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March 10, 2005

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 2005

SHINHAN FINANCIAL GROUP CO., LTD. (Translation of registrant's name into English)

120, 2-Ga, Taepyung-Ro, Jung-Gu, Seoul 100-102, Korea (Address of principal executive offices)

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Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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LOANS TO SUBSIDIARIES

On March 10, 2005, we, Shinhan Financial Group, approved the extension of loans in the aggregate principal amount of KRW 50 billion and KRW 100 billion to Shinhan Capital and Shinhan Card respectively. The loan origination date is March 18, 2005. We will fund this loan through the issuance of debentures in the domestic market on March 18, 2005. The following is detailed summary of transactions.

* SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS:

<Loan to Shinhan Capital >

- 1. Name of the Subsidiary (debtor) : Shinhan Capital
- 2. Aggregate Principal Amount of the Loan : KRW 50 billion

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March 18, 2005 3. Loan Origination Date : KRW 685,609 million 4. Total Loans to Shinhan Capital : (as of March 18, 2005) 5. Maturity: March 18, 2007 6. Interest Rate : Our domestic funding rate plus 20 basis points 7. Use of Proceeds : Business operation 8. Date of Approval : March 10, 2005 <Loan to Shinhan Card > 1. Name of the Subsidiary (debtor) : Shinhan Card 2. Aggregate Principal Amount of the Loan: KRW 100 billion 3. Loan Origination Date : March 18, 2005 3. Loan Origination Date : March 18, 2005
4. Total Loans to Shinhan Card : KRW 1 trillion (as of March 18, 2005) 5. Maturity : 1) March 18, 2007 (for 50 billion) 2) March 18, 2008 (for the other 50 billion) 6. Interest Rate : Our domestic funding rate plus 20 basis points 7. Use of Proceeds : 8. Date of Approval : Business operating

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.

SHINHAN FINANCIAL GROUP CO., LTD.

By /s/ Byung Jae Cho

March 10, 2005

Name: Byung Jae Cho

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date : March 10, 2005