

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP
Form 6-K
July 27, 2011

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 July 2011

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

167 Samseong-dong, Gangnam-gu, Seoul 135-791, Korea

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes No

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On July 26, 2011, the Ministry of Knowledge Economy announced that, effective as of August 1, 2011, the average electricity rates that Korea Electric Power Corporation charges to end-users will be increased as set forth below. As a result of these adjustments, the overall average electricity rate is expected to increase by 4.9%.

| Type of Usage | Commercial | | | | Industrial | | | Agricultural | Street lighting | Overnight power | |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------|---------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----|
| | Residential | Low-voltage | High-voltage | Average Educational | Low-voltage | High-voltage | Average | | | | |
| % increase | 2.0 | 2.3 | 6.3 | 4.4 | 6.3 | 2.3 | 6.3 | 6.1 | No change | 6.3 | 8.0 |

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/ Shin, Chang-Keun
Name: Shin, Chang-Keun
Title: Vice President

Date: July 27, 2011