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# SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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# MOODY'S CORPORATION

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**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Stockholder Meeting of**

**MOODY'S CORPORATION**

**To Be Held On:**

**Monday, April 16, 2012 - 8:30 a.m. EST**

**7 World Trade Center, 250 Greenwich Street, New York, New York 10007**

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<b>COMPANY NUMBER</b>	
<b>ACCOUNT NUMBER</b>	
<b>CONTROL NUMBER</b>	

**This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.**

**If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of the proxy materials you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. To facilitate timely delivery please make the request as instructed below before April 2, 2012.**

**Please visit <http://www.amstock.com/ProxyServices/ViewMaterial.asp?CoNumber=26180>, where the following materials are available for view:**

- Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders
- Proxy Statement
- Form of Electronic Proxy Card
- Annual Report on Form 10-K

**TO REQUEST MATERIALS: TELEPHONE: 888-Proxy-NA (888-776-9962) 718-921-8562 (for international callers)**

**E-MAIL: [info@amstock.com](mailto:info@amstock.com)**

**WEBSITE: <http://www.amstock.com/proxyservices/requestmaterials.asp>**

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**IN PERSON:** You may vote your shares in person by attending the Annual Meeting.

**TELEPHONE:** To vote by telephone, please visit <https://secure.amstock.com/voteproxy/login2.asp> to view the materials and to obtain the toll free number to call.

**MAIL:** You may request a proxy card by following the instructions above.

**1. ELECTION OF CLASS II DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY:**

**NOMINEES:**

EWALD KIST  
HENRY A. MCKINNELL, JR., PH.D.  
JOHN K. WULFF

- 2. RATIFICATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM OF THE COMPANY FOR 2012.**
- 3. ADVISORY RESOLUTION APPROVING EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION.**
- 4. STOCKHOLDER PROPOSAL TO ELIMINATE THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

To transact any other business as may properly be presented at the Annual Meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

These items of business are more fully described in the proxy statement. The record date for the Annual Meeting is February 21, 2012. Only stockholders of record at the close of business on that date may vote at the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

**Please note that you cannot use this notice to vote by mail.**

