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 January, 2019

Commission File Number: 001-31994

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

18 Zhangjiang Road Pudong New Area, Shanghai 201203 People's Republic of China (Address of principal executive 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: January 11, 2019

By: /s/ Dr. Gao Yonggang

Name: Dr. Gao Yonggang Title: Executive Director, Chief Financial Officer and Joint Company Secretary Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited take no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, make no representation as to its accuracy or completeness and expressly disclaim any liability whatsoever for any loss howsoever arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the contents of this announcement.



SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

中芯國際集成電路製造有限公司*

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 981)

Notification of Board Meeting

Pursuant to Rule 13.43 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation (the "**Company**") hereby announces that a meeting of the board of directors of the Company will be held on Thursday, 14 February 2019 at which announcement of the unaudited financial results for the three months ended 31 December 2018 will be approved for publication.

By order of the Board

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation

Gao Yonggang

Executive Director, Chief Financial Officer and Joint Company Secretary

Shanghai, PRC 11 January 2019 As at the date of this announcement, the Directors of the Company are:

Executive Directors

ZHOU Zixue (Chairman) ZHAO Haijun (Co-Chief Executive Officer) LIANG Mong Song (Co-Chief Executive Officer) GAO Yonggang (Chief Financial Officer and Joint Company Secretary)

Non-executive Directors

CHEN Shanzhi ZHOU Jie REN Kai LU Jun TONG Guohua

Independent Non-executive Directors

William Tudor BROWN CHIANG Shang-yi CONG Jingsheng Jason LAU Lawrence Juen-Yee FAN Ren Da Anthony

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