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**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.      )**

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**KODIAK SCIENCES INC.**

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(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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## Your vote matters!



### Kodiak Sciences Inc. 2026 Annual Meeting of Stockholders

Tuesday, June 2, 2026 9:00 AM, Pacific Time

Annual Meeting to be held live via the Internet - please visit [www.proxydocs.com/KOD](http://www.proxydocs.com/KOD)

**You must register to attend the meeting online and/or participate or vote at the meeting at [www.proxydocs.com/KOD](http://www.proxydocs.com/KOD)**

**For a convenient way to view proxy materials, which include the Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report, VOTE, and obtain instructions to attend the meeting and vote at the meeting, go to [www.proxydocs.com/KOD](http://www.proxydocs.com/KOD)**

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**THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A VOTE:  
FOR ON PROPOSALS 1, 2 AND 3**

**PROPOSAL**

1. Elect three Class II directors nominated by our board and named in this proxy statement.
  - 1.01 Charles A. Bancroft
  - 1.02 Bassil I. Dahiyat, Ph.D.
  - 1.03 Taiyin Yang, Ph.D.
2. Approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of Kodiak's named executive officers, as disclosed in the proxy statement.
3. Ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2026.

NOTE: In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof.

