

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP

Form 6-K

August 16, 2005

**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**

August 16, 2005

Korea Electric Power Corporation

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

167, Samseong-Dong, Gangnam-Gu, Seoul, Korea

(Address of principal executive office)

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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.

Korea Electric Power Corporation

Date: 08/16/2005

By: Kwang-Choong Kim _____

Name: Kwang-Choong Kim

Title: Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	1H2005 Earnings Release
