Shanda Games Ltd Form 6-K January 13, 2012

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: January 2012

Commission File Number: 001-34454

Shanda Games Limited

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Unit 403A, 4th Floor, Golden Centre

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes " No þ

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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.

Shanda Games Limited

By: /s/ Qunzhao Tan Name: Qunzhao Tan

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Date: January 13, 2012

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number

Exhibit 99.1

Description

.1 Shanda Games Announces Ex-Dividend Date of January 23, 2012 for Special Cash Dividend