

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP
Form 6-K
June 29, 2009

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

For the Month of June 2009

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

411, Yeongdong-daero, Gangnam-gu, Seoul 135-791, Korea

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will

Edgar Filing: KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP - Form 6-K

file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F X Form 40-F _____

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in

paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1): _____

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in

paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(7): _____

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the
information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the
information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes _____ No X

If Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the
registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- _____.

This Report of Foreign Private Issuer on Form 6-K is deemed filed for all purposes under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, including by reference in the Registration Statement on Form F-3 (Registration No. 33-99550) and the Registration Statement on Form F-3 (Registration No. 333-9180).

On June 27, 2009, the Ministry of Knowledge Economy (the MKE) announced that, effective as of the same date, it will adjust the electricity rates that Korea Power Electric Corporation (KEPCO) charges to the end-users by increasing the average electricity rates for the commercial sector, the industrial sector and the educational sector by 2.3%, 6.5% and 6.9%, respectively. The average electricity rates for street lighting and nighttime power usage will also increase by 6.9% and 8.0%, respectively. There will be no change for the electricity rates applicable to the residential and agricultural sectors. As a result of such adjustments, the overall average electricity rate KEPCO charges to its customers is expected to increase by 3.9%.

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.

By: /s/ Kim, Myung-Whan
Name: Kim, Myung-Whan
Title: General Manager, Finance Team

Date: June 29, 2009