CHART INDUSTRIES INC Form 8-K May 27, 2011

# **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 26, 2011

# **CHART INDUSTRIES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

001-11442 (Commission File Number) 34-1712937 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

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### One Infinity Corporate Centre Drive, Suite 300,

Garfield Heights, Ohio44125(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (440) 753-1490

#### (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.

The Chart Industries Inc. annual meeting of stockholders was held on May 26, 2011. At the meeting the following matters were submitted to a vote of stockholders:

the election of seven directors for a term of one year;

the ratification of the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company s independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2011;

an advisory vote on executive compensation; and

an advisory vote on the frequency of future advisory votes on executive compensation. As of the record date of March 29, 2011, there were 29,107,410 shares of common stock outstanding and entitled to vote at the meeting. The holders of 25,913,779 shares were represented in person or by proxy at the meeting, constituting a quorum.

At the annual meeting, all of the proposals were approved as recommended to stockholders in the proxy statement for the meeting. All the directors were elected, the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company s independent registered public accounting firm for 2011 was ratified, the compensation of the Company s named executive officers as disclosed in the proxy statement was approved on an advisory basis and the stockholders indicated their preference to hold future votes on executive compensation on an annual basis.

The vote with respect to the election of directors was as follows:

			Broker
Election of Directors	For	Withheld	Non-Votes
Samuel F. Thomas	22,997,125	651,536	2,285,118
W. Douglas Brown	23,302,158	326,503	2,285,118
Richard E. Goodrich	23,447,961	180,700	2,285,118
Steven W. Krablin	23,448,031	180,630	2,285,118
Michael W. Press	23,301,408	327,253	2,285,118
James M. Tidwell	23,300,958	327,703	2,285,118
Thomas L. Williams	22,829,025	799,636	2,285,118

The vote with respect to the ratification of the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company s independent registered public accounting firm was as follows:

				Broker
	For	Against	Abstain	Non-Votes
Ratification of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company s Independent Registered				
Public Accounting Firm	25,256,625	610,985	46,169	

The advisory vote with respect to the compensation of the Company s named executive officers was as follows:

				Broker
	For	Against	Abstain	Non-Votes
Advisory Vote on Executive Compensation	22,990,658	308,995	329,008	2,285,118
The advisory vote with respect to the frequency of future advisory votes on the Company's	s executive com	nensation wa	as as follows	

The advisory vote with respect to the frequency of future advisory votes on the Company s executive compensation was as follows:

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	Abstain	
Advisory Vote on the Frequency of Future Advisory Votes on Executive					
Compensation	21,515,832	32,803	1,795,750	284,276	
In light of the foregoing advisory vote on the frequency of future votes on executive compensation, the Company plans to hold an annual advisory vote on executive compensation.					

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Chart Industries, Inc.

Date: May 27, 2011

By: /s/ Matthew J. Klaben Matthew J. Klaben Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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