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Form 6-K  
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**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**

For the month of July, 2004

Commission File Number: 1-13368

POSCO

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

POSCO Center, 892 Daechi 4-dong, Kangnam-gu, Seoul, Korea, 135-777

(Address of principal executive office)

(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

Form 40-F

[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

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

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EX-99.1 PERFORMANCE IN 1H 2004 OF POSCO

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POSCO is furnishing under cover of Form 6-K:

**Exhibition 99.1:** An English-language translation of documents with respect to the Performance in 1H 2004 of POSCO.

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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.

POSCO  
(Registrant)

Date July 13, 2004

By /s/ Cho, Jae-Ku  
(Signature)\*  
Name: Cho, Jae-Ku  
Title: General Manager of Finance  
Management Department

\*Print the name and title under the signature of the signing officer.