#### 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 2021

Commission File Number: 001-35729

# JOYY INC.

30 Pasir Panjang Road #15-31A Mapletree Business City, Singapore 117440 (Address of principal executive offices)

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### Update on the YY Live Sale Transaction

As previously announced, JOYY Inc. (the "Company") had entered into definitive agreements with Baidu, Inc. ("Baidu"), pursuant to which Baidu would acquire the Company's PRC video-based entertainment live streaming business. The Company and Baidu have agreed to extend the long stop date of the proposed transaction to a date mutually agreed upon by the parties.

## 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.

JOYY INC.

By: /s/ David Xueling Li

Name:David Xueling LiTitle:Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Date: August 16, 2021