| NORTHERN DYNASTY MINERALS LTD Form 6-K August 15, 2018 |
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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 |
| For the month of August 2018 |
| Commission File Number: 001-32210 |
| Northern Dynasty Minerals Ltd. (Translation of registrant's name into English) |
| 15th Floor - 1040 W. Georgia St., Vancouver, BC, V6E 4H1 (Address of principal executive offices) |
| Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F. |
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SUBMITTED HEREWITH

Exhibits

- 99.1 Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements for the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2018 and 2017
- 99.2 Management's Discussion and Analysis for the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2018
- 99.3 Form 52-109F2 Certification of Interim Filings Full Certificate CEO
- 99.4 Form 52-109F2 Certification of Interim Filings Full Certificate CFO

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.

Northern Dynasty Minerals Ltd. (Registrant)

Date: August 15, 2018 By: /s/Ronald W. Thiessen

Name: Ronald W. Thiessen
Title: Chief Executive Officer