UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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 October 2022

Commission File Number: 001-38261

Kaixin Auto Holdings

(Registrant's name)

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Exhibits.

Number	Description
<u>99.1</u>	Kaixin Auto Holdings Announces Changes to its Board Member

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 11, 2022

KAIXIN AUTO HOLDINGS

By: /s/ Yi Yang

Name: Yi Yang Title: Director

Kaixin Auto Holdings Announces Changes to its Board Member

BEIJING, October 10, 2022 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Kaixin Auto Holdings ("Kaixin" or the "Company") (NASDAQ: KXIN) announced that Mr. James Jian Liu ("Mr. Liu") had resigned from Kaixin's board of directors (the "Board"), with effect from June 30, 2022 due to his own personal reasons. There is no disagreement between Mr. Liu and the Board and there is no other matter relating to his resignation that needs to brough to the attention of the shareholders of the Company and Nasdaq Inc. Ms. Yi Yang was appointed by the Board as the director of the Company, with effect from August 1, 2022.

"On behalf of my fellow directors, the Company's management team, and shareholders, I would like to thank James for the significant contributions that he made during his service on Kaixin's Board. We wish him the best in his future endeavours", said Mr. Mingjun Lin, Kaixin's chairman of the Board.

About Kaixin Auto Holdings

Kaixin Auto Holdings is one of the primary dealership networks in the premium used car segment and new car sales in China. Supported by the rapid growth of China's used car market and leveraging its own hybrid business model that offers both strong online and offline presence, Kaixin is in the process of transforming from a nationwide dealerships network to one of the important players in China's electric vehicle market.

Safe Harbor Statement

This announcement may contain forward-looking statements. These statements are made under the "safe harbor" provisions of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements can be identified by terminology such as "will," "expects," "anticipates," "future," "intends," "plans," "believes," "estimates" and similar statements. Among other things, the business outlook for 2021 and quotations from management in this announcement, as well as Kaixin's strategic and operational plans, contain forward-looking statements. Kaixin may also make written or oral forward-looking statements in its filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), in its annual report to shareholders, in press releases and other written materials and in oral statements made by its officers, directors or employees to third parties. Statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties. A number of factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statement, including but not limited to the following: our goals and strategies; our future business development, financial condition and results of operations; our expectations regarding demand for and market acceptance of our services; our expectations regarding the retention and strengthening of our relationships with auto dealerships; our plans to enhance user experience, infrastructure and service offerings; competition in our industry in China; and relevant government policies and regulations relating to our industry. Further information regarding these and other risks is included in our other documents filed with the SEC. All information provided in this press release and in the attachments is as of the date of this press release, and Kaixin does not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statement, except as required under applicable law.

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