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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 January 6, 2010

China Life Insurance Company Limited

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

16 Chaowai Avenue Chaoyang District Beijing 100020, China Tel: (86-10) 8565-9999

(Address of principal executive offices)

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On January 5, 2010, Deutsche Bank issued a press release relating to the appointment of Deutsche Bank as successor depositary bank for the level III American Depositary Receipt program of China Life Insurance Company Limited, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

EXHIBIT LIST

Exhibit99.1 Press release, dated January 5, 2010

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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 Life Insurance Company Limited

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Wan Feng

(Signature)

January 6, 2010 Name: Wan Feng

Title: President and Executive Director

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EXHIBIT 99.1

Deutsche Bank appointed as successor depositary bank for the NYSE-listed American Depositary Receipt program of China Life Insurance Company Limited

New York / Beijing, January 5, 2010

Deutsche Bank today announced its appointment as successor depositary bank for the New York Stock Exchange-listed sponsored Level III American Depositary Receipt (ADR) program of China Life Insurance Company Limited (China Life).

China Life is a China-based life insurance company. Its distribution network, comprised of exclusive agents, direct sales representatives, and dedicated and non-dedicated agencies, is one of the most extensive in China. China Life s products and services include individual life insurance, group life insurance, accident and health insurance. As of December 31, 2008, it had nearly 102 million individual and group life insurance policies, annuity contracts and long-term health insurance policies.*

Akbar Poonawala, Head of Global Equity Services at Deutsche Bank said, Winning the depositary mandate for China Life s ADR program represents significant recognition of Deutsche Bank s superior client servicing capabilities from one of China s most prestigious companies. We look forward to providing China Life s ADR holders with the highest level of service.

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*Source: China Life Insurance Company Limited (January 2010)

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