eLong, Inc. Form 6-K June 13, 2011

# 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 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of June 2011 Commission File Number: 000-50984 eLong, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)
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Chaoyang District

Beijing 100015, People s Republic of China

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes o No  $\flat$ If Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-\_\_\_\_\_ On June 10, 2011 (Beijing time), the Board of Directors of eLong, Inc. (NASDAQ: LONG), a leading online travel service provider in China, accepted the resignations of Ms. Lily Cheng and Mr. Justin Tang from the Board of Directors of the Company, and appointed two new Directors to fill the vacancies thus created. The two new directors are:

Dara Khosrowshahi, who has served as a director and the Chief Executive Officer of Expedia, Inc. (NASDAQ:EXPE), the world s largest online travel company, since Expedia s spin-off from IAC/InterActiveCorp in August 2005. Prior to the spin-off, Mr. Khosrowshahi served in a number of leadership capacities at IAC, including as Chief Executive Officer of IAC Travel, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of IAC, Executive Vice President of Operations and Strategic Planning, and President of USA Networks Interactive, a division of IAC. Mr. Khosrowshahi joined IAC in 1998 as Vice President of Strategic Planning. Prior to joining IAC, Mr. Khosrowshahi served as Vice President at Allen & Company LLC. Mr. Khosrowshahi holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Engineering from Brown University.

Xiaoguang Wu, who is Senior Executive Vice President and President of Internet Services of Tencent Holdings Limited (SEHK:00700). Mr. Wu joined Tencent in 1998, led the development and product planning for Tencent s core product, the QQ IM client software and has served as the Project Manager for the research and development team of QQ, the General Manager for IM product and the General Manager for the internet business division. Currently, Mr. Wu is in charge of the Company s various Internet services including community, community value-added services and e-commerce. Mr. Wu has accumulated rich experience in internet product research and development, design planning, operations and marketing. He received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Weather Dynamics from Nanjing University and an EMBA from the China Europe International Business School (CEIBS).

The Board of Directors also expressed appreciation to Ms. Cheng and Mr. Tang for their service to the Company.

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#### About eLong, Inc.

eLong, Inc. (NASDAQ: LONG News) is a leading online travel service provider in China. Headquartered in Beijing, eLong empowers consumers to make informed travel decisions by providing convenient online, 24-hour call center and mobile hotel, air ticket and vacation package booking services as well as easy to use tools such as maps, destination guides, photographs, virtual tours and user reviews. eLong offers consumers the largest hotel product portfolio with a selection of more than 20,000 hotels in 700 cities across China and 140,000 international hotels in more than 100 countries worldwide, and the ability to fulfill domestic and international air ticket reservations in over 80 major cities across China. eLong is a subsidiary of Expedia, Inc. (NASDAQ:EXPE).

eLong operates websites including <a href="http://www.elong.com">http://www.elong.net</a> and <a href="http://www.xici.net">http://www.xici.net</a>.

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### **SIGNATURE**

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.

DATED: June 13, 2011 ELONG, INC.

By: /s/ Sami Farhad Name: Sami Farhad

Title: Vice President & General Counsel