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 December, 2016

Commission File Number: 001-31994

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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	(Address of principal ex	xecutive office)	_
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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.

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation

Date: 9 December 2016 By: /s/ Dr. Tzu-Yin Chiu

Name: Dr. Tzu-Yin Chiu

Title: Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director

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Share Consolidation and ADS Ratio Change

In connection with an Extraordinary General Meeting held on December 6, 2016, Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation ("SMIC") shareholders approved a proposal for a share consolidation of every ten (10) issued and unissued existing common shares of a par value of US\$0.0004 each in the share capital of SMIC and the preferred shares of a par value of US\$0.0004 each in the share capital of SMIC into one (1) consolidated common share of US\$0.004 each and one (1) consolidated preferred share of US\$0.004 each in the share capital of SMIC, respectively, which became effective on December 7, 2016. In conjunction with this consolidation, the American Depositary Receipt (ADR) ratio has also been changed from one (1) American Depositary Share ("ADS") to fifty (50) common shares to a new ratio of one (1) ADS to five (5) common shares, effective on December 9, 2016. Existing ADRs continue to be valid and will not have to be exchanged for new ADRs.