GIGAMEDIA Ltd Form 6-K December 21, 2017 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON D.C. 20549

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 December, 2017

Commission File Number: 000-30540

GIGAMEDIA LIMITED

8F, No.22, Lane 407, Section 2, Tiding Boulevard

Neihu District

Taipei, Taiwan (R.O.C.)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.)

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Yes []No [x]

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GIGAMEDIA LIMITED is submitting under cover of Form 6-K:

Purchase of GigaMedia Shares by CEO Cheng-Ming Huang (attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1)

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.

GigaMedia Limited (Registrant)

Date: December 21, 2017 By: /s/ HUANG, CHENG-MING (Signature) Name: HUANG, CHENG-MING Title: Chief Executive Officer