

Trina Solar LTD
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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT

UNDER

THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

Trina Solar Limited

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Cayman Islands
(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)

Not Applicable
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

No. 2 Tian He Road
Electronics Park, New District

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Changzhou, Jiangsu 213031

People's Republic of China

(Address of Principal Executive Offices and Zip Code)

Trina Solar Limited Share Incentive Plan

(Full Title of the Plan)

CT Corporation System

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New York, New York 10011

(Name and address of agent for service)

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Registration Statement on Form S-8 registers the offer and sale of an additional 150,000,000 ordinary shares of Trina Solar Limited for issuance under Trina Solar Limited Share Incentive Plan. In accordance with Instruction E to Form S-8, the contents of the prior Registration Statement (File Nos. 333-144445 and 333-157831) are hereby incorporated by reference.

Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference.

The following documents filed by Trina Solar Limited (the Registrant) with the Commission are incorporated by reference herein:

- (a) The Registrant's annual report on Form 20-F for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) on April 2, 2013;
- (b) The Registrant's Reports of Foreign Private Issuer on Form 6-K filed with the Commission on February 27, 2013; and
- (c) The description of ordinary shares contained in the Registrant's registration statement on Form 8-A (File No. 001-33195) filed with the Commission on December 7, 2006, including any amendment and report subsequently filed for the purpose of updating that description.

All documents filed by the Registrant pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), subsequent to the effective date of this Registration Statement, prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement indicating that all securities offered hereby have been sold or deregistering all securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference herein and to be part hereof from the date of filing of such documents. Any statement contained herein or in any document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference herein shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Registration Statement to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed document which also is or is deemed to be incorporated by reference herein modifies or supersedes such statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed to constitute a part of this Registration Statement, except as so modified or superseded.

Item 8. Exhibits.

See Exhibit Index.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the city of Changzhou, Jiangsu Province, People's Republic of China, on April 2, 2013.

TRINA SOLAR LIMITED

By: /s/ Jifan Gao
 Name: Jifan Gao
 Title: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints, severally and not jointly, Jifan Gao and Terry Wang, with full power to act alone, as his or her true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with the power of substitution, for and in such person's name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this registration statement, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto each said attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done as fully to all intents and purposes as he or she might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that each said attorney-in-fact may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

| Signature | Title | Date |
|--|---|---------------|
| /s/ Jifan Gao Name: Jifan Gao | Chairman and Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer) | April 2, 2013 |
| /s/ Terry Wang Name: Terry Wang | Chief Financial Officer (principal financial and accounting officer) | April 2, 2013 |
| /s/ Liping Qiu Name: Liping Qiu | Independent Director | April 2, 2013 |
| /s/ Jerome Corcoran Name: Jerome Corcoran | Independent Director | April 2, 2013 |
| /s/ Qian Zhao Name: Qian Zhao | Independent Director | April 2, 2013 |
| /s/ Yeung Kwok On Name: Yeung Kwok On | Independent Director | April 2, 2013 |

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/s/ Henry Wai Kwan Chow
Name: Henry Wai Kwan Chow

Independent Director

April 2, 2013

/s/ Donald J. Puglisi
Name: Donald J. Puglisi
Title: Managing Director, Puglisi & Associates

Authorized U.S. Representative

April 2, 2013

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|-----------------------|---|
| 4.1 | Amended and Restated Deposit Agreement among the Registrant, the Depository and Owners and Beneficial Owners of the American Depositary Shares dated as of November 21, 2008 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1 to the Registrant's Post-effective Amendment to Registration Statement on Form F-6 (File No. 333-139161) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 21, 2008) |
| 5.1* | Opinion of Conyers Dill & Pearman (Cayman) Limited |
| 10.1 | Amended and Restated Share Incentive Plan (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 20-F filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 2, 2013) |
| 23.1* | Consent of Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Certified Public Accountants LLP, Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm |
| 23.2* | Consent of KPMG, Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm |
| 23.2* | Consent of Conyers Dill & Pearman (Cayman) Limited (included in Exhibit 5.1) |
| 24.1* | Power of Attorney (included on signature page hereto) |

* Filed herewith.