KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP Form 6-K May 19, 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 May, 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

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

Form 20-F <u>X</u> Form 40-F
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Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
Yes No _X_
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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 May 18, 2009, Mr. Shin, Jae-Hyun, a non-standing director of Korea Electric Power Corporation (KEPCO), resigned from his position for personal reasons. His term was scheduled to expire on October 30, 2010.

On the same date, Mr. Rieh, Chong-Hun and Mr. Chang, Seok Hyo were appointed as non-standing directors of KEPCO. Their term is scheduled to expire on May 17, 2011. A brief biography of these two directors is set forth below.

Name
Rieh, Chong-Hun

Date of Birth: January 20, 1935

Outside Occupation

Current: President and CEO of Power Built Consulting Inc.

Previous: President of the National Academy of Engineering of Korea

Chang, Seok Hyo

Date of Birth: May 1, 1947

Outside Occupation

Previous : Vice Mayor II of Administrative Affairs at Seoul Metropolitan Government **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: May 19, 2009