

BEL FUSE INC /NJ
Form 8-K
May 17, 2012

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 16, 2012

BEL FUSE INC.
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

New Jersey
(State or Other
Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

0-11676
(Commission
File Number)

22-1463699
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

206 Van Vorst Street, Jersey City,
New Jersey
(Address of principal executive
offices)

07302
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (201) 432-0463

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ITEM 5.07. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS.

On May 16, 2012, Bel Fuse Inc. (the “Company”) held its Annual Meeting of Shareholders, for which the Board of Directors solicited proxies. At the Annual Meeting, the shareholders voted on the following proposals, as described in the Company’s definitive proxy materials filed with the SEC on April 13, 2012.

As indicated in the Company’s proxy statement, holders of record of the Company’s Class A Common Stock at the close of business on April 5, 2012 (the record date fixed by the Board of Directors) were entitled to receive notice of, and to vote at, the Annual Meeting. At the close of business on the record date, there were 2,174,912 shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding. However, as a result of protective provisions in the Company’s Certificate of Incorporation described in the proxy statement, the voting rights of two shareholders of the Company, FMR LLC (“FMR”), which beneficially owned 315,000 shares of Class A Common Stock on the record date, and GAMCO Investors, Inc. et. al. (“GAMCO”), which beneficially owned 686,300 shares of Class A Common Stock on the record date, were suspended and were not entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. Accordingly, a total of 1,173,612 shares of Class A Common Stock were entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting, each of which was entitled to one vote on all matters.

The voting results from the Annual Meeting are as follows:

Proposal 1: The election of three persons, named in the proxy statement, to serve as directors for three-year terms. The following is a list of the directors elected at the Annual Meeting with the number of votes For and Withheld, as well as the number of Abstentions and Broker Non-Votes:

Name	For	Withheld	Broker Non-Votes
Howard B. Bernstein	864,913	147,771	160,350
John F. Tweedy	993,940	18,744	160,350
Mark B. Segall	993,940	18,744	160,350

Proposal 2: The ratification of the designation of Deloitte & Touche LLP to audit the Company’s books and accounts for 2012. This proposal was approved by the following votes:

For	Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
1,130,866	41,988	180	0

Proposal 3: Approval, on an advisory basis, of the executive compensation of the Company’s named executive officers as described in the proxy statement. This proposal was approved by the following votes:

For	Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
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859,925 21,803 130,956 160,350

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: May 17, 2012

BEL FUSE INC.
(Registrant)

By:

/s/ Daniel Bernstein
Daniel Bernstein
President and Chief Executive Officer