UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM8-K **CURRENT REPORT** Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 July 27, 2021 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) Commission File Number Name of Registrant; State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation; Address of Principal Executive Offices; and Telephone Number IRS Employer Identification Number 001-16169 **EXELON CORPORATION** 23-2990190 (a Pennsylvania corporation) 10 South Dearborn Street P.O. Box 805379 Chicago, Illinois 60680-5379 (800) 483-3220 Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions: Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: Title of each class Trading Symbol(s) Name of each exchange on which registered EXELON CORPORATION: Common Stock, without par value **EXC** The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC Indicate by check mark whether any of the registrants are emerging growth companies as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if any of the registrants have elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain

On July 27, 2021, the board of directors of Exelon Corporation ("Exelon") increased the size of the board to thirteen (13) and elected W. Paul Bowers as a director, effective as of July 27, 2021, to serve until the 2022 annual meeting of shareholders. The Exelon board has not vet determined which committees Mr. Bowers will be appointed to serve on. Mr. Bowers will receive Exelon's standard compensation for its directors as disclosed in its proxy statement.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

EXELON CORPORATION

/s/ Carter Culver

Carter Culver Senior Vice President and Deputy General Counsel Exelon Corporation

July 29, 2021

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