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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

2 August 2017

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EXHIBITS

99.1	2 August 2017	2017 half year results presentation
99.2	2 August 2017	Rio Tinto 2017 interim results

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

Rio Tinto plc

(Registrant)

By /s/ Chris Lynch Name Chris Lynch

Title Chief Financial Officer

Date 2 August 2017

Rio Tinto Limited

(Registrant)

By /s/ Chris Lynch Name Chris Lynch

Title Chief Financial Officer

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