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 17, 2022

Drive Shack Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-31458 (Commission File Number) 81-0559116 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

10670 N. Central Expressway, Suite 700 Dallas, TX (Address of principal executive offices)

75231 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (646) 585-5591

 $$N\!/\!A$$ (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

| eck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see neral Instruction A.2. below): |
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| Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) |
| Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) |
| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) |
| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) |

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

| Title of each class | Trading Symbol(s) | Name of each exchange on which registered |
|--|-------------------|---|
| Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share | DS | New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) |
| 9.75% Series B Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, | | |
| \$0.01 par value per share | DS-PB | New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) |
| 8.05% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, | | |
| \$0.01 par value per share | DS-PC | New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) |
| 8.375% Series D Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, | | |
| \$0.01 par value per share | | |
| | DS-PD | New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) |

| ndicate by check mark whether th | ne registrant is an emerging growth com | pany as defined in Rule 405 of | f the Securities Act of 1933 (| (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of |
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| he Securities Exchange Act of 193 | 34 (17 §240.12b-2). | | | |

Emerging growth company □

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

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

On May 17, 2022, Drive Shack Inc. (the "Company") held its 2022 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Annual Meeting"). At the Annual Meeting, the stockholders of the Company voted on the matters described below.

1. The Company's stockholders elected two Class II directors to serve until the 2025 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and two Class III directors to serve until the 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, and until his or her successor is duly elected and qualified or he or she resigns voluntarily. The number of shares that voted for the election of such directors, withheld authority to vote for such directors, and represented broker non-votes with respect to this proposal are summarized in the table below.

| Director Nominees | Votes For | Votes Withheld | Broker Non-Votes* |
|---------------------|------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Virgis Colbert | 35,713,713 | 1,878,533 | 25,399,861 |
| Benjamin Crane | 31,578,772 | 6,013,474 | 25,399,861 |
| William J. Clifford | 30,297,623 | 7,294,623 | 25,399,861 |
| Keith Sbarbaro | 36,049,638 | 1,542,608 | 25,399,861 |

2. The Company's stockholders approved by non-binding advisory vote the compensation of the Company's named executive officers. The numbers of shares that voted for the approval of such compensation, withheld authority to vote for the approval of such compensation, abstained from casting votes for the approval of such compensation, and represented broker non-votes with respect to this proposal are summarized in the table below.

| Votes For | Votes Withheld | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes* |
|------------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 34,001,229 | 1,462,908 | 2,128,109 | 25,399,861 |

3. The Company's stockholders ratified the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022. The numbers of shares that voted for, against and abstained from voting for or against the ratification of the selection of Ernst & Young LLP are summarized in the table below.

| Votes For | Abstentions | Abstentions |
|------------|-------------|-------------|
| 65,527,788 | 323,815 | 140,504 |

*Broker non-votes are instances where a broker holding shares of record for a beneficial owner does not vote the shares because it has not received voting instructions from the beneficial owner and therefore is precluded by the rules of the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") from voting on a particular matter. Under NYSE rules, when a broker holding shares in "street name" does not receive voting instructions from a beneficial owner, the broker has discretionary authority to vote on certain routine matters but is prohibited from voting on non-routine matters. Brokers who did not receive instructions were not entitled to vote on the election of directors or the compensation of the Company's named executive officers, but they were entitled to vote on the ratification of the appointment of the independent registered public accounting firm

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. |
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| DRIVE SHACK INC. (Registrant) |

/s/ Nicholas M. Foley

General Counsel and Secretary

Date: May 20, 2022