UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 31, 2023

Design Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-40288 (Commission File Number) 82-3929248 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

6005 Hidden Valley Road, Suite 110 Carlsbad, California (Address of principal executive offices)

92011 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 293-4900

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check 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:

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:

	Trading	Name of each exchange
Title of each class	Symbol(s)	on which registered
Common Stock \$0,0001 par value per share	DSGN	Nasdag Global Select Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

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. \square

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

On May 31, 2023, Design Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company") held its 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Annual Meeting"). As of April 3, 2023, the record date for the Annual Meeting, 55,945,551 shares of common stock were outstanding and entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. A summary of the matters voted upon by stockholders at the Annual Meeting is set forth below. Voting results are, where applicable, reported by rounding fractional share voting down to the nearest whole number.

Proposal 1. Election of Directors

The Company's stockholders elected the three persons listed below as Class II Directors, each to serve until the Company's 2026 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified. The final voting results are as follows:

	Votes For	Votes Withheld	Broker Non-Votes
Simeon George, M.D.	47,533,466	1,741,637	3,347,647
Arsani William, M.D.	48,972,541	302,562	3,347,647
Deepa Prasad	48,988,793	286,310	3,347,647

Proposal 2. Ratification of Selection of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Company's stockholders ratified the selection by the Audit Committee of the Company's Board of Directors of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2023. The final voting results are as follows:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes	
52,499,051	437	123,262	0	

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 thereunto duly authorized.

DESIGN THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Date: June 1, 2023 By: <u>/s/ João Siffert, M.D.</u>

João Siffert, M.D.

President and Chief Executive Officer