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ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc. Form NT 10-K March 30, 2016

UNITED STATES OMB APPROVAL

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 12b-25

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

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For Period Ended: December 31, 2015

[] Transition Report on Form 10-K	
[] Transition Report on Form 20-F	
[] Transition Report on Form 11-K	
[] Transition Report on Form 10-Q	
[ ] Transition Report on Form N-SAR	
For the Transition Period Ended:	

Read attached instruction sheet before preparing form. Please Print or Type.

Nothing in this form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein.

If the notification relates to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the Item(s) to which the notification relates:

#### PART I - REGISTRANT INFORMATION

Full Name of Registrant ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc. Former Name if Applicable

Address of Principal Executive Office (*Street and Number*) No. 3 Min Zhuang Road, Building 6, Yu Quan Hui Gu Tuspark City, State and Zip Code Beijing, People's Republic of China, 100195

PART II RULES 12b-25(b) AND (c)

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If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate)

- (a) The reasons described in reasonable detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense;
- (b) The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report on Form 10-K, Form 20-F, 11-K, Form N-SAR or From N-CSR, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due x date; or the subject quarterly report of transition report on Form 10-Q, or portion thereof will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the prescribed due date; and
  - (c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

## PART III NARRATIVE

State below in reasonable detail the reasons why Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, N-SAR, N-CSR, or the transition report or portion thereof, could not be filed within the prescribed time period.

The annual report of ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-K could not be filed within the prescribed time period due to the fact that the Company was unable to finalize its financial results as well as the disclosure requirements of Form 10-K without unreasonable expense or effort. As a result, the Company could not solicit and obtain the necessary review of the Form 10-K in a timely fashion prior to the due date of the report.

## PART IV OTHER INFORMATION

(1) Name and telephone number of person to contact in regard to this notification

Lawrence Venick +86-10 5954-3688 (Name) (Area Code) (Telephone Number)

(2) Have all other x Yes "No

periodic

reports

required under

Section 13 or

15(d) of the

Securities

Exchange Act

of 1934 or

Section 30 of

the Investment

Company Act

of 1940 during

the preceding

12 months (or

for such

shorter) period

that the

registrant was

required to file

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such reports)
   been filed? If
   answer is no,
   identify
   report(s).
   Is it
   anticipated
   that any
   significant
   change in
   results of
   operations
   from the
   corresponding
(3) period for the "Yes xNo last fiscal year"
   will be
   reflected by
   the earnings
   statements to
   be included in
   the subject
   report or
   portion
   thereof?
   If so, attach an
   explanation of
   the anticipated
   change, both
   narratively and
   quantitatively,
   and, if
   appropriate,
   state the
   reasons why a
   reasonable
   estimate of the
   results cannot
   be made.
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ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc. (Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

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By: /s/Handong Cheng

Date: March 30, 2016 Name: Handong Cheng

Title: Chief Executive Officer

INSTRUCTION: The form may be signed by an executive officer of the registrant or by any other duly authorized representative. The name and title of the person signing the form shall be typed or printed beneath the signature. If the statement is signed on behalf of the registrant by an authorized representative (other than an executive officer), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of the registrant shall be filed with the form.