

Xinyuan Real Estate Co., Ltd.  
Form 6-K  
July 17, 2013

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**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 JULY 2013**

**COMMISSION FILE NUMBER: 001-33863**

**XINYUAN REAL ESTATE CO., LTD.**

27/F, China Central Place, Tower II  
79 Jianguo Road, Chaoyang District  
Beijing 100025  
People's Republic of China

(Address of principal executive offices)

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**Yes**                       **No**

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This Form 6-K (excluding Exhibit 99.1) 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hereto) shall be deemed a part of each such document from the date on which this Form 6-K is filed, to the extent not superseded by documents or reports subsequently filed or furnished by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Securities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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### **Announcement of Additional Share Repurchase Program**

On July 16, 2013, the Company announced that through June 30, 2013 it had repurchased US\$9.4 million of its US\$20 million share repurchase program originally announced on June 21, 2012. Effective July 12, 2013, the Company's Board of Directors approved an additional US\$60 million share repurchase program through 2015. Purchases will be made through the open market, with the timing of purchases and the amount of stock purchased determined at the discretion of the Company's management. The program will be funded from available working capital.

**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: July 17, 2013

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit Number Description**

99.1 Press Release of Xinyuan Real Estate Co., Ltd., dated July 16, 2013