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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

Date of Report: March 7, 2014

Commission File Number 001-34153

GLOBAL SHIP LEASE, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

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United Kingdom

(Address of principal executive office)

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Information Contained in this Form 6-K Report

On March 7, 2014, Global Ship Lease s largest shareholder, CMA CGM, filed an amended 13-D regarding its recent request for Global Ship Lease to expand its Board of Directors from four directors to six and to appoint two directors to be nominated by CMA CGM. Global Ship Lease welcomes CMA CGM s input and looks forward to continuing its discussions with CMA CGM regarding their involvement at the Board level. Global Ship Lease remains committed to working with CMA CGM to continue to create long-term value for all shareholders.

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.

Date: March 7, 2014

GLOBAL SHIP LEASE, INC.

By: /s/ Ian Webber Ian Webber

Chief Executive Officer