

China Finance Online Co. LTD  
Form 6-K  
December 12, 2008

**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  
December 12, 2008  
Commission File Number: 000-50975  
China Finance Online Co. Limited  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)**

Hong Kong

(Jurisdiction of incorporation or  
organization)

9th Floor of Tower C, Corporate  
Square  
NO.35 Financial Street,  
Xicheng District  
Beijing, China 100032

(Address of principal executive  
office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:  
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 Yes  No

If  Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): n/a

**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 Finance Online Co. Limited

Date: December 12, 2008

By: /s/ Jun Wang

Name: Jun Wang

Title: Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b> | <b><u>Description</u></b>                            |
|---------------------------|--|
| 99.1                      | CHINA FINANCE ONLINE TO DISCONTINUE TOPVIEW PRODUCTS |