# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

# **SCHEDULE 14A**

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#### Shareholder Meeting to be held on 04/02/09

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Notice and Proxy Statement
 Annual Report

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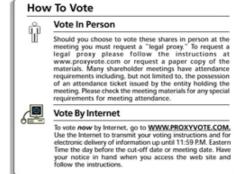
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#### **Meeting Information**

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting Date: 04/02/09 Meeting Time: 2:30 PM EST For holders as of: 02/03/09

# Meeting Location:

MSCI Inc. 750 Seventh Avenue 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Auditorium New York, NY 10019



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## Voting items

1. Election of nominees for Director:

MSCI Inc.'s Board recommends a vote "FOR" the nominees listed below:

- 1a Kenneth M. deRegt
- 1b Benjamin F. duPont
- 1c Henry A. Fernandez
- 1d James P. Gorman
- 1e Linda H. Riefler
- 1f Scott M. Sipprelle
- 1g Rodolphe M. Vallee

MSCI Inc.'s Board recommends a vote "FOR" Proposal 2 below:

 To ratify the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as independent auditor.

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Voting Instructions

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