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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED
MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: -811-05749

THE CHINA FUND, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

c/o STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
2 AVENUE DE LAFAYETTE, 6TH FLOOR
P.O. BOX 5049
BOSTON, MA 02206-5049

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(Name and Address of Agent for
Service)

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The China Fund, Inc.
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Date of fiscal year end: October 31

Date of reporting period: July 31, 2006

ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.

THE CHINA FUND, INC.
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
JULY 31, 2006 (UNAUDITED)

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NAME OF ISSUER AND TITLE OF ISSUE	SHARES	VALUE (NOTE A)
COMMON STOCK AND OTHER EQUITY INTERESTS		
HONG KONG		
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (5.6%)		
China Ting Group Holdings Ltd.	13,148,000	\$ 2,876,395
China Travel International Investment Hong Kong, Ltd.	18,148,000	4,157,082
Parkson Retail Group Ltd.	1,080,500	3,580,485
Ports Design Ltd.	2,678,500	4,067,369
Shangri-La Asia Ltd.	4,318,000	8,979,742
Yorkey Optical International Cayman Ltd.	176,000	60,926

		23,721,999

CONSUMER STAPLES -- (5.2%)		
Chaoda Modern Agriculture (Holdings) Ltd.	34,089,900	18,425,313
Li Ning Co. Ltd.	3,726,000	3,701,690

		22,127,003

ENERGY -- (0.6%)		
China Rare Earth Holdings, Ltd.	15,254,000	2,767,851

FINANCIALS -- (4.5%)		
China Insurance International Holdings Co., Ltd.*.....	5,502,000	3,490,658
China Life Insurance Co., Ltd.	7,635,000	12,851,584
Shimao Property Holdings Ltd*.....	3,346,000	2,773,011

		19,115,253

HEALTH CARE -- (4.1%)		
China Shineway Pharmaceutical Group Ltd.	7,615,000	5,585,790
Golden Meditech Co., Ltd.	35,040,000	9,469,417
Natural Beauty Bio-Technology, Ltd.	32,780,000	2,573,230

		17,628,437

INDEX FUND -- (1.3%)		
Ishare Asia Trust.....	780,000	5,751,605

INDUSTRIALS -- (5.5%)		
Beiren Printing Machinery Holdings Ltd.+.....	7,000,000	1,549,410
China Fire Safety Enterprise Group Holdings Ltd.	50,380,000	5,899,829
TPV Technology, Ltd.	9,968,000	9,877,308
Zhejiang Expressway Co. Ltd.	10,304,000	6,325,052

		23,651,599

See notes to schedule of investments.

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THE CHINA FUND, INC.
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NAME OF ISSUER AND TITLE OF ISSUE	SHARES	VALUE (NOTE A)
COMMON STOCK AND OTHER EQUITY INTERESTS (CONTINUED)		
HONG KONG (CONTINUED)		
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY -- (3.2%)		
Arcotech Corp.* (2)	18,386,000	\$ 236,607
Digital China Holdings Ltd.	10,692,000	3,412,326
Lenovo Group Ltd.	15,858,000	5,142,672
Solomon Systech Ltd.	19,892,000	4,863,757
		13,655,362
MATERIALS -- (4.0%)		
Asia Zirconium Ltd.	12,916,000	1,130,256
Fountain Set (Holdings), Ltd.	8,204,000	2,354,347
Ocean Grand Chemicals Holdings Ltd.(2)	17,379,000	1,386,616
Sinochem Hong Kong Holdings Ltd.	5,000,000	1,853,115
Zijin Mining Group Co., Ltd.	19,418,000	10,345,338
		17,069,672
TELECOMMUNICATIONS -- (2.8%)		
China Netcom Group Corp. (Hong Kong) Ltd.	4,078,000	7,431,052
Comba Telecom Systems Holdings Ltd.	16,118,000	4,335,082
		11,766,134
UTILITIES -- (2.6%)		
Xinao Gas Holdings, Ltd.	11,560,000	11,068,038
TOTAL HONG KONG -- (Cost \$111,207,818)		39.4% 168,322,953
HONG KONG -- "H" SHARES		
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (0.7%)		
Lianhua Supermarket Holdings Co., Ltd.	2,859,000	3,127,324
ENERGY -- (3.5%)		
China Oilfield Services Ltd.	12,650,000	6,869,780
China Shenhua Energy Co., Ltd.	4,536,500	8,161,462
		15,031,242
INDUSTRIALS -- (1.9%)		
BYD Co., Ltd.*	2,708,500	6,566,737
Sinotrans Ltd.	4,399,000	1,335,998
		7,902,735

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COMMON STOCK AND OTHER EQUITY INTERESTS (CONTINUED)		
HONG KONG -- "H" SHARES (CONTINUED)		
UTILITIES -- (2.1%)		
Anhui Expressway Co., Ltd.	12,406,000	\$ 9,100,107
TOTAL HONG KONG -- "H" SHARES -- (Cost \$21,755,099)		8.2% 35,161,408
TOTAL HONG KONG (INCLUDING "H" SHARES) -- (Cost \$132,962,917)		47.6% 203,484,361
SINGAPORE		
UTILITIES -- (1.7%)		
Bio-Treat Technology Ltd.	9,799,000	7,321,484
TOTAL SINGAPORE -- (Cost \$4,045,565)		1.7% 7,321,484
TAIWAN		
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (3.3%)		
Merry Electronics Co., Ltd.	3,260,507	10,503,633
Synnex Technologies International, Corp.	1,078,000	948,011
Taiwan FamilyMart Co., Ltd.	1,648,592	2,592,522
		14,044,166
CONSUMER STAPLES -- (1.3%)		
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	6,729,000	5,301,176
FINANCIALS -- (4.6%)		
Cathay Financial Holding Co., Ltd.	5,438,000	11,623,561
Fubon Financial Holdings Co., Ltd.	3,059,000	2,419,252
Yuanta Core Pacific Securities Co.	8,983,000	5,719,123
		19,761,936
INDUSTRIALS -- (0.8%)		
Cheng Shin Rubber Industry Co., Ltd.	4,129,481	3,391,952

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TAIWAN (CONTINUED)

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY -- (8.6%)

Advanced Semiconductor Engineering Inc.	7,838,000	\$ 6,868,930
Data Systems Consulting Co., Ltd.	4,362,043	3,836,051
Novatek Microelectronics Corp., Ltd.	1,021,095	5,019,887
Powertech Technology Inc.	1,522,000	4,006,119
ShenMao Technology Inc.	948,000	3,647,379
Taiwan Green Point Enterprises Co., Ltd.	1,348,524	2,997,727
Tripod Technology Corp.*.....	3,334,095	10,231,657

		36,607,750

MATERIALS -- (1.9%)

China Metal Products Co., Ltd.	3,584,000	5,045,113
Yieh United Steel Corp.	9,483,000	3,185,227

		8,230,340

TOTAL TAIWAN -- (Cost \$63,384,727) 20.5% 87,337,320

UNITED STATES -- "N" SHARES

CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (1.2%)

Chindex International, Inc.*.....	69,987	622,884
The9 Ltd. ADR*.....	184,861	4,523,549

		5,146,433

TELECOMMUNICATIONS -- (0.7%)

China Techfaith Wireless Communication Technology Ltd. ADR*.....	290,316	2,949,611

TOTAL UNITED STATES -- "N" SHARES -- (Cost \$9,441,301) 1.9% 8,096,044

TOTAL COMMON STOCK AND OTHER EQUITY INTERESTS -- (Cost \$209,834,510) 71.7% 306,239,209

WARRANTS

CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (1.2%)

Youngor Group Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 10/26/10) 144A(2)(4).....	7,562,730	5,188,033

		5,188,033

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WARRANTS (CONTINUED)
ENERGY -- (5.8%)

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China Petroleum Access Product (expiration 01/20/10) 144A(2) (3)	5,539,000	\$ 4,015,775
China Petroleum Access Product (expiration 01/20/11) 144A(2) (4)	7,016,997	5,087,323
China Yangtze Power Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 1/20/10) 144A(2) (4)	7,577,738	5,887,902
China Yangtze Power Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 5/24/07) 144A(2)	1,136,661	401,753
Huaneng Power International Inc. Access Product (expiration 1/20/10) 144A(2) (3)	7,476,500	4,246,652
Huaneng Power International Inc. Access Product (expiration 4/20/11) 144A(2) (4)	9,343,031	5,306,842

		24,946,247

FINANCIALS -- (1.1%)		
China Merchants Bank Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 10/26/10) 144A(2) (4)	5,290,407	4,888,336

		4,888,336

INDUSTRIALS -- (9.7%)		
Baoding Tianwei Baobian Electric Co., Ltd. Access Product (expiration 01/20/10) (2) (3)	1,761,193	3,688,120
Shanghai International Airport Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 1/20/10) 144A*(2) (3)	5,662,300	9,722,169
Shanghai International Airport Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 10/26/10) 144A*(2) (4)	2,961,967	5,088,659
Shanghai Zhenhua Port Machinery Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 10/26/10) 144A(2) (4)	13,219,652	15,863,582
Xinjiang Tebian Electric Apparatus Stock Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 10/26/10) 144A*(2) (4)	4,676,642	6,832,574

		41,195,104

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WARRANTS (CONTINUED)		
MATERIALS -- (1.5%)		
Qinghai Salt Lake Potash Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 06/29/07) *(2) (4)	958,449	\$ 213,734
Qinghai Salt Lake Potash Co. Ltd. Access Product (expiration 10/26/10) 144A(2) (4)	2,683,657	6,094,585

		6,308,319

TOTAL WARRANTS -- (Cost \$59,209,001)	19.3%	82,526,039

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DIRECT INVESTMENTS

FINANCIALS -- (0.7%)		
Captive Finance, Ltd., (acquired 5/24/02)*+(1) (2).....	2,000,000	3,045,000

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY -- (2.3%)		
CDW Holding Ltd., (acquired 1/26/05)+(5).....	60,000,000	9,497,879
teco Optronics Corp., (acquired 4/26/04)*(1) (2).....	1,861,710	150,000

		9,647,879

TOTAL DIRECT INVESTMENTS -- (Cost \$5,376,348)	3.0%	12,692,879

TOTAL INVESTMENTS -- (Cost \$274,419,859)**	94.0%	401,458,127

OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES	6.0%	25,462,542

NET ASSETS	100.0%	\$426,920,669

Notes to Schedule of Investments

* Denotes non-income producing security

- (1) Direct investments are generally restricted as to resale and do not have a readily available resale market. On the date of acquisition of each direct investment, there were no market quotations on similar securities, and such investments were therefore initially valued at acquisition cost. The procedures applied by the Board of Directors in arriving at its estimate of value of securities without readily available market values comply with the China Fund, Inc.'s (the "Fund") policies for valuing Direct Investments at original cost unless the Board of Directors, based on advice from the Direct Investment Manager, concludes that there has been a material change of a long-term nature and sufficient reliable information is available to revalue these investments. Determination of fair values involves subjective judgment and, because of the inherent uncertainty of valuation, the Board of Directors' estimated values may differ significantly from the values that would have been used had a ready market for the securities existed, and the differences could be material.
- (2) Security valued at fair value using methods determined in good faith by or at the direction of the Board of Directors (see note (1) above).
- (3) Warrants issued by Citigroup Global Markets Holdings.
- (4) Warrants issued by Credit Lyonnais (CLSA)
- (5) This investment is listed on the Singapore Stock Exchange, however is still managed by ADCM.

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+ Affiliated issuer, as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, includes issuers in which the Fund held 5% or more of the outstanding securities.

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- (A) Portfolio securities listed on recognized United States or foreign securities exchanges are valued at the last quoted sales price in the principal market where they are traded. Listed securities with no such sales price and unlisted securities are valued at the mean between the current bid and asked prices, if any, of two brokers. Short-term investments having maturities of sixty days or less are valued at amortized cost (original purchase cost as adjusted for amortization of premium or accretion of discount) which when combined with accrued interest approximates market value. Securities for which market quotations are readily available are valued at current market value. Securities for which market quotations are not readily available are valued in good faith at fair value using methods determined by the Board of Directors. Direct Investments not traded on an exchange are valued at fair value as determined by the Board of Directors based on advice from the Direct Investment Manager, ADCM. The Direct Investment's original cost is considered to be fair value unless the Board of Directors, based on such advice, concludes there has been a material change of a long-term nature and sufficient reliable information is available to revalue these investments.

The Fund's investments in China companies involve certain risks not typically associated with investments in securities of U.S. companies or the U.S. Government, including risks relating to (1) social, economic and political uncertainty; (2) price volatility, lesser liquidity and smaller market capitalization of securities markets in which securities of China companies trade; (3) currency exchange fluctuations, currency blockage and higher rates of inflation; (4) controls on foreign investment and limitations on repatriation of invested capital and on the Fund's ability to exchange local currencies for U.S. dollars; (5) governmental involvement in and control over the economy; (6) risk of nationalization or expropriation of assets; (7) the nature of the smaller, less seasoned and newly organized China companies, particularly in China; and (8) the absence of uniform accounting, auditing and financial reporting standards, practices and disclosure requirements and less government supervision and regulation.

- ** At July 31, 2006, aggregate gross unrealized appreciation for all securities for which there was an excess of value over financial reporting cost was \$145,774,442 and aggregate gross unrealized depreciation for all securities for which there was an excess of financial reporting cost over value was \$18,736,174 and net appreciation for financial reporting purposes was \$127,038,268. At July 31, 2006, aggregate cost for financial reporting purposes was \$274,419,859.

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ITEM 2. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

- (a) The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this Form N-Q that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph based on their evaluation of the controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rules 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).
- (b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d))) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

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ITEM 3. EXHIBITS.

The certification required by Rule 30a-2 of the 1940 Act is attached as an exhibit to this filing.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

THE CHINA FUND, INC.

By: /s/ Gary L. French
Gary L. French
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: September 28, 2006

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By: /s/ Gary L. French
Gary L. French
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: September 28, 2006

By: /s/ William C. Cox
William C. Cox
Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 27, 2006