## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### **SCHEDULE 14A**

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## **BURLINGTON STORES, INC.**

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# **BURLINGTON STORES, INC.**

To Be Held On May 19, 2021 at 8:00 am ET

virtually online via live audio webcast at

### https://web.lumiagm.com/256816909 (password: burlington2021)

COMPANY NUMBER	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
CONTROL NUMBER	

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1. Election of directors:	<ol> <li>Ratification of appointment of Deloitte &amp; Touche LLP as the Company's independent registered certified public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending January 29, 2022.</li> </ol>
NOMINEES: Michael Goodwin William P. McNamara Michael O'Sullivan	<ol> <li>Approval, on a non-binding, advisory basis, of the compensation of the Company's named executive officers ("Say-On-Pay").</li> <li>Approval of stockholder proposal regarding the setting of target amounts for CEO compensation, if properly presented.</li> </ol>
Jessica Rodriguez	To act upon such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.
	These foregoing items of business are more fully described in the proxy statement.
	The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the election of directors listed in Proposal 1, FOR Proposals 2 and 3, and AGAINST Proposal 4.
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