NORTHERN DYNASTY MINERALS LTD Form 6-K May 31, 2016

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 MAY, 2016

Commission File Number: 001-32210

Northern Dynasty Minerals Ltd.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

15th Floor - 1040 W. Georgia St., Vancouver, BC, V6E 4H8

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Exhibits

99.1 Press release May 26, 2016

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.

Northern Dynasty Minerals Ltd. (Registrant)

Date: May 30, 2016

By: /s/ Robert Dickinson

Robert Dickinson Title: Chairman