BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

Form 8-K April 29, 2013

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: April 23, 2013 (Date of earliest event reported)

BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 1-7928

Delaware 94-1381833 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

1000 Alfred Nobel Dr. Hercules, California 94547 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(510) 724-7000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. (the "Company") held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders on April 23, 2013. The matters voted upon at the meeting and the results of those votes were as follows:

1. Election of Directors.

	Class of Common Stock to Elect	Votes For	Votes Withheld	Votes Abstaining	Broker Non-Votes
Louis Drapeau	Class A	10,403,948	9,611,785		1,607,667
Albert J. Hillman	Class A	10,460,095	9,555,638	_	1,607,667
Deborah J. Neff	Class B	4,803,947	1,567	_	215,657
Alice N. Schwartz	Class B	4,797,140	8,374	_	215,657
Norman Schwartz	Class B	4,798,213	7,301		215,657

2. Ratification of the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent auditors for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2013.

Votes	Votes	Votes	Broker
For	Against	Abstaining	Non-Votes
7,096,371	86,795	345	_

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.

BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.

Date: April 26, 2013 By: /s/ Christine A. Tsingos

Christine A. Tsingos

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer