CHINA METRO-RURAL HOLDINGS Ltd Form 6-K May 20, 2016

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 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of May 2016

Commission File Number: 000-53776

China Metro-Rural Holdings Limited

Suite 2204, 22/F Sun Life Tower,

The Gateway, 15 Canton Road,

Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

(Address of principal executive offices)

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China Metro-Rural Holdings Limited announces Plan for Going-Private

China Metro-Rural Holdings Limited announces its plans for going-private or privatization. For more information, please refer to exhibit 99.1 furnished herewith.

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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.

CHINA METRO-RURAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

By: /s/ Sio Kam Seng Name: Sio Kam Seng

Title: Executive Director and Chairman of

the Board, Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 20, 2016

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number

Description

Exhibit 99.1

Press release dated May 20, 2016 regarding plan for going-private or privatization.

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