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FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of: July 2014

Commission File Number: 001-34656

China Lodging Group, Limited

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

No. 2266 Hongqiao Road Changning District Shanghai 200336 People's Republic of China (86) 21 6195-2011 (Address of principal executive office)

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SIGNATURES

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.

China Lodging Group, Limited

By: <u>/s/ Qi Ji</u> Name: Qi Ji

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 11, 2014

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

Exhibit 99.1 China Lodging Group, Limited Announces Preliminary Hotel Operating Results for Second Quarter of 2014

China Lodging Group, Limited (HTHT) Announces Its Preliminary Results for Hotel Operations in the Second Quarter of 2014

SHANGHAI, China, July 10, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- China Lodging Group, Limited (Nasdaq:HTHT) ("China Lodging Group" or the "Company"), a leading and fast-growing multi-brand hotel group in China, today announced its preliminary results for the hotel operations in the second quarter ended June 30, 2014.

Hotel Development

	N	umber of ho	otels in oper	Number of ro	oms in operation		
	Opened	Closed	Net added	As of	Net added	As of	
	in Q2 2014	in Q2 2014	in Q2 2014 June 30, 201		in Q2 2014	June 30, 2014	
Leased hotels	15		15	590	2,468	69,900	
Manachised hotels	130	(5)	125	1,069	12,652	108,117	
Franchised hotels*		(1)	(1)	10	(126)	1,169	
Total	145	(6)	139	1,669	14,994	179,186	

^{*} refers to franchised Starway hotels

	Number of hotels in pipeline as of June 30, 2014
Leased hotels	45
Manachised hotels	460
Total	505

Operating Metrics

For th	ne quarter	ended	
lune 30	March 31	luna	30

	June 30,	March 31,	June 30,
	2013	2014	2014
Occupancy rate (as a percentage)			
Leased hotels	90%	84%	91%
Manachised hotels	92%	86%	91%
Blended	91%	86%	91%
Average daily room rate (in RMB)			
Leased hotels	190	179	191
Manachised hotels	176	165	173
Blended	182	171	180
RevPAR (in RMB)			
Leased hotels	172	151	174
Manachised hotels	162	143	158
Blended	167	146	164

Like-for-like performance for leased and manachised hotels opened for at least 18 months during the current quarter

As of and for the quarter ended June 30,

	2013	2014			
Total	959	959			
Leased hotels	460	460			
Manachised hotels	499	499			
Occupancy rate (as a percentage)	96%	96%			
Average daily room rate (in RMB)	185	185			
RevPAR (in RMB)	177	176			

Business Update by segment

Hotel breakdown by brand

	Number of hotels in operation				
	Net added	As of			
	in Q2 2014	June 30, 2014			
Economy hotels	118	1,530			
Hanting Hotel	96	1,415			
Leased hotels	8	489			
Manachised hotels	88	926			
Hi Inn	22	115			
Leased hotels	1	41			
Manachised hotels	21	74			
Midscale and upscale hotels	21	139			
JI Hotel	16	96			
Leased hotels	5	56			
Manachised hotels	11	40			
Starway Hotel	5	41			
Leased hotels	1	2			
Manachised hotels	5	29			
Franchised hotels	(1)	10			
Joya Hotel		1			
Leased hotels		1			
Manxin Hotels & Resorts		1			
Leased hotels		1			
Total	139	1,669			

Operational metrics for hotels in operation by segment

Q2 2014

	Number of hotels in operation	RevPAR	ADR	Occupancy
Economy hotels	1,530	159	173	92%
Leased hotels	530	165	178	92%
Manachised hotels	1,000	156	169	92%
Midscale and upscale hotels	129	210	263	80%
Leased hotels	60	238	288	83%
Manachised hotels	69	176	231	76%
Total	1,659	164	180	91%

Q2 2013

	Number of hotels in operation	RevPAR	<u>ADR</u>	Occupancy
Economy hotels	1,127	163	177	92%
Leased hotels	479	165	182	91%
Manachised hotels	648	162	173	93%
Midscale and upscale hotels	66	218	280	78%
Leased hotels	35	251	301	83%
Manachised hotels	31	171	244	70%
Total	1,193	167	182	91%

^{*} Excluding franchised Starway hotels

Same-hotel operational data by segment

Number of hotels in operation		Same-hote	el RevPAR	AR Same-hotel ADR Same-hote				el Occupancy		
As	s of	For the qua	arter ended		For the qua	arter ended		For the qua	arter ended	
Jun	e 30,	June	e 30,		June	e 30,		Jun	e 30,	
2013	2014	2013	2014	yoy change	2013	2014	yoy change	2013	2014	yoy change

Economy hotels	922	922	173	171	-1%	180	179	0%	96%	96%	0%
Leased hotels	435	435	173	171	-1%	184	181	-1%	94%	94%	0%
Manachised hotels	487	487	172	172	-1%	177	178	0%	97%	97%	-1%
Midscale hotels	37	37	268	296	11%	290	309	7%	92%	96%	3%
Leased hotels	25	25	282	317	13%	301	325	8%	94%	98%	4%
Manachised hotels	12	12	225	232	3%	253	257	1%	89%	90%	2%
Total	959	959	177	176	0%	185	185	0%	96%	96%	0%

"Our same-hotel RevPAR remained flattish this quarter and we remain of the view that the growth will be marginal at best throughout 2014. For the first six months of 2014, we observed no signs for recovery in macro economy and business travel. This posted particular challenges to our economy hotels in lower-tier cities and upscale hotels. The same-hotel RevPAR for economy hotels decreased by 2% and 1% in Q1 and Q2, respectively. As a result, our pricing strategy will remain conservative for the rest of the year to better capture the rising demand for leisure travel in Q3," said Mr. Qi Ji, founder, executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of China Lodging Group. "However, we are still confident about the development of midscale hotels and will continue to execute the rapid expansion of our midscale brands. JI Hotel and Starway Hotel."

Upcoming Investor Relations Activities

China Lodging Group will participate in the following conference in the third quarter of 2014.

September 10-11, 2014 Presenting China - The Annual CICC London Conference

About China Lodging Group, Limited

China Lodging Group, Limited is a leading and fast-growing multi-brand hotel group in China. The Company provides business and leisure travelers with high-quality, and conveniently-located hotel products under six brands, namely, Joya Hotel, Manxin Hotels & Resorts, JI Hotel, Starway Hotel, Hanting Hotel, and Hi Inn. For more information, please visit the Company's website: http://ir.huazhu.com.

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The Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, unless required by applicable law.

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