CHINA FUND INC Form 8-K August 01, 2005

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

FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 August 1, 2005

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

The China Fund, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Maryland 811-05749 000000000 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) Identification Number)

225 Franklin Street, Boston, Massachusetts

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

02110

(Zip Code)

1(888) 246-2255

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Pursuant to Regulation FD Rules 100-103, The China Fund, Inc. (the Fund) is providing a copy of the press release dated August 1, 2005 with respect to announcing the Fund s rights offering is over-subscribed.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: August 1, 2005

By: /s/ Francine S. Hayes

Name: Francine S. Hayes Title: Assistant Secretary

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