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

SCHEDULE 14A
**Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**
(Amendment No.)

Filed by the Registrant Filed by a party other than the Registrant

Check the appropriate box:

- Preliminary Proxy Statement
- Confidential, for Use of the Commission Only (as permitted by Rule 14a-6(e)(2))**
- Definitive Proxy Statement
- Definitive Additional Materials
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Aerie Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

(Name of Person(s) Filing Proxy Statement, if other than the Registrant)

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- No fee required.
 - Fee paid previously with preliminary materials.
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Your Vote Counts!

AERIE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

2022 Annual Meeting

Vote by June 8, 2022

11:59 PM ET

AERIE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
4301 EMPEROR BOULEVARD, SUITE 400
DURHAM, NC 27703



You invested in AERIE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. and it's time to vote!

You have the right to vote on proposals being presented at the Annual Meeting. **This is an important notice regarding the availability of proxy material for the stockholder meeting to be held on June 09, 2022.**

Get informed before you vote

View the Notice & Proxy Statement, Form 10-K online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to May 26, 2022. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future stockholder meetings, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to sendmaterial@proxyvote.com. If sending an email, please include your control number (indicated below) in the subject line. Unless requested, you will not otherwise receive a paper or email copy.



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Point your camera here and
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Vote Virtually at the Meeting*

June 09, 2022
8:00 AM EDT

Virtually at:
www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/AERI2022

* Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming stockholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

| Voting Items | Board Recommends |
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| 1. Election of Directors Nominees: 01) R. Croarkin 02) P. McDonnell | ✔ For |
| 2. Ratification of the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022. | ✔ For |
| 3. To approve, by a non-binding vote, the compensation of our named executive officers ("say-on-pay"). | ✔ For |

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.