

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP  
Form 6-K  
December 17, 2004

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

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## FORM 6-K

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### REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of December, 2004

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# KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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

(Address of principal executive offices)

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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).

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To Shareholders :

Korea Electric Power Corporation ( KEPCO ) will close its shareholders registry from January 1, 2005 through the date of the 44<sup>th</sup> annual ordinary general meeting of shareholders. The shareholders who are registered in the KEPCO s shareholders registry as of December 31, 2004 will be entitled to exercise their voting rights at the ordinary general meeting of shareholders and to receive dividends for the fiscal year 2004.

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

By: /s/ Lee, Hi-Taek

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Name: Lee, Hi-Taek

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date : December 17, 2004