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FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16

of the Securities Exchange Act Of 1934

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2013

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XINYUAN REAL ESTATE CO., LTD.

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes ☐ **No** ☒

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This Form 6-K (excluding Exhibit 99.1 hereto) is hereby incorporated by reference into the registration statement of Xinyuan Real Estate Co., Ltd. (the "Company ") on Form S-8 (Registration Number 333-152638) and any outstanding prospectus, offering circular or similar document issued or authorized by the Company that incorporates by reference any of the Company's reports on Form 6-K that are incorporated into its registration statements filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and this Form 6-K (excluding Exhibit 99.1 hereto) shall be deemed a part of each such document from the date on which this Form 6-K is filed, to the extent not superseded by documents or reports subsequently filed or furnished by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION

On May 3, 2013, the Company issued an aggregate principal amount of US\$200,000,000 of 13.25% Senior Notes due 2018 (the "Notes") upon completion of an offering conducted outside the United States pursuant to Regulation S under the Securities Act. The Notes bear interest at 13.25% per annum payable semi-annually. Interest will be payable on May 3 and November 3 of each year, commencing November 3, 2013. The Notes have a five year term maturing on May 3, 2018.

The Notes were issued pursuant to an indenture, dated May 3, 2013, between, the Company, the Subsidiary Guarantors (as defined below) and Citicorp International Limited, as trustee and collateral agent (the "Indenture"). The Indenture and the global note representing the Notes are attached hereto as Exhibits 99.2 and 99.3, respectively.

The Company's obligations under the Indenture and the Notes are guaranteed initially by certain of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Xinyuan Real Estate, Ltd., Xinyuan International Property Investment Co., Ltd., Victory Good Development Ltd., South Glory International Ltd., Elite Quest Holdings Ltd. and Xinyuan International (HK) Property Investment Co., Limited (the "Subsidiary Guarantors") and will be guaranteed by such other future subsidiaries of the Company as is set forth in and in accordance with the terms of the Indenture. The Company's obligations under the Indenture and the Notes are secured by a pledge of the capital stock of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Xinyuan Real Estate, Ltd., Xinyuan International Property Investment Co., Ltd., Victory Good Development Ltd., South Glory International Ltd. and Elite Quest Holdings Ltd.

The Company may redeem the Notes, in whole or in part, at a redemption price equal to 106.6250% of principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to (but excluding) the redemption date, during the 12 month period commencing on May 3, 2016 or at a redemption price equal to 103.3125% of the principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any to (but excluding) the redemption date, during the 12 month period commencing on May 3, 2017.

At any time prior to May 3, 2016, the Company may at its option redeem the Notes, in whole but not in part, at a redemption price equal to 100.0% of the principal amount of the Notes plus the Applicable Premium as of, and accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to (but not including) the redemption date. "Applicable Premium" means with respect to any Note at any redemption date, the greater of (i) 1.00% of the principal amount of such Note and (ii) the excess of (A) the present value at such redemption date of the redemption price of such Note on May 3, 2016, plus all required remaining scheduled interest payments due on such Note through May 3, 2016 (but excluding accrued and unpaid interest to the redemption date), computed using a discount rate equal to the Adjusted Treasury Rate (as defined in the Indenture) plus 100 basis points, over (B) the principal amount of such Note on such redemption date.

At any time prior to May 3, 2016, the Company may redeem up to 35% of the aggregate principal amount of the Notes with the net cash proceeds of one or more sales of the Company's common shares in certain equity offerings, within a specified period after the equity offering, at a redemption price of 113.25% the principal amount of the Notes, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to (but not including) the redemption date, provided that at least 65% of the aggregate principal amount of the Notes issued on May 3, 2013 remain outstanding after each such redemption.

Following any Change of Control Triggering Event, the Company must make an offer to purchase all outstanding Notes at a purchase price equal to 101.0% of the principal amount thereof plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any to (but not including) the offer to purchase payment date. A "Change of Control Triggering Event" means the occurrence of both a Change of Control (as defined in the Indenture) and specified decline in the ratings of the Notes within six month after the date of public notice of the occurrence of a Change of Control or the intention by the Company or any other person to effect a Change of Control.

The Indenture contain certain covenants that, among others, restrict the Company's ability and the ability of the Company's Restricted Subsidiaries (as defined in the Indenture) to incur additional debt or to issue preferred stock, to make certain payments or investments, to pay dividends or purchase of redeem capital stock, sell assets, or make certain other payment, subject to certain qualifications and exceptions and satisfaction, in certain circumstances of specified conditions, such as a consolidated interest coverage ratio of 3.0 to 1.0.

The foregoing description does not purport to be a complete description of the terms of the documents, and this description is qualified in its entirety by the terms of the definitive documents or forms thereof which are attached as exhibits to this Form 6-K and which are incorporated by reference.

The Notes were issued in an offering done in reliance on the exemption from registration under Regulation S promulgated under the Securities Act. Barclays Bank PLC, Morgan Stanley & Co. International plc, Merrill Lynch International and ICBC International Securities Limited acted as the joint lead managers and bookrunners for the offering. The Notes are listed and quoted for trading on the Official List of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited.

SIGNATURE

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

Xinyuan Real Estate Co., Ltd.

By: /s/Thomas Gurnee
Name: Thomas Gurnee
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 7, 2013

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