

KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP
Form 6-K
July 30, 2010

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, 2010

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.

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Yes No

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On July 30, 2010, the Ministry of Knowledge Economy (the MKE) announced that, effective as of August 1, 2010, the average electricity rates that Korea Power Electric Corporation (KEPCO) charges to the end-users will be increased as set forth below. As a result of these adjustments, the overall average electricity rate KEPCO charges to the customers is expected to increase by 3.5%.

Type of Usage	Residential	Commercial	Educational	Industrial	Agricultural	Street lighting	Night power usage
% increase	2.0	No change	5.9	5.8	No change	5.9	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 30, 2010