
**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 June 2026

Commission File Number: 000-51469

BAIDU, INC.

**Baidu Campus
No. 10 Shangdi 10th Street
Haidian District, Beijing 100085
The People's Republic of China
(Address of principal executive offices)**

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F Form 40-F

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release—Baidu Responds to Inclusion on U.S. CMC List

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.

BAIDU, INC.

By : /s/ Haijian He

Name : Haijian He

Title : Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 9, 2026

Baidu Responds to Inclusion on U.S. CMC List

BEIJING, June 9, 2026 /PRNewswire/ — Baidu, Inc. (NASDAQ: BIDU and HKEX: 9888 (HKD Counter) and 89888 (RMB Counter)), (“Baidu” or the “Company”), a leading AI company with strong Internet foundation, today became aware that the U.S. Department of Defense has published a Notice, Designation of Chinese Military Companies, and pursuant to the Notice, the Deputy Secretary of Defense has included the Company on the Department of Defense’s list of Chinese Military Companies (the “CMC List”).

As the Company is neither a Chinese military company nor a military-civil fusion contributor to the Chinese defense industrial base, the Company believes that there is no justification for the Company’s inclusion on such list.

The CMC List is not a sanctions list. The U.S. government procurement limitations tied to the list will not impact the business of the Company, and the CMC List does not restrict transacting in the securities of the Company.

About Baidu

Founded in 2000, Baidu’s mission is to make the complicated world simpler through technology. Baidu is a leading AI company with strong Internet foundation, trading on NASDAQ under “BIDU” and HKEX under “9888”. One Baidu ADS represents eight Class A ordinary shares.

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