation

La-Z-Boy Incorporated

Lee Enterprises Incorporated

Lendlease Group

Lennar Corporation

Levi Strauss & Co.

LG Chem Ltd.
Liberty Energy Inc.

LifeVantage Corporation

Ligand Pharmaceuticals Incorporated

Lincoln National Corporation

Live Oak Bancshares Inc.
LL Flooring Holdings Inc.

Lockheed Martin Corporation

LondonMetric Property plc

Lowe's Companies, Inc.

Lumentum Holdings Inc.

LX Hausys

M.C.S. Steel Public Company Limited

Macmahon Holdings Limited

Macquarie Group Limited

Macy's Inc.

Magellan Financial Group Limited

Malayan Flour Mills Berhad

The Manitowoc Company Inc.

ManpowerGroup Inc.

Marathon Digital Holdings Inc.

Marcus & Millichap Inc.

Martin Marietta Materials Inc.

Marvell Technology Inc.

Masonite International Corporation

Mayville Engineering Company Inc.

MBIA Inc.

MediaTek, Inc.

Medibank Private Limited

Medpace Holdings Inc.

Meidensha Corporation

Mercury Systems Inc.

Mesa Laboratories Inc.

Meta Platforms Inc.

MFTRO AG

Metropolitan Bank Holding Corp.

MGM Resorts International

Micron Technology Inc.

Midland States Bancorp Inc.

Minerals Technologies Inc.

Mitchells & Butlers plc

MITSUI E&S Co. Ltd.

Modern Times Group MTG AB

Moderna Inc.

Moelis & Company

Molson Coors Brewing Co. Mondelēz International Inc.

Mondi plc Monro Inc.

MOOG Inc.

Morgan Stanley

Motorcar Parts of America Inc.

Movado Group Inc.

Mr Price Group Limited

Mr. Cooper Group Inc.

Myer Holdings Limited

Nabors Industries Ltd.

NACCO Industries Inc.

Napco Security Technologies Inc.

Nathan's Famous Inc.

National Australia Bank Limited

National Fuel Gas Company

National Vision Holdings Inc.

Natural Gas Services Group Inc.

Natural Grocers by Vitamin

Cottage Inc.

Nature's Sunshine Products Inc.

NCC AB

NCR Voyix Corporation

Neogen Corporation

NeoGenomics Inc.

Nestlé India Limited

NetApp Inc.

NetScout Systems Inc.

New Hope Corporation Limited

Newell Brands Inc.

Newmont Mining Corporation

Newpark Resources Inc.

Nexans SA

Nexity SA

Nexstar Media Group Inc.

NextDC Limited

nib holdings limited

Nickel Industries Limited

Nicolet Bankshares Inc.

NIHON CHOUZAI Co. Ltd.

Nine Entertainment Co. Holdings Limited

Ninety One plc

Nippon Chemical Industrial Co. Ltd.

Nippon Chemi-Con Corporation

Nippon Denko Co. Ltd.

Nippon Hume Corporation

Nippon Seiki Co. Ltd.

Nippon Yakin Kogyo Co. Ltd.

Nishi-Nippon Financial Holdings Inc.

Nissha Co. Ltd.

The Nisshin OilliO Group Ltd.

NMI Holdings Inc.

Noodles & Company

Nordic American Tankers Limited

Norfolk Southern Corporation

Northern Oil and Gas Inc.

Northern Star Resources Limited

Northrop Grumman Corporation

DNOW Inc

Nurix Therapeutics Inc.

NVE Corporation

NVR Inc.

Ocado Group plc

Occidental Petroleum Corporation

Oceana Group Limited

OceanFirst Financial Corp.

Oil-Dri Corporation of America

Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.

Old National Bancorp

Omnicom Group Inc.

OneMain Holdings Inc.

Onoken Co. Ltd.

Open Lending Corporation

Opendoor Technologies Inc.

OPENLANE Inc.

Oportun Financial Corporation

Option Care Health Inc.

Oracle Corporation

Orange SA

OraSure Technologies Inc

Orica Limited

Origin Bancorp Inc.

Origin Energy Limited

OSB Group plc

Osisko Mining Inc.

Outokumpu Oyj

OVS SpA

PACCAR Inc.

Paladin Energy Ltd.

Par Pacific Holdings Inc.

Paramount Group Inc.

PayPal Holdings Inc.

Peab AB

Peabody Energy Corporation

Pearson plc

PENN Entertainment, Inc.

Penns Woods Bancorp Inc.

Pentair plc

Perenti Limited

PerkinElmer Inc.

Perpetual Limited

Perrigo Company plc

Perseus Mining Limited

Petrofac Limited

Petroleo Brasileiro SA

Pfizer Inc.

PFSweb Inc.

PG&E Corporation

Pharma Mar SA

Phillips 66

Piedmont Lithium Inc.

Pinewood Technologies Group plc

Piraeus Financial Holdings SA

Pirelli & C SpA

Pitney Bowes Inc.

PJT Partners Inc.

Platinum Asset Management Limited

Plug Power Inc.

The PNC Financial Services Ranpak Holdings Corp. Samsung C&T Corporation Group Inc. Raymond James Financial Inc. Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd. Poly Property Group Co. Limited RCI Hospitality Holdings Inc. Sandfire Resources Limited Popular Inc. Sanmina Corporation RE/MAX Holdings Inc. POSCO HOLDINGS INC. Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc. Santos Ltd. Postal Realty Trust Inc. Regional Management Corp. ScanSource Inc. PostNL NV Regions Financial Corporation Radius Recycling, Inc. Precision Drilling Corporation SCOR SE Regis Healthcare Limited Preferred Bank Reliance Industries Limited Seatrium Limited (fka Sembcorp Preformed Line Products Company Marine Ltd) Renasant Corporation Premier Investments Limited Séché Environnement SA Renault SA Premier Inc. SEEK Limited Renishaw plc PRESS KOGYO CO., LTD. SEGRO plc Repay Holdings Corporation Principal Financial Group Inc. PT Semen Indonesia (Persero) Tbk Repsol SA Progyny Inc. Serco Group plc Republic Services Inc. ProPetro Holding Corp. Service Stream Limited Resolute Mining Limited Prosiebensat.1 Media Se Seven West Media Limited Restaurant Brands International Inc. Provident Bancorp Inc. Sheffield Resources Limited The Restaurant Group plc Prudential Financial Inc. Shin Kong Financial Holding Co. Ltd. Rexel SA PT BISI International Tbk Shinhan Financial Group Co. Ltd. R F Industries Ltd. PT Japfa Comfeed Indonesia Tbk Shinsho Corporation Rio Tinto Limited PT Sri Rejeki Isman Tbk Shriro Holdings Limited The RMR Group Inc. PubMatic Inc. Shutterfly Inc. Robert Half Inc. Pulmonx Corporation Sibanye Stillwater Limited Robinhood Markets Inc. PulteGroup Inc. Sigma Healthcare Limited Ross Stores Inc. Qantas Airways Limited Silver Lake Resources Limited RPC Inc. QBE Insurance Group Limited Crescent Energy Company RPM International Inc. Quanta Services Inc. Simon Property Group Inc. RTX Corporation **Qube Holdings Limited** Sims Limited Ryder System Inc. Quest Diagnostics Incorporated Sinopac Financial Holdings Sabana Industrial REIT Company Limited Qurate Retail Inc.

Saga Communications Inc.

SAGE Therapeutics Inc.

Saga plc

Salzgitter AG

Radian Group Inc.

Radiant Logistics Inc.

The Rank Group plc

Ralph Lauren Corporation

Sirius Real Estate Limited

SiTime Corporation

Skechers USA Inc.

SK hynix Inc.

SkyCity Entertainment Group Skyworks Solutions Inc.

Sleep Number Corporation

SM Entertainment Co. Ltd.

SmartCentres Real Estate

Investment Trust

Smith & Wesson Brands, Inc.

Softcat plc

SoftwareOne Holding AG

Soft-World International Corporation

Solaria Energia y Medio Ambiente SA

Solvay SA

Sonic Automotive Inc.

Sonos Inc.

Sopra Steria Group

 $Sound Thinking \ Inc.$

SouthState Corporation

South32 Ltd.

The Southern Company

Southern Missouri Bancorp Inc.

Sphere Entertainment Co.

Spire Healthcare Group plc

Spok Holdings Inc.

Sportsman's Warehouse Holdings Inc.

SSP Group plc

SSR Mining Inc.

Stabilus SE

Stamford Land Corporation Ltd.

Standard Chartered plc

The Star Entertainment

Group Limited

State Street Corporation

Steel Dynamics Inc.

Steelcase Inc.

Stellantis NV

Stockland

STP&I Public Company Limited

Strategic Education Inc.

STRATTEC SECURITY CORPORATION

Südzucker AG

Suncor Energy Inc.

Suncorp Group Limited

Sungshin Cement Co., Ltd.

Superior Group of Companies Inc.

Swiss Prime Site AG

Swiss Re

Swissquote Group Holding Ltd.

Sylvamo Corporation

Synaptics Incorporated
Synchrony Financial

Syrah Resources Limited

Sysco Corporation

T. Rowe Price Group

Tabcorp Holdings Limited

Tachi-S Co. Ltd.

TAG Immobilien AG

Taiheiyo Kouhatsu Incorporated

Taishin Financial Holding Co. Ltd.

Taiwan Business Bank

Taiwan Paiho Limited

Taiyo Holdings Co. Ltd.

Take-Two Interactive Software Inc.

TAKKT AG

Talos Energy Inc.

Tapestry Inc.

Targa Resources Corp.

Technip Energies NV

Teco Electric & Machinery Co. Ltd.

TEGNA Inc.

Teijin Limited

Teleperformance SE

Telephone and Data Systems Inc.

Television Broadcasts Limited

(Hong Kong)

Temenos AG

Ten Sixty Four Limited

Tencent Holdings Limited

Tesla Inc.

Texas Capital Bancshares Inc.

Texas Roadhouse Inc.

Textron Inc.

Texwinca Holdings Limited

Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.

Thoresen Thai Agencies Public

Company Limited

Tianqi Lithium Corp.

Tilly's Inc.

Titan International Inc.

T-Mobile US Inc.

TOA Road Corporation

Toho Zinc Co. Ltd.

Tokio Marine Holdings Inc.

Topgolf Callaway Brands Corp.

Topps Tiles plc

TotalEnergies SE

TowneBank

TPG Telecom Limited

Transcat Inc.

TransDigm Group Incorporated

TransUnion

Travel + Leisure Co.

The Travelers Companies Inc.

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Appendix: Form N-PX Voting Categories

Source: SEC Final Rule on Enhanced Reporting of Proxy Votes by Registered Management Investment Companies; Reporting of Executive Compensation Votes by Institutional Investment Managers

- (A) Director elections;
- (B) Section 14A say-on-pay votes (examples: section 14A executive compensation, section 14A executive compensation vote frequency, section 14A extraordinary transaction executive compensation);
- (C) Audit-related (examples: auditor ratification, auditor rotation);
- (D) Investment company matters (examples: new or changed investment management agreement, assignment of investment management agreement, business development company approval of restricted securities or asset coverage ratio change, closed-end investment company issuance of shares below net asset value);
- (E) Shareholder rights and defenses (examples: adoption or modification of a shareholder rights plan, control share acquisition provisions, fair price provisions, board classification, cumulative voting);
- (F) **Extraordinary transactions** (examples: merger, asset sale, liquidation, buyout, joint venture, going private, spinoff, delisting);
- (G) Capital structure (examples: security issuance, stock split, reverse stock split, dividend, buyback, tracking stock, adjustment to par value, authorization of additional stock);
- (H) Compensation (examples: board compensation, executive compensation (other than Section 14A say-on-pay), board or executive anti-hedging, board or executive anti-pledging, compensation clawback, 10b5-1 plans);
- (I) Corporate governance (examples: term limits, board committee issues, size of board, articles of incorporation or bylaws, codes of ethics, approval to adjourn, acceptance of minutes, proxy access);
- (J) Environment or climate (examples: greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, transition planning or reporting, biodiversity or ecosystem risk, chemical footprint, renewable energy or energy efficiency, water issues, waste or pollution, deforestation or land use, say-on-climate, environmental justice);
- (K) Human rights or human capital/workforce (examples: workforce-related mandatory arbitration, supply chain exposure to human rights risks, outsourcing or offshoring, workplace sexual harassment);
- (L) Diversity, equity, and inclusion (examples: board diversity, pay gap);
- (M) Other social issues (examples: lobbying, political or charitable activities, data privacy, responsible tax policies, consumer protection); or
- (N) Other (along with a brief description)

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