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October, 2018

Dear Stockholder:

On behalf of the board of directors (the "Board of Directors"), I cordially invite you to attend the 2018 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Annual Meeting") of Sharps Compliance Corp., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"). The Annual Meeting will be held on Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. (central time) in the Boardroom at the Company's principal executive offices located at 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77054. The formal Notice of the Annual Meeting is set forth in the enclosed materials.

This year, you are being asked to:

1) act upon the election of five (5) directors,

approve an amendment to the Company's certificate of incorporation to increase the authorized shares of common 2) at all from 20 000 000 m to 0000 m to 000 m to 000 m to 000 m to 000 m to 0000 stock from 20,000,000 to 40,000,000,

3) cast a non-binding advisory vote on executive compensation, and

a) ratify the selection by the Audit Committee of the Company's Board of Directors of BDO USA, LLP as the

Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the current fiscal year.

The Board of Directors recommends that you vote "For" Proposals 1, 2, 3 and 4. These matters are discussed in greater detail in the attached Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders and Proxy Statement.

Your participation and vote are important. Even if you plan to attend the Annual Meeting in person, please complete, sign and date the enclosed proxy card and return it promptly in the enclosed postage-prepaid envelope. Your shares will be voted in accordance with the instructions you give in your proxy. Returning the proxy card will not limit your right to attend or vote at the Annual Meeting. If you attend the Annual Meeting, you may vote in person if you wish, even if you previously returned your proxy card.

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for our Annual Meeting to be held on November 15, 2018. The Proxy Statement and a copy of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2018 are available at:

http://investor.sharpsinc.com/annuals.cfm

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to express our appreciation for your continued support of our Company. We look forward to seeing you at the Annual Meeting. Sincerely,

Phillip C. Zerrillo Ph.D. Chairman of the Board

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9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500 Houston, Texas 77054

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 15, 2018

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 2018 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Annual Meeting") of Sharps Compliance Corp., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), will be held on Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. (central time) in the Boardroom at the Company's principal executive offices located at 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77054 for the purpose of considering and voting upon the following:

1) the election of five (5) directors

- 2) an amendment to the Company's certificate of incorporation to increase the authorized shares of common stock from 20,000,000 to 40,000,000,
- 3) a non-binding advisory vote on executive compensation and
- 4) the ratification of the selection by the Audit Committee of the Company's Board of Directors of BDO USA, LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the current fiscal year.

The Board of Directors recommends that you vote "For" Proposals 1, 2, 3 and 4. These items of business are more fully described in the proxy statement accompanying this notice. The Company's Board of Directors has fixed the close of business on September 24, 2018 as the record date for the meeting. Only stockholders of record at the close of business on the record date are entitled to notice of, and to vote at, the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

You are cordially invited to attend the annual meeting. To ensure that your shares are represented and voted, however, you should complete, sign, date and return the enclosed proxy card in the enclosed postage-prepaid envelope as promptly as possible. Your shares will be voted in accordance with the instructions you give in your proxy. You may revoke your proxy at any time before it is voted by signing and returning a proxy for the same shares bearing a later date, by filing with the Corporate Secretary of the Company a written revocation bearing a later date or by attending the Annual Meeting and voting in person. You will still be able to vote your shares in person should you decide to attend the Annual Meeting, even if you have previously returned your proxy card.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Diana P. Diaz Corporate Secretary Houston, Texas October \_, 2018

#### YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT

Please complete, sign and date the enclosed proxy card and return it promptly in the enclosed envelope so that your shares will be represented whether or not you attend the Annual Meeting.

SHARPS COMPLIANCE CORP. 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500 Houston, Texas 77054 (Principal Executive Offices)

PROXY STATEMENT ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 15, 2018

#### SOLICITATION AND OTHER INFORMATION RELATED TO THE COMPANY

General and Revocability of Proxies

This Proxy Statement (the "Proxy Statement") is furnished in connection with the solicitation of proxies by the Board of Directors of Sharps Compliance Corp., a Delaware corporation (referred to herein as, the "Company", "we", "us" or "our"), on behalf of the Company, to be used at the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Company to be held on November 15, 2018 (the "Annual Meeting") at the time and place and for the purposes set forth in the accompanying Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders and adjournment(s) or postponement(s) thereof. This Proxy Statement, the attached proxy card and the Notice of Annual Meeting are expected to be mailed to the stockholders of the Company on or about October \_, 2018.

The accompanying proxy is designed to permit each holder of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock"), (i) to vote for or withhold voting for, the nominees for election as directors of the Company, (ii) to approve an amendment to the Company's certificate of incorporation to increase the authorized shares of common stock from 20,000,000 to 40,000,000, (iii) to cast a non-binding advisory vote for or against or abstain from voting for, the executive compensation for the "Named Executive Officers" of the Company as named in this Proxy Statement (referred to as "say-on-pay") and (iv) to ratify the selection by the Audit Committee of the Company's Board of Directors (the "Board of Directors" or the "Board") of BDO USA, LLP ("BDO") as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the current fiscal year. When a stockholder's executed proxy card specifies a choice with respect to a voting matter, the shares will be voted accordingly. Except as otherwise provided herein, if a proxy is signed without choices specified, those shares will be voted in accordance with the recommendations of the Board set forth herein. If any other matters properly come before the Annual Meeting, the proxies will vote upon such matters according to their judgment.

The Company encourages the personal attendance of its stockholders at the Annual Meeting, and execution of the accompanying proxy will not affect a stockholder's right to attend the Annual Meeting and to vote his or her shares in person. Any stockholder with a valid proxy has the right to revoke it by giving written notice of revocation to: Diana P. Diaz, Corporate Secretary, Sharps Compliance Corp., 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77054, at any time before the proxy is voted, by executing and delivering a later-dated proxy, or by attending the Annual Meeting and voting his or her shares in person. No such notice of revocation or later-dated proxy will be effective, however, until received by the Company at or prior to the Annual Meeting. Mere attendance at the Annual Meeting will not of itself revoke the proxy.

All expenses of the Company in connection with the solicitation of proxies will be borne by the Company. In addition to solicitation by mail, the Company's directors, officers and employees may solicit proxies by telephone or other

means of communication. The Company will request brokerage houses and other custodians, nominees and fiduciaries to forward solicitation material to the beneficial owners of shares held of record by such persons and will reimburse such persons and their transfer agents for their reasonable out-of-pocket expenses in forwarding such material.

The date of this Proxy Statement is October \_, 2018.

Availability of Information at Company Website, Including Annual Report on Form 10-K

The Company's website address is www.sharpsinc.com. Information provided at the website includes, among other items, current charters for the Audit, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committees of the Board of Directors, Board committees and their composition, the Company's Code of Ethics, the Company's Insider Trading Policy, the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, the Company's Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, news releases and other information of interest to investors.

A copy of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, containing audited consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2018 and 2017, and the related consolidated statements of operations, stockholders' equity and of cash flows for the three fiscal years ended June 30, 2018, is available at http://investor.sharpsinc.com/annuals.cfm. Upon written request, the Company will send you, without charge, a copy of its Annual Report on Form 10-K (without exhibits) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, which the Company has filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") (and is available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov). Copies of exhibits to the Form 10-K are available, but a reasonable fee per page will be charged to the requesting stockholder. Stockholders may make requests for such copies in writing to the Company's Investor Relations Department, c/o Sharps Compliance Corp., 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77054.

## Where You Can Find More Information

The Company files annual, quarterly and current reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. You may read and copy reports, statements or other information that the Company files at the SEC's public reference rooms at 100 F. Street, NE, Washington, D.C., 20549. Please call the SEC at (800) SEC-0330 for further information on the public reference rooms. The SEC also maintains a website at http://www.sec.gov where the Company's periodic filings and other information regarding the Company are available at no charge.

## Code of Ethics

The Company has adopted a Code of Ethics that is applicable to the officers, directors and employees of the Company. The Code of Ethics is available on the Company's website at www.sharpsinc.com. Amendments to and waivers from the Code of Ethics, if any, will also be disclosed and available on the Company's website.

#### VOTING SECURITIES AND PRINCIPAL STOCKHOLDERS

#### General

The Board has fixed the close of business on September 24, 2018 as the record date (the "Record Date") for the Annual Meeting. Only holders of record of the outstanding shares of Common Stock at the close of business on the Record Date are entitled to notice of and to vote at the Annual Meeting and any adjournment(s) thereof. At the close of business on September 24, 2018, there were \_\_\_\_\_ shares of Common Stock outstanding and entitled to be voted at the Annual Meeting. The Common Stock is the only class of stock entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. Each share of Common Stock is entitled to one vote on each matter presented to the stockholders. Cumulative voting is not permitted by the stockholders of the Company's Common Stock.

#### Quorum and Vote Required

The presence, in person or by proxy, of a majority of the total shares of Common Stock issued and outstanding at the close of business on the Record Date is necessary to constitute a quorum for transaction of business at the Annual Meeting. Assuming the existence of a quorum, pursuant to our bylaws, the affirmative vote of a plurality of the shares of Common Stock present, either in person or represented by proxy, and entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting is required to elect directors (Proposal 1). The affirmative vote of a majority of the issued and outstanding shares is required to approve the authorized share increase (Proposal 2). With respect to Proposal 4, our bylaws provide that, if a quorum is present, the affirmative vote of a majority of the shares of Common Stock present, either in person or represented by proxy, and entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting is a non-binding advisory vote on matters related to executive compensation and therefore there is no voting standard for this proposal, since the voting results will be informational only. If a quorum is not present in person or by proxy, the Annual Meeting may be adjourned until a quorum is obtained.

Abstentions are counted toward the calculation of a quorum and will have the same effect as a vote against a proposal. Proxies returned by brokerage firms for which no voting instructions have been provided by the beneficial owners will count towards the quorum. Broker non-votes occur when a broker or nominee holding shares for a beneficial owner does not vote on a non-routine proposal because the broker or nominee has not received voting instructions from the beneficial owner and does not have discretionary voting power with respect to such proposal. A broker or other nominee holding shares for a beneficial owner may generally vote on routine matters, but not non-routine matters, without receiving voting instructions. The uncontested election of directors (Proposal 1) and the non-binding advisory vote regarding executive compensation (Proposal 3) are considered non-routine matters. If your shares are held by a broker or nominee and you do not provide such voting instructions, your shares will not be voted for Proposals 1 or 3. Please provide instructions to your brokers or nominee on how to vote your shares. The approval of an amendment to the Company's certificate of incorporation to increase the authorized shares of common stock (Proposal 2) and the ratification of the selection of the independent registered public accounting firm (Proposal 4) are considered routine matters.

#### Security Ownership of Management and Certain Beneficial Owners

The following table and notes thereto set forth certain information with respect to the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by: (i) each director of the Company, (ii) all named executive officers of the Company, (iii) all directors and executive officers of the Company as a group and (iv) each person or group of affiliated persons known by the Company to be the beneficial owner of 5% or more of the outstanding Common Stock, as of the Record Date. The address for each director and officer is c/o Sharps Compliance Corp., 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77054.

	Common Stock		
Name of Beneficial Owner	Amount and Nature of Ownership <sup>(1)</sup>	Percent Class O Benefici	wned
Directors:			
F. Gardner Parker	286,623 <sup>(3)</sup>	1.7	%
John W. Dalton	1,118,900	6.7	%
Parris H. Holmes	925,531	5.6	%
David P. Tusa	438,454 <sup>(4)</sup>	2.6	%
Philip C. Zerrillo	453,531	2.7	%
Executive Officers:			
Diana P. Diaz	112,528 <sup>(4)</sup>	*	
Gregory C. Davis	51,708 <sup>(4)</sup>	*	
All executive officers and directors as a group (8 individuals)	3,440,388 <sup>(4)</sup>	20.7	%
Other:			
Pessin Family 366 Madison Avenue, 14th Floor New York, NY 10017	1,346,552 <sup>(5)</sup>	8.1	%
James E. Sowell 1601 Elm Street, Suite 3500 Dallas, Texas 75201	1,141,491 <sup>(6)</sup>	6.9	%
Notes:			

(1) Unless otherwise noted in this table or notes relating hereto, each of the persons named in the table has sole voting and investment power with respect to the shares reported, subject to community property laws, where applicable.

The percentages indicated are based on (i) \_ shares of Common Stock issued and outstanding on the Record Date (2) and (ii) outstanding stock options exercisable within 60 days after the Record Date. A "\*" indicates less than 1% ownership.

 $^{(3)}$ Mr. Parker has pledged 53,164 shares of Common Stock owned by him as collateral for a personal loan with a commercial bank.

(4) Includes shares that the following directors and officers have the right to acquire within 60 days upon the exercise of stock options.

Mr. Tusa	349,454
Ms. Diaz	108,778
Mr. Davis	51,708
Mr. Halligan	53,113
Total	563,053

Based on Schedule 13D/A filed January 31, 2018 with the SEC, Norman Pessin has sole voting and dispositive (5)power with respect to 1,224,493 shares of Common Stock; and Sandra F. Pessin has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to 122,059 shares of Common Stock

(6) Based on Schedule 13G filed July 31, 2018 with the SEC, James E. Sowell has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to 1,141,491 shares of Common Stock

#### DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Set forth below is information with respect to each director and executive officer of the Company as of September 24, 2018. The executive officers are elected by the Board of Directors and serve at the discretion of the Board. There are no family relationships between any two directors or executive officers.

Name	Age	ePosition		
Directors:				
Philip C. Zerrillo	60	Chairman of the Board		
John W. Dalton (1),(2),(3)	77	Director		
Parris H. Holmes <sup>(1),(2),(3),(4)</sup>	74	Director		
F. Gardner Parker $^{(1),(2),(3),(4)}$	76	Director		
David P. Tusa	58	Director, Chief Executive Officer and President		
Executive Officers:				
Diana P. Diaz	55	Vice President and Chief Financial Officer		
Gregory C. Davis	51	Vice President of Operations		
Dennis P. Halligan	44	Vice President of Marketing		
Notes:				
(1)Member of the Audit Committee				
(2)Member of the Compensation Committee				
(3) Member of the Corporate Governance Committee				
(4)Member of the Acquisition Committee				

The following information about the Company's executive officers and directors details their business experience, including the qualifications, attributes or skills that caused the Board to determine that each such board member should serve as a director of the Company.

Philip C. Zerrillo, Ph.D. has served as a director of the Company since September 1999 and assumed the position of non-executive Chairman of the Board in November 2016. Dr. Zerrillo served, from 1999 to 2004, as Associate Dean and Executive Director of the Executive Education program at the University of Texas in Austin. Dr. Zerrillo has also served, from 2000 to 2002, as the Graduate Business Dean at the University of Texas in Austin. He has served as a visiting professor at several universities, including Northwestern University JL Kellogg Graduate School of Management, Thammasat University (Thailand), Hebrew University (Israel), IMADEC University (Austria), Helsinki School of Economics (Singapore) and The Luiss Guido Carli School of Management (Rome). Dr. Zerrillo is also the author of numerous published articles in the fields of distribution channel management and business system innovation. Dr. Zerrillo is currently a professor at the Singapore Management University where he is Executive Director of Case Writing Initiatives and was formerly the Executive Director of Centre for Management Practice. Dr. Zerrillo also consults internationally. Dr. Zerrillo brings to the Board of Directors business and financial expertise gained from a Ph.D. in marketing, extensive international academic appointments and consultation with international businesses as well as strategic business management expertise.

John W. Dalton has served as a director of the Company since November 2008. From May 2004 to August 2016, Mr. Dalton operated an investment firm, Domaine Capital Properties, where he served as principal owner and founder. Mr. Dalton serves as the general partner or performs a similar function for a number of other private entities. Prior to May 2004, Mr. Dalton was a Vice President of RBC Dain Rauscher, Inc. ("RBC"), a full-service brokerage and investment firm. Mr. Dalton was employed by RBC for 38 years. Mr. Dalton was a director of Cleveland Bank and Trust from 1976 to 1980. In 1982 Mr. Dalton was appointed by the then Governor of the State of Texas to the Texas Motor Vehicle Commission where he served in various roles including Chairman from 1982 to 1987. Mr. Dalton brings to the Board of Directors extensive experience in capital markets, experience on several private boards as well as involvement in the Texas and Houston business communities.

Parris H. Holmes has served as a director of the Company since July 1998. He previously served on the Company's Board of Directors from March 1992 until April 1996. Mr. Holmes served as Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of New Century Equity Holdings Corporation from May 1996 to June 2004. Mr. Holmes served as

both Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of USLD Communications Corp., formerly U.S. Long Distance Corp. ("USLD"), from September 1986 until August 1996, and served as Chairman of the Board of USLD until June 2, 1997. Prior to March 1993, Mr. Holmes also served as President of USLD. Mr. Holmes was a member of the Board of Directors of Princeton eCom Corporation, a leading provider of electronic bill presentment and payment services, from September 1998 until March 2004. Mr. Holmes served as a member of the Board of Directors of Tanisys Technology Inc. from June 1993 through January 2002. Mr. Holmes brings to the Board of Directors extensive experience as a Chief Executive Officer, Chairman and Board member of numerous public and private companies in many industries.

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F. Gardner Parker has served as a director of the Company since February 2003, served as the Company's Lead Director from November 2008 through November 2010 and served as the non-executive Chairman of the Board from November 2010 to November 2016. Mr. Parker serves on the board of directors of two other public companies, including: Carrizo Oil & Gas and Solaris Oilfield Infrastructure. In the past, Mr. Parker served on the boards of Camden Property Trust, Crown Resources, Blue Dolphin Energy Company, Hercules Offshore, Pinnacle Oil & Gas and Triangle Petroleum Corporation. Mr. Parker was previously with Ernst & Ernst (now Ernst & Young LLP) for 14 years, seven of which he served as a partner. Mr. Parker is a 2011 National Association of Corporate Directors ("NACD") Board Leadership Fellow (through December 2013), completing a program of study for experienced corporate directors covering leading practices for boards and committees. Mr. Parker brings to the Board of Directors an extensive background in accounting and tax matters, experience as a director on the boards and audit committees of numerous public and private companies, and financial experience through his involvement in structuring private and venture capital investments for the past 25 years.

David P. Tusa was appointed President of the Company in June 2010, Chief Executive Officer on September 30, 2010 and a member of the Board of Directors in November 2010. He joined the Company in February 2003 as the Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Business Development and served in such positions until he was named President of the Company in June 2010. Mr. Tusa was the Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Billing Concepts Corp. from August 1999 until June 2004. Prior to Billing Concepts, Mr. Tusa was Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of U.S. Legal Support, a provider of litigation support services, during the period from September 1997 to August 1999. Mr. Tusa also served as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Serv-Tech, Inc., a publicly-held provider of specialty services to industrial customers in multiple industries, from April 1994 through August 1997. Additionally, Mr. Tusa held various positions with CRSS, Inc., a publicly-held diversified services company from May 1990 through April 1994. Mr. Tusa served as an advisor to the Board of Directors of the Company from October 2001 to February 2003. He is a Certified Public Accountant and holds a BBA from the University of Houston. Mr. Tusa brings to the Board of Directors extensive knowledge of the Company and its operations gained over his years of service as an advisor or executive of the company as well as his experience as a senior corporate executive with other high growth public companies, his financial and accounting experience, and his experience as a director of other public companies.

Diana P. Diaz, CPA joined the Company in June 2010 as Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. Previously Ms. Diaz served in progressively challenging roles in the health and energy industries including Chief Financial Officer of the University General Hospital in Houston, Texas from 2006 to 2009 and Controller at Memorial Hermann Healthcare System, Texas Medical Center from 2002 to 2006. Prior to that, Ms. Diaz served as Vice President and Controller of the wholesale group at Reliant Energy, Inc. Ms. Diaz was also a Senior Audit Manager at Deloitte where she had more than ten years of experience. She is a Certified Public Accountant and holds an MBA from Rice University and a BBA from the University of Texas.

Gregory C. Davis, Vice President of Operations, served as an information technology consultant to the Company beginning in 2004 and was appointed Director of Information Technology in March 2007. Mr. Davis was promoted to Vice President of Operations in May 2011 with responsibility for the Company's traditional warehouse, manufacturing and distribution functions, while also managing delivery and integration of the increased data and technology requirements of the Company's new solution offerings to its existing and new customers. Mr. Davis also continues to manage the information technology functions of the Company and during 2016 began to oversee customer service. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Davis was the founder of an information technology company and held various positions in the information technology industry.

Dennis P. Halligan, Vice President of Marketing, joined the Company in February 2011 as the Company's Director of Marketing and served in such position until November 2014 at which time he was named Vice President of Marketing. During 2016, Mr. Halligan began to lead the Company's Inside Sales group. Prior to his employment with

the Company, Mr. Halligan was a principal with Stir Creative, a web marketing agency focused on digital branding as well as the development of traditional and ecommerce platforms. Prior to this, he was a Senior Marketing Manager at R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, responsible for brand promotions, sales distribution and new product launches in the company's Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana markets. Mr. Halligan holds a BS in Marketing from the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

#### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Election of Directors - PROPOSAL ONE (1)

The bylaws of the Company provide that the Board of Directors shall consist of not fewer than three nor more than 10 members and that the number of directors, within such limits, shall be determined by resolution of the Board of Directors at any meeting or by the stockholders at the Annual Meeting.

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The Corporate Governance Committee of the Board of Directors has nominated the individuals named below to be elected as directors at the Annual Meeting. Each of the five nominees is presently serving as a Director of the Company. Each of the nominees has agreed to stand for election as a director of the Company, to serve until the Company's 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders or until his respective successor has been duly elected and qualified.

The table below sets forth the names and ages of the nominees for director and the year each nominee first became a Director of the Company. Biographical information on the nominees is set forth under the caption "Management."

Name (Age)Director SinceJohn W. Dalton (77)2008Parris H. Holmes (74)1998F. Gardner Parker (76)2003David P. Tusa (58)2010Philip C. Zerrillo (60)1999

Unless otherwise indicated on any duly executed and dated proxy, the persons named in the enclosed proxy intend to vote the shares that it represents for the election of the nominees listed in the table above for the term specified. The Board of Directors anticipates that the listed nominees will be able and willing to serve, but if any nominee becomes unable or unwilling to serve, the proxy holders may vote such shares at their discretion for a substitute nominee designated by the Board of Directors.

Assuming the presence of a quorum, the affirmative vote of the holders of a plurality of the shares of Common Stock, represented in person or by proxy at the Annual Meeting, is required for the election of directors. Assuming the receipt by each such nominee of the affirmative vote of at least a plurality of the shares of Common Stock represented at the Annual Meeting, such nominees will be elected as directors. The Board of Directors recommends that Stockholders vote "For" the election of the nominees for director.

Board's Leadership Structure and Role in Risk Oversight

Director Independence The Board has determined that each of Messrs. Zerrillo, Dalton, Holmes, and Parker is an "independent director" within the meaning of the applicable rules of the SEC and NASDAQ. The Audit Committee, Compensation Committee and Corporate Governance Committee of the Board are composed entirely of independent directors.

Succession and Transition David P. Tusa was appointed to the role of Chief Executive Officer effective September 30, 2010. Mr. Tusa has been with the Company for over 14 years and has been a key player in driving the Company's growth, strengthening the balance sheet and ensuring efficiency in operations. Mr. Tusa has been instrumental in initiating the expansion of the Company's service offerings to include a route-based pickup service via acquisitions, direct operations or subcontractor relationships and with the development of new solutions including MedSafe, a patent-pending solution for the safe collection, transportation and proper disposal of unwanted and expired prescription medications, including controlled substances from ultimate users and the TakeAway Recycle System, a shipback solution for the collection and recycling of single-use devices from surgical centers and other healthcare facilities. The Board believes Mr. Tusa's primary role should be to lead and manage the day-to-day operations of the Company. Mr. Tusa has extensive knowledge of the day-to-day operations of the Company and his focus continues to be on expanding the Company's customer base, expanding relationships with existing customers, and developing strategic relationships and alliances.

Dr. Zerrillo was appointed Chairman of the Board (the "Chairman") in November 2016. The Chairman is expected to organize the Board activities to enable the Board to effectively guide, oversee and hold management accountable. To fulfill that role, the Chairman is expected to create and maintain an effective working relationship with the Chief

Executive Officer and other members of the Board; provide the Chief Executive Officer on-going direction as to Board needs, interests and opinions; and ensure that the Board agenda is appropriately directed to the matters of greatest importance to the Company. The Chairman is expected to preserve the distinction between management and oversight, ensuring that management develops a corporate strategy and the Board of Directors reviews and expresses its views on the corporate strategy. In addition, the Chairman's roles include but are not limited to the following: (i) advising the Chief Executive Officer as to an appropriate schedule of Board meetings, (ii) seeking to ensure that the directors can perform their duties responsibly while not interfering with on-going Company operations, (iii) approving, with the Chief Executive Officer, an agenda and the meeting schedules for the Board of Directors and Board Committee meetings, (iv) advising the Chief Executive Officer as to the quality, quantity and timeliness of the information submitted to the Board by the Company's management that is necessary or appropriate for the directors to effectively and responsibly perform their duties, (v) calling meetings of the directors, and (vi) acting as the principal liaison between the directors and the Chief Executive Officer on sensitive issues.

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Board's Role in Risk Oversight The Board is responsible for determining the ultimate direction of our business, determining the principles of our business strategy and policies and promoting the long-term interests of the Company. The Board possesses and exercises oversight authority over the business, subject to governing documents and applicable law, but delegates day-to-day management of the Company to the Chief Executive Officer and other executive officers. This structure requires clear and timely communication between the Chief Executive Officer and Chairman regarding management decisions that will impact the Board. Viewed from this perspective, the Board generally oversees risk management, and the Chief Executive Officer and other executive officers manage the material risks that we face. The Board focuses on the most significant risks facing the Company and the Company's general risk management strategy, and also ensures that risks undertaken by the Company are consistent with such strategy.

Risks falling within this area would include but are not limited to business ethics, general business and industry risks, operating risks and financial risks. We have not concentrated within our executive officers responsibility for all risk management in a single risk management officer, but rather rely on various executive and other management personnel to understand, assess, mitigate and generally manage material risks that we face in various areas including capital expenditure plans, liquidity, operations and health, safety and environmental. As necessary, the Chief Executive Officer and other executive officers report to the Board and its committees, as appropriate, regarding material risk and the management of risk facing the Company. The Board monitors the risk management information provided to it and provides feedback to management from time to time.

The Audit Committee assists the Board in the oversight of the integrity of the Company's financial statements and various matters relating to our publicly available financial information and our internal and independent auditors. The Audit Committee's role includes receiving information from our employees and others regarding public disclosure, our internal controls over financial reporting and material violations of law. The Corporate Governance Committee evaluates related party transactions and potential conflicts of interest for the Company as they arise. Risks associated with retaining and incentivizing management fall within the scope of the authority of the Compensation Committee, which assists the Board in reviewing and administering compensation, benefits, and incentive and equity-based compensation plans. The Acquisition Committee reviews and approves (or recommends that the Board approve) potential acquisitions, divestitures, and investments proposed by the Company's management. These committees periodically receive reports from management regarding management's assessment of risks and report regularly to the full Board regarding such risks.

Meetings, Committees and Committee Reports

Board and Committee Meetings The Board meets on a quarterly basis and holds special meetings whenever circumstances require. The Board held four regularly scheduled quarterly meetings during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018. The independent Board members meet in executive sessions at each quarterly Board of Directors meeting. During 2018, each of the directors attended at least 75% of the aggregate number of meetings of the Board and the committees on which he served that were held during the period in which he served as a director or committee member. The Company does not have a policy regarding director attendance at the Company's Annual Meeting of Stockholders. All of the directors attended the Company's 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

Committees of the Board The Board currently has four standing committees: Audit, Compensation, Acquisition and Corporate Governance.

Audit Committee Report: The information contained in this report pursuant to Item 407(d)(1)-(3) of Regulation S-K shall not be deemed to be "soliciting material" or "filed" or incorporated by reference in future filings with the SEC, or subject to liabilities of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), except to the extent that we specifically request that the information be treated as soliciting material or specifically incorporate it by reference into a document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the

## Exchange Act.

The Audit Committee's purpose is to assist the Board in its oversight of the Company's internal controls and financial statements and the audit process. The Board, in its business judgment, has determined that all members of the Audit Committee are "independent," as required by applicable standards of the SEC and NASDAQ. The Audit Committee operates pursuant to a written charter adopted by the Board. The charter of the Audit Committee is available on the Company's website. The address of the Company's website is http://www.sharpsinc.com. Mr. Dalton, Mr. Holmes and Mr. Parker (Chairman) are the current members of the Audit Committee. The Board has determined that Mr. Parker is an independent director who, in light of his business experience and financial expertise detailed above, qualifies as an audit committee financial expert, as that term is defined by the SEC and the applicable listing standards of the NASDAQ. The Audit Committee is responsible for pre-approving all services provided by the Company's independent registered public accounting firm, BDO.

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Management is responsible for the preparation, presentation and integrity of the Company's financial statements, accounting and financial reporting principles and internal controls and procedures designed to assure compliance with accounting standards and applicable laws and regulations. The Company's independent registered public accounting firm, BDO, is responsible for performing an audit of the Company's consolidated financial statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting and Oversight Board (United States). In performing its oversight role, the Audit Committee has reviewed and discussed the audited financial statements with management and BDO. The Audit Committee has also discussed with BDO the matters required to be discussed by Auditing Standard No. 1301, Communications with Audit Committees. The Audit Committee has received the written disclosures and the letter from the independent registered public accounting firm required by PCAOB Rule 3526. The Audit Committee has also considered whether the provision of non-audit services by the independent registered public accounting firm is compatible with maintaining its independence and has discussed with the independent registered public accounting firm its independent registered public accounting firm its independence.

In overseeing the preparation of the Company's financial statements and internal control over financial reporting, the Audit Committee met with both management and BDO to review and discuss all financial statements prior to their issuance, all assessments of internal control over financial reporting and significant accounting issues. Based on the reports, review and discussions described in this report, the Audit Committee recommended to the Board that the audited financial statements be included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

The Audit Committee met four times in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

F. Gardner Parker (Chairman) John W. Dalton Parris H. Holmes

The Compensation Committee currently is comprised of three outside directors, Mr. Dalton (Chairman), Mr. Holmes and Mr. Parker, and administers and oversees all aspects of the Company's Executive Compensation Policy and reports its determinations to the Board. The Compensation Committee operates pursuant to a written charter adopted by the Board. The charter of the Compensation Committee is available on the Company's website and has been filed with NASDAQ. The address of the Company's website is http://www.sharpsinc.com.

The Compensation Committee met one time during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

The Acquisition Committee is appointed by the Board to review and approve (or recommend that the Board approve) potential acquisitions, divestitures and investments proposed by the Company's management. The Acquisition Committee also evaluates the execution, financial results and integration of completed acquisition transactions.

The Acquisition Committee currently is comprised of two outside directors, Mr. Parker and Mr. Holmes. The Acquisition Committee did not meet during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

The Corporate Governance Committee is appointed by the Board to ensure that the Board is appropriately constituted to meet its fiduciary obligations to the Company and its stockholders. The Corporate Governance Committee assists in monitoring and shaping the corporate governance of the Company and assists the Board in connection with Board nominations matters. The Corporate Governance Committee evaluates the structure and membership of the Board and its committees and assesses the qualifications of prospective nominees to the Board. In evaluating director candidates, the Corporate Governance Committee considers factors it deems relevant, including, at a minimum, each member and nominee's general understanding of marketing, finance, accounting, or other elements relevant to the success of a publicly traded company in the current business environment, understanding of our business on an operational level,

integrity, education and professional background, and willingness to devote time to the Board's duties.

In addition, the Board evaluates each individual in the context of the Board as a whole, with the objective of recommending individuals that can best perpetuate the success of our business and represent stockholder interests through the exercise of sound business judgment using their diversity of experience in these various areas. The Board of Directors oversees Chief Executive Officer and senior management succession planning. The process focuses on building management depth, considers continuity and stability within the Company, and responds to the Company's evolving needs and changing circumstances.

The Board of Directors does not specifically consider diversity in regards to ethnicity, gender, race, or age in assessing the qualifications of director nominees nor does it have a policy regarding diversity of nominee candidates. However, as stated above, the Corporate Governance Committee does consider the diversity of professional experiences and the background of nominees, both individually, and in the context of the whole Board.

The Corporate Governance Committee periodically reviews and assesses the adequacy of the Company's Code of Ethics and makes recommendations to the Board regarding any amendments, modifications or waivers of the provisions thereof.

The Corporate Governance Committee is composed of three members of the Board, each of whom meets the independence requirements under the applicable listing standards of NASDAQ and the SEC. Messrs. Holmes (Chairman), Dalton and Parker are the current members of the Corporate Governance committee. The Board has adopted a written charter for the Corporate Governance Committee. The charter of the Corporate Governance Committee is available on the Company's website. The address of the Corporate Governance Committee also: In addition to the responsibilities and functions described above, the Corporate Governance Committee also: recommends a slate of director nominees for approval by the Board and election by the stockholders in connection with the Company's Annual Meeting of Stockholders;

reviews stockholder nominations for candidacy to the Board, if any, and any stockholder proposals affecting corporate governance and makes recommendations to the Board accordingly;

periodically reviews overall corporate governance principles, procedures and practices of the Company and makes recommendations to the Board as appropriate;

periodically reviews and reports to the Board on the effectiveness of the Company's corporate governance; periodically reviews the charter of the Corporate Governance Committee, the Company's certificate of incorporation, bylaws and other corporate governance documents and recommends any changes or amendments to the Board, as the Committee deems appropriate, including changes necessary to satisfy any applicable requirements of NASDAQ, the SEC and any other regulatory requirements;

monitors the independence of directors under all applicable rules and regulations;

reviews any potential conflicts of interest between the directors or the executive officers and the interests of the Company;

oversees and reviews the Company's processes for providing information to the Board so that the Board obtains appropriately detailed information in a timely fashion; and

provides a report of the Corporate Governance Committee's activities to the full Board not less than once per year.

In addition to the responsibilities listed above, the Corporate Governance Committee undertakes such other duties as the Board delegates to it and performs such other activities as are consistent with the charter of the Corporate Governance Committee.

Stockholders desiring to make recommendations for candidacy to the Board should submit such recommendations to Diana P. Diaz, Corporate Secretary, Sharps Compliance Corp., 9220 Kirby Drive, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77054. The Corporate Governance Committee will evaluate candidates properly proposed by stockholders in the same manner as all other candidates.

The Corporate Governance Committee did not meet during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

#### **Director Compensation**

The following table provides information about compensation earned for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018 by non-employee members of the Board of Directors. Directors that are employees receive no additional compensation for their services on the board.

Name	Fees Earned or Paid in Cash (\$	Restricted Stock Grants (\$) <sup>(1)</sup>	Restricted Stock Grants (#)	Total Compensation (\$)
	Cash (\$	)`*'	()	

John W. Dalton	\$40,000\$53,159	12,748	\$ 93,159
Parris H. Holmes	\$40,000\$52,108	12,496	\$ 92,108
F. Gardner Parker	\$40,000\$53,159	12,748	\$ 93,159
Philip C. Zerrillo	\$60,000\$62,550	15,000	\$ 122,550
Notes:			

Amounts represent the aggregate grant date fair value of stock-based compensation expense computed in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 718 Stock-Based Compensation. The assumptions used to calculate these

<sup>(1)</sup> amounts are included in Note 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies in Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements in the Company's most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K.

Non-Employee Board of Director Compensation Policy On November 16, 2017, the Compensation Committee approved Board of Director compensation for the Company's non-employee directors effective for the service period from October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018, paid or issued quarterly (except for special board meetings) as follows:

Chairma	<sup>n</sup> Board	Committe	eCommittee
01	Membe	erChair	Member
\$15,000	\$10,00	0	
2,500	2,500		
1,250			
		375	187
		375	187
		250	125
\$1,000	\$1,000		
	the Boar \$ 15,000 2,500 1,250	the Board Member \$ 15,000 \$ 10,000 2,500 2,500 1,250	of the Board \$ 15,000 \$ 10,000 2,500 2,500 1,250 375 375 250

Directors are reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in attending meetings.

The Compensation Committee is expected to establish a Non-Employee Board of Directors Compensation Policy for the period subsequent to September 30, 2018 consistent with that established on November 16, 2017.

#### EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

2018 Compensation Actions Related to Named Executive Officers During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018 and as detailed more in the Summary Compensation Table, the following compensation related actions occurred:

• Options to purchase the Company's stock were granted to Mr. Tusa, Ms. Diaz and Mr. Davis for fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

• No cash bonuses were awarded for fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

No stock awards (other than option grants described above) were granted to our Named Executive Officers during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

Role of the Compensation Committee The Compensation Committee's overall goal is to develop executive compensation policies that are consistent with, and linked to, the Company's strategic business objectives and values. The Compensation Committee approves the design of, assesses the effectiveness of and administers executive compensation programs in support of the Company's compensation policies. At least annually, the Company's Chief Executive Officer reports to the Compensation Committee an evaluation of executive performance and a recommendation regarding salary and other remuneration for executives. The Compensation Committee considers these evaluations and recommendations during its regularly scheduled sessions, and may choose to adopt the recommendations or modify them at its sole discretion. The Compensation Committee reviews and approves all salary arrangements and other remuneration for executive performance and considers related matters.

Role of the Compensation Consultant Pursuant to its charter, the Compensation Committee is authorized to engage, at the expense of the Company, a compensation consultant to provide independent advice, support, and expertise to assist the Compensation Committee in overseeing and reviewing our overall executive compensation strategy, structure, policies and programs, and to assess whether our compensation structure establishes appropriate incentives for management and other key employees. The Company is not currently utilizing an independent compensation consultant and did not engage a compensation consultant with respect to the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

Consideration of Recent Stockholder Advisory Votes on Executive Compensation At the Company's most recent annual meeting of stockholders held on November 16, 2017, the Company's stockholders approved by a favorable vote of 98.8% of the shares voted on such proposal, the compensation of the Company's Named Executive Officers as described in the Company's proxy statement for such annual meeting. Although this vote is non-binding, the Compensation Committee viewed this strong endorsement of the executive compensation philosophy, policies and decisions as an additional factor supporting the Compensation Committee's conclusion that the existing approach to executive compensation is appropriate and successful for the Company.

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Compensation Philosophy The Company's executive compensation policies have four primary objectives: (i) to attract and retain highly competent executives to manage the Company's business, (ii) to offer executives appropriate incentives for accomplishment of the Company's business objectives and strategy, (iii) to encourage stock ownership by executives to enhance mutuality of interest with stockholders and (iv) to maximize long-term stockholder value.

Elements of Compensation The key elements of the Company's executive compensation are base salary and an annual compensation pool that includes both cash bonuses (short-term) and stock options (long-term). These key elements are addressed separately below. In determining compensation, the Compensation Committee considers all elements of an executive's total compensation package.

Base Salary Base salaries for executives are determined initially by evaluating the executive's level of responsibility, prior experience, breadth of knowledge, internal equity issues and external pay practices. Increases to base salaries are driven primarily by individual performance. Individual performance is evaluated based on sustained levels of individual contribution to the Company. When evaluating individual performance, the Compensation Committee considers the executive's efforts in promoting Company values, continuing educational and management training, improving product quality, developing relationships with customers and vendors and demonstrating leadership abilities among co-workers.

Annual Incentives Each year, the Compensation Committee evaluates the performance of the Company as a whole, as well as the performance of each individual executive. Factors considered include Company performance versus expectations, as well as individual accomplishments.

On September 28, 2017, the Compensation Committee approved a Compensation and Incentive Plan effective for fiscal year 2018 (ending June 30, 2018) (the "CIP") which replaced in its entirety the prior CIP. The CIP, which includes the Company's Executive Officers as participants, is designed to provide an annual incentive compensation opportunity for key executives in exchange for the Company achieving key financial and other goals (ex. annual Budget). The CIP is summarized as follows:

Award Opportunities – Effective for the fiscal year 2018, the covered participants will be eligible for an annual cash incentive bonus pool (\$480,000 for 2018 of which 40% is applicable to the CEO and 60% is allocable to the other covered participants based on a recommendation by the CEO) and a stock option pool (250,000 stock options for 2018 of which 100,000 stock options are applicable to the CEO and 150,000 stock options which are allocated to other covered participants based on a recommendation by the CEO and 150,000 stock options which are allocated to other covered participants based on a recommendation by the CEO and approved by the Committee). Within thirty (30) days after the Company's earnings release for the most recently completed fiscal year, the actual CIP award performance will be calculated to determine the total cash and stock option CIP awards earned for the most recently completed performance cycle.

Performance Measures – The CIP performance targets include the following:
Achievement of Annual Budgeted Revenue – weighted 25%
Achievement of 110% or more of Annual Budgeted Revenue – weighted 25%
Achievement of Annual Budgeted Pre-Tax Profit – weighted 12.5%
Achievement of 110% or more of Annual Budgeted Pre-Tax Profit – weighted 12.5%
Discretionary Portion – weighted 25% – approved by the Committee based on positioning the Company for future growth

The CIP terminated on June 30, 2018. There is no incentive plan for Executive Officers in place at the date of this proxy statement. The Compensation Committee is working on a new compensation and incentive plan that would be effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019.

Executive Compensation Tables and Related Information

The following table sets forth compensation earned by the Company's Named Executive Officers for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and 2017:

Name and Principal Position	Fiscal Year <sup>Salary</sup> (\$)	Stock BonusOption (\$) <sup>(1)</sup> Awards (\$) <sup>(2)</sup>	Other Comp Total
David P. Tusa	2018 \$ 350,000 <sup>(3)</sup>		)\$19,350\$449,200
Chief Executive Officer and President	2017 \$ 350,000 <sup>(3)</sup>		\$20,445