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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc. [OTCBB:CHNT] Sun Li (Month/Day/Year) 06/26/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) NO.3 MIN ZHUANG ROAD, (Check all applicable) BUILDING 6,, YU QUAN HUI GU TUSPARK, HAIDIAN _X_ 10% Owner Director DISTRICT Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person BEIJING, F4Â 100195 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5) Ι See Footnote (1) (2) Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share 7,434,940 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security
2. Date Exercisable and Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Ownership Derivative Security

2. Date Exercisable and Securities Underlying Ownership Ownership Or Exercise Form of Securities Underlying Ownership Ownershi

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Price of Derivative (Instr. 4) Derivative Security: Date **Expiration Title** Amount or Security Direct (D) Exercisable Number of or Indirect Shares (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sun Li

NO.3 MIN ZHUANG ROAD, BUILDING 6,
YU QUAN HUI GU TUSPARK, HAIDIAN DISTRICT
BEIJING, F4Â 100195

Signatures

/s/ Li Sun 07/06/2009

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 - In accordance with an Entrustment Agreement, dated June 5, 2009, by and between Rise King Investments Limited ("Rise King") and Handong Cheng, Xuanfu Liu and Li Sun (collectively, the "Grantees"), Rise King collectively delegated to the Grantees its direct or indirect rights as a stockholder of China Net Online Media Group Limited, CNET Online Technology Limited, Rise King Century
- (1) Technology Development (Beijing) Co., Ltd., Shanghai Borongdingsi Computer Technology Co., Ltd., Business Opportunity Online (Beijing) Network Technology Co., Ltd. and Beijing CNET Online Advertising Co., Ltd. (collectively, the "China Net Companies"), including the direct or indirect right to vote any equity interest in the China Net Companies, or to designate the management of such companies. (continued in footnote 2)
- As a result of the delegation of authority under the Entrustment Agreement, Ms. Sun may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of the shares of ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc.'s common stock held by Rise King. Ms. Sun disclaims such beneficial ownership, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that Ms. Sun is the beneficial owner of any such shares for any purpose.

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