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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)

225 FRANKLIN STREET BOSTON, MA 02110

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(Name and Address of Agent for Service)

Leonard B. Mackey, Jr., Esq. Clifford Chance U.S. LLP 31 West 52nd Street New York, New York 10019

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Mary Moran Zeven Secretary The China Fund, Inc. 225 Franklin Street Boston, MA 02110

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (888) 246-2255

Date of fiscal year end: October 31

Date of reporting period: July 31, 2005

ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.

THE CHINA FUND, INC. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS JULY 31, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

NAME OF ISSUER AND TITLE OF ISSUE

SHARES

TOTAL CHINA - SHENZHEN "B" SHARES -- (COST \$1,683,886)

CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (3.7%) China Travel International Investment Hong Kong, Ltd	10,000
Fu JI Food & Catering Services	2,844
Nanjing Dahe Outdoor Media Co., Ltd.*+	37,500
TCL Multimedia Technology Holdings Ltd	15,988
CONSUMER STAPLES (7.4%)	
Chaoda Modern Agriculture (Holdings) Ltd	34,089
Li Ning Co. Ltd Sino Golf Holdings, Ltd	11,400 10,303
HEALTH CARE (3.4%)	
China Shineway Pharmaceutical Group Ltd.*	4,435
Golden Meditech Co., Ltd	27,900
Natural Beauty Bio-Technology, Ltd	32,780
INDUSTRIALS (6.9%)	
Beiren Printing Machinery Holdings Ltd.+	7,000
China Fire Safety Enterprise Group Holdings Ltd	50,380
Semiconductor Manufacturing International Co.*	22,035 9,968
TPV Technology, Ltd	9,900
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (2.7%)	10.00
Arcontech Corp. (c)* Solomon Systech Ltd	18,380 20,698
MATERIALS (6.5%)	
Asia Aluminum Holdings Ltd	23,250
Asia Zirconium Ltd	13,196
China Rare Earth Holdings, Ltd	15,254
Fountain Set (Holdings), Ltd	6,714
Ocean Grand Chemicals Holdings Ltd	17,379
Zijin Mining Group Co., Ltd	24,800
TELECOMMUNICATIONS (4.7%)	
China Netcom Group Corp. (Hong Kong) Ltd	4,253
Comba Telecom Systems Holdings Ltd	16,118

THE CHINA FUND, INC. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED) JULY 31, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

NAME OF ISSUER AND TITLE OF ISSUE	SHARES
UTILITIES (4.3%)	
Xinao Gas Holdings, Ltd	13,976,000
TOTAL HONG KONG (COST \$75,947,949)	
HONG KONG- "H" SHARES	
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (2.0%)	
Weichai Power Co. Ltd	2,192,000
ENERGY(2.5%)	
China Shenhua Energy Co. Ltd.*	4,536,500
Yanzhou Coal Mining Co	1,887,600
INDUSTRIALS (5.5%)	
BYD Co., Ltd	3,225,000
China Oilfield Services Ltd Sinotrans Ltd	9,546,000 12,835,000
	12,000,000
UTILITIES (7.0%)	
Anhui Expressway Co., Ltd	13,938,000
Shenzhen Expressway Co., Ltd	21,494,000
TOTAL HONG KONG- "H" SHARES (COST \$30,041,747)	
TOTAL HONG KONG (INCLUDING "H" SHARES) (COST \$105,989,696)	
SINGAPORE	
INDUSTRIALS (1.2%)	
Bio-Treat Technology Ltd	6,389,000
TOTAL SINGAPORE (COST \$2,354,033)	
TAIWAN	
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (6.9%)	
Merry Electronics Co., Ltd	3,012,016
Synnex Technologies International, Corp Taiwan FamilyMart Co., Ltd	5,165,604 1,645,592
	1,010,002
FINANCIALS (3.5%)	
Cathay Financial Holding Co., Ltd	2,331,000
	4,453,952
INDUSTRIALS (3.7%)	
Cheng Shin Rubber Industry Co., Ltd	3,805,974
Chicony Electronics Co., Ltd	2,697,367 2,090,000
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See Notes to Schedule of Investments. THE CHINA FUND, INC. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED) JULY 31, 2005 (UNAUDITED) NAME OF ISSUER AND TITLE OF ISSUE SHARES _____ _____ INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY -- (10.4%) Data Systems Consulting Co., Ltd..... 4,237,987 Radiant Opto-Electronics Corp..... 1,021,000 Taiwan Green Point Enterprises Co., Ltd..... 2,155,749 3,334,095 Tripod Technology Corp..... 2,908,209 Wintek Corp..... MATERIALS-- (0.5%) Yieh United Steel Corp..... 3,500,000 TOTAL TAIWAN-- (COST \$39,102,383) UNITED STATES - "N" SHARES CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (0.1%) Chindex International, Inc.*.... 69,987 TOTAL UNITED STATES - "N" SHARES-- (COST \$686,196) TOTAL COMMON STOCK AND OTHER EQUITY INTERESTS -- (COST \$149,816,194) DEPOSITORY RECEIPTS UNITED STATES - "N" SHARES TELECOMMUNICATIONS -- (1.4%) TOTAL UNITED STATES - "N" SHARES-- (COST \$3,245,843) UNITED STATES CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY -- (1.3%) The9 Ltd.*.... 146,571 TOTAL UNITED STATES -- (COST \$3,450,131)

TOTAL UNITED STATES (COST \$6,695,974)	
TOTAL DEPOSITORY RECEIPTS (COST \$6,695,974)	
RIGHTS TAIWAN	
(0.0%)(e) Taiwan Green Point Enterprises Co., Ltd.*	2,155,749
TOTAL TAIWAN (COST \$0)	
TOTAL RIGHTS (COST \$0)	
ACCESS PRODUCTS WARRANTS (2.9%) Shanghai Airlines Co. Access Product 144A,(d) Shenergy Co. Ltd. Access Product 144A,(d)	7,350,000 4,500,000
See Notes to Schedule of Investments.	
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See Notes to Schedule of Investments.

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

- * Denotes non-income producing security
- (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 Investment Manager and Direct Investment Manager. 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 China Fund, Inc.'s (the "Fund") 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.

(b) 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 Fund's 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.

- (c) Security valued at fair value using methods determined in good faith by or at the direction of the Trustees (see note (a) above).
- (d) Warrants issued by Citigroup Global Markets Holdings
- (e) Amount represents less than 0.1% of net assets.
- + Affiliated Issuer, as defined in the 1940 Act, includes issuers in which the Fund held 5% or more of the outstanding securities.
- ** At July 31, 2005, aggregate gross unrealized appreciation for all securities for which there was an excess of value over financial reporting cost was \$88,799,243 and aggregate gross unrealized depreciation for all securities for which there was an excess of financial reporting cost over value was \$9,864,358 and net appreciation for financial reporting purposes was \$78,934,885. At July 31, 2005, aggregate cost for financial reporting purposes was \$172,321,637.

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.

ITEM 3. EXHIBITS.

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

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, 2005

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, 2005

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

Date: September 23, 2005