FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of May 2013

Commission File Number: 001-33178

MELCO CROWN ENTERTAINMENT LIMITED

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60 Wyndham Street
Central
Hong Kong
(Address of principal executive offices)

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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.

MELCO CROWN ENTERTAINMENT LIMITED

By: /s/ Geoffrey Davis
Name: Geoffrey Davis, CFA
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 13, 2013

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Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Announcement of Grant of Share Options and Restricted Shares, dated May 13, 2013

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(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(SEHK Stock Code: 6883)

GRANT OF SHARE OPTIONS AND RESTRICTED SHARES

The Board announces that on May 10, 2013, the Company has granted (i) share options to subscribe for a total of 1,388,793 Shares; and (ii) restricted shares in respect of a total of 817,068 Shares, pursuant to the 2011 Share Incentive Plan.

The board of directors (the "Board") of Melco Crown Entertainment Limited (the "Company") announces that on May 10, 2013, the Company has granted to certain employees (i) share options (the "Share Options") to subscribe for a total of 1,388,793 ordinary shares of US\$0.01 each of the Company (the "Shares") and (ii) restricted shares in respect of a total of 817,068 Shares pursuant to the 2011 Share Incentive Plan adopted on October 6, 2011. Details of the aforesaid are as follows.

(i) Share Options

Date of grant
Exercise price
Number of underlying Shares involved
Closing price of the Shares on the date of grant
Validity period of the Share Options

May 10, 2013
U\$\$8.42 per Share
1,388,793
U\$\$8.2733 per Share
The Share Options are valid for a period of 10 years from the date of

The Share Options were granted with the following vesting dates:

Number of Shares	Vesting Date					
1,351,587	10 May 2014	10 May 2015	10 May 2016			
37,206	12 Nov 2013	12 Nov 2014	12 Nov 2015	12 Nov 2016		

Among the Share Options granted above, Share Options to subscribe for 362,610 Shares were granted, with the approval of the compensation committee of the Company which comprises independent non-executive directors of the Company, to the following director of the Company and details are as follows:

		Number of
		underlying
Name	Position	Shares involved
Mr. Lawrence Yau Lung Ho	Co-chairman, chief executive officer	
	and executive director	362,610

(ii) Restricted Shares

Date of grant May 10, 2013 Number of Shares involved 817,068

Vesting Period 3 Years & 4 Years

Among the restricted share granted above, restricted share in respect of 297,345 Shares were granted, with the approval of the compensation committee of the Company which comprises independent non-executive directors of the Company, to the following directors of the Company and details are as follows:

		Number of	Number of underlying			
Full Name	Position	restricted shares	shares involved	10-May-14	Vesting date 10-May-15	10-May-16
Lawrence Yau Lung Ho	Co-chairman, chief executive officer and					
	executive director	181,305	181,305	60,435	60,435	60,435
Yuk Man Chung	Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
Yiu Wa Alec Tsui	Independent Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
John Peter Ben Wang	Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
Robert Wason Mactier	Independent Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
Thomas Jefferson Wu	Independent Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
James Andrew Charles MacKenzie	Independent Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
Rowen Bruce Craigie	Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833
William Todd Nisbet	Non-executive Director	14,505	14,505	4,836	4,836	4,833

Hong Kong, May 13, 2013

As of the date of this announcement, the executive director of the Company is Lawrence Yau Lung Ho; the non-executive directors are James Douglas Packer, John Peter Ben Wang, Yuk Man Chung, William Todd Nisbet, and Rowen Bruce Craigie and the independent non-executive directors are James Andrew Charles MacKenzie, Thomas Jefferson Wu, Yiu Wa Alec Tsui, and Robert Wason Mactier.