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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 March 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

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

Form 20-F ____X ___ Form 40-F _____

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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).

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Korea Electric Power Corporation (KEPCO) is furnishing under the cover of Form 6-K:

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated March 31, 2009

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: March 31, 2009

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Press Release

SEOUL, Korea March 31, 2009 Korea Electric Power Corporation (NYSE: KEP) (KEPCO) has filed audited non-consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. Moreover, KEPCO s audited consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 have been filed on its annual report on Form 20-F with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on June 30, 2008. KEPCO will provide its shareholders with a hard copy of such audited consolidated financial statements contained in Form 20-F free of charge upon request, which can be made by completing a request form available at http://www.kepco.co.kr/eng.

About KEPCO

Korea Electric Power Corporation (KEPCO) is a government-invested, integrated electric utility company in Korea. KEPCO is the only company engaged in power transmission and distribution in Korea. KEPCO generates approximately over 93% of total electricity produced in Korea through its wholly-owned six generation subsidiaries (GENCOs). KEPCO spun off its generation business and established six GENCOs in 2001 in accordance with the government's restructuring plan for the Korean electricity industry.

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