# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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 2013

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 15, 2013

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Exhibit 99.1 China Lodging Group, Limited Announces Preliminary Hotel Operating Results

for Second Quarter of 2013

## China Lodging Group, Limited Announces Preliminary Hotel Operating Results for Second Quarter of 2013

SHANGHAI, China, July 15, 2013 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) - Shanghai, China, July 15, 2013 - 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 preliminary hotel operating results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2013.

#### **Hotel Development**

	Number of hotels in operation		Number of rooms in operation	
	Net added in Q2 2013	As of June 30, 2013	Net added in Q2 2013	As of June 30, 2013
Leased hotels	30	514	3,951	60,729
Manachised hotels	93	679	9,480	69,546
Franchised hotels*	(12)	23	(1,434)	2,282
Total	111	1,216	11,997	132,557

<sup>\*</sup> refers to franchised Starway hotels

	Number of hotels in pipeline as of June 30, 2013	
Leased hotels	70	
Manachised hotels	362	
Total	432	

#### Operating metrics

#### For the quarter ended

	June 30,	March 31,	June 30,
	2012	2013	2013
Occupancy rate (as a percent			
Leased hotels	97%	85%	90%
Manachised hotels	98%	88%	92%
Blended	97%	87%	91%
Average daily room rate	(in RMB)		
Leased hotels	187	178	190
Manachised hotels	175	167	176
Blended	181	172	182
RevPAR (in RMB)			
Leased hotels	181	152	172
Manachised hotels	171	146	162
Blended	176	149	167

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,

	2012	<b>2013</b> 628	
Total hotels	628		
Leased hotels	339	339	
Manachised hotels	289	289	
Total rooms	72,127	72,127	
Leased hotels	41,105	41,105	
Manachised hotels	31,022	31,022	
Occupancy rate (as a percentage)	100%	97%	
Average daily room rate (in RMB)	184	190	
RevPAR (in RMB)	185	185	

### 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 five brands, namely, Joya Hotel, JI Hotel, Starway Hotel, HanTing Hotel, and Hi Inn. For more information, please visit the Company's website: http://ir.huazhu.com.

Safe Harbor Statement Under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995: The information in this release contains forward-looking statements which involve risks and uncertainties. Such factors and risks include our anticipated growth strategies; our future results of operations and financial condition; the economic conditions of China; the regulatory environment in China; our ability to attract customers and leverage our brand; trends and competition in the lodging industry; the expected growth of the lodging market in China; and other factors and risks detailed in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Any statements contained herein that are not statements of historical fact may be deemed to be forward-looking statements, which may be identified by terminology such as "may," "should," "will," "expect," "plan," "intend," "anticipate," "believe," "estimate," "predict," "potential," "forecast," "project," or "continue," the negative of such terms or other comparable terminology. Readers should not rely on forward-looking statements as predictions of future events or results.

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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