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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 April 2006

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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Summary of 2005 Annual Report

On March 31, 2006, Shinhan Financial Group (SFG) filed the 2005 annual business report (the Business Report) with the Financial Supervisory Service of the Republic of Korea (Korea) pursuant to the Securities and Exchange Act of Korea. This is the summary of the Business Report translated into English. Non-material or previously disclosed information are omitted or abridged.

The financial information in this report has been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Korea.

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§ August 29, 2005

Acquisition of Shinhan NPS Private Equity Fund 1 as the Group s indirect subsidiary

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BOD resolution to acquire Shinhan Life Insurance as the Group s subsidiary through a small-scale share swap

§ November 24, 2005

Completion of final Stockholders Meeting concerning the liquidation of e-Shinhan

§ December 13, 2005

Acquisition of Shinhan Life Insurance as the Group s subsidiary

Principal Subsidiaries under Korean Law as of December 31, 2005 Direct Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries	Ownerships by SFG
Shinhan Bank	100.0%
Chohung Bank	100.0%
Good Morning Shinhan Securities ¹⁾	100.0%
Shinhan Life Insurance ²⁾	100.0%
Shinhan Card	100.0%
Shinhan Capital	100.0%
Shinhan BNP Paribas ITMC	50.0%
Jeju Bank ³⁾	62.4%
SH&C life Insurance	50.0%
Shinhan Macquarie Financial Advisory	51.0%
Shinhan Credit Information	100.0%
Shinhan Private Equity	100.0%

1) Good Morning

Shinhan

Securities was

delisted from

the Korea

Exchange on

January 5, 2005.

2)

Shinhan Life Insurance joined Shinhan Financial Group as the Group s subsidiary on December 13, 2005

3) Jeju Bank is currently listed on the Korea Exchange.

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Indirect subsidiaries held through direct subsidiaries

		Ownerships by
Direct Subsidiaries	Indirect Subsidiaries	the
		Parent
Shinhan Bank	Shinhan Data System	100.0%
	Shinhan Finance (Hong Kong)	100.0%
Chohung Bank	Chohung ITMC	79.8%
	Chohung Finance (Hong Kong)	100.0%
	CHB America Bank	100.0%
	Chohung Bank GmbH	100.0%
	Chohung Vina Bank	50.0%
	CHB Valuemeet 2001 year 1st Securitization	50.0%
	CHB Valuemeet 2001 year 2 nd Securitization	50.0%
	CHB Valuemeet 2002 year 1st Securitization	50.0%
Good Morning	Good Morning Shinhan Securities Europe	100.0%
Shinhan Securities	Good Morning Shinhan Securities USA	100.0%
Shinhan Private	Shinhan NPS Private Equity Fund 1	5.0 % 1)
Equity		

1) Shinhan

Financial Group currently owns 36.7% of Shinhan Private Equity

Number of Shares by type

The table below shows the number of issued and outstanding shares of the Group as of December 31, 2005

	Number of	
Types of Shares	Shares	Total amount of
		par value(KRW)
Common Shares	359,207,313	1,796,036,565,000
Redeemable Preferred Shares	52,583,961	262,919,805,000
Redeemable Convertible Preferred Shares	22,360,301	111,801,505,000
Total	434,151,575	2,170,757,875,000

Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP)

(1) Contribution to ESOA (Employee Stock Ownership Association)

Contributed to	Contribution Date			Use of money	
	Apr. 15,			Stock	
	2005	681,779,448	SFG	Purchase	
	Apr. 14,			Stock	
Association Accounts	2005	32,550,000,000	SHB	Purchase	
		297,775,000			

Apr. 13, 2005		Shinhan Capital	Stock Purchase
	33,529,554,448		
Nov. 28 Dec.			Stock
29, 2005	19,894,745,599	Employees	Purchase
	19,894,745,599		
	53,424,300,047		
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	2005 Nov. 28 Dec. 29, 2005	2005 33,529,554,448 Nov. 28 Dec. 29, 2005 19,894,745,599 19,894,745,599 53,424,300,047	2005 Capital 33,529,554,448 Nov. 28 Dec. 29, 2005 19,894,745,599 Employees 19,894,745,599 53,424,300,047

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(2) Changes in ESOA Share Ownership 1)

(Unit: shares)

		Beginning Balance			Ending Balance (December 31,
	Share type Common	(Jan.1, 2005)	Increase ²⁾	Decrease ³⁾	2005)
Association Accounts	Shares Common	650,146	1,293,682	1,415	1,942,413
Employee Accounts	Shares	0	845,790	2,520	843,270
Total		650,146	2,139,472	3,935	2,785,683

- 1) Shinhan Financial Group introduced the **Employee Stock** Ownership Plan (ESOP) on December 5, 2002 and currently, Shinhan Financial Group, Shinhan Bank and Shinhan Capital participate in the ESOP.
- 2) The increase is attributable to the purchase of shares with the contributions of April 2005.
- 3) The decrease is attributable to the retirement of Shinhan Bank s employees.

(3) ESOA Share Ownership per each company

(As of December 31, 2005, Unit: shares)

	Association	Employee	
Company	Accounts	Accounts	Total Balance

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Shinhan Financial Group	36,672	8,556	45,228
Shinhan Bank	1,887,334	582,443	2,469,777
Chohung Bank		207,436	207,436
Shinhan Capital	18,407	96	18,503
Shinhan Card		8,989	8,989
Shinhan Life Insurance		31,578	31,578
SH&C Life Insurance		652	652
Shinhan Credit Information		576	576
Shinhan Data System		2,944	2,944
Total	1,942,413	843,270	2,785,683
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2. Business Results Operational Results

(in millions of Korean Won)

	2005	2004	2003
	(Jan.1~Dec.31)	(Jan.1~Dec.31)	(Jan.1~Dec.31)
Operating Revenue	1,886,806	1,224,147	617,074
Gain using the equity method of accounting	1,789,621	1,108,952	519,287
Interest income	95,812	114,264	97,787
Other income	1,373	931	
Operating Expense	154,873	147,638	251,366
Loss using the equity method of accounting	1,047	212	129,886
Operating Income	1,731,933	1,076,509	365,708
Source and Use of Funds			

Source and Use of Funds Source of Funds

(in millions of Korean Won)

	2005 (Jan.1~Dec.31)		2004		2003	
			(Jan.1~D	(Jan.1~Dec.31)		(Jan.1~Dec.31)
	Average	Ratio	Average	Ratio	Average	Ratio
	Balance 1)	(%)	Balance 1)	(%)	Balance 1)	(%)
Stockholders Equity	8,463,137	77.36	6,770,562	74.00	4,768,492	73.82
Capital Stock	2,100,646	19.20	2,012,812	22.00	1,660,319	25.70
Capital Surplus	3,846,957	35.16	3,485,465	38.10	2,512,502	38.89
Retained Earnings	2,158,881	19.73	1,130,293	12.35	692,409	10.72
Capital Adjustment	356,653	3.26	141,992	1.55	-96,738	-1.50
Borrowings	2,477,425	22.64	2,378,244	26.00	1,691,375	26.18
Debentures	2,090,759	19.11	2,017,816	22.06	1,434,951	22.21
Other liabilities	386,666	3.53	360,428	3.94	256,424	3.97
Total	10,940,562	100.00	9,148,806	100.00	6,459,867	100.00

1) The Average
Balance was
calculated by
averaging the
ending balance
of each quarter.

Use of Funds

(in millions of Korean Won)

	2005 (Jan.1~Dec.31)		2004 (Jan.1~Dec.31)		2003 (Jan.1~Dec.31)	
	Average	Ratio	Average	Ratio	Average	Ratio
	Balance 1)	(%)	Balance 1)	(%)	Balance 1)	(%)
Investments on equity						
stock	9,060,179	82.81	7,100,773	77.61	5,882,011	77.81
Shinhan Bank	4,198,207	38.37	3,709,669	40.55	3,139,126	41.53

3,393,190	31.01	2,411,868	26.36	1,831,964	24.24
867,403	7.93	610,171	6.67	537,265	7.11
147,558	1.35				
197,754	1.81	162,378	1.77	191,094	2.53
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	867,403 147,558	867,403 7.93 147,558 1.35	867,403 7.93 610,171 147,558 1.35 197,754 1.81 162,378	867,403 7.93 610,171 6.67 147,558 1.35 197,754 1.81 162,378 1.77	867,403 7.93 610,171 6.67 537,265 147,558 1.35 197,754 1.81 162,378 1.77 191,094

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	2005	5	200	4	200	3
	(Jan.1~De	ec.31)	(Jan.1~D	ec.31)	(Jan.1~Dec.31)	
	Average	Ratio	Average	Ratio	Average	Ratio
	Balance 1)	(%)	Balance 1)	(%)	Balance 1)	(%)
Shinhan Capital	139,108	1.27	112,775	1.23	95,384	1.26
Shinhan BNP Paribas						
ITMC	23,139	0.21	22,435	0.25	22,109	0.29
E-Shinhan	2,197	0.02	2,617	0.03	3,331	0.04
Shinhan Macquarie						
FA	1,641	0.01	1,159	0.01	578	0.01
Jeju Bank	57,606	0.53	49,418	0.54	44,783	0.59
Shinhan Credit						
Information	8,198	0.07	4,628	0.05	2,392	0.03
SH&C Life Insurance	14,879	0.14	13,655	0.15	13,985	0.19
Shinhan Private						
Equity	9,300	0.09	1,958	0.02		
Investment on Bonds					905	0.01
Loans	1,667,537	15.24	1,953,788	21.36	1,618,091	21.41
Fixed Assets	1,296	0.01	1,508	0.02	1,434	0.02
Intangible Assets	1,030	0.01	477	0.01	471	0.01
Cash Deposit in bank	177,313	1.62	55,370	0.61	25,326	0.34
Other Assets	33,207	0.31	36,893	0.40	30,808	0.41
Total	10,940,562	100.00	9,148,809	100.00	7,559,046	100.00

1) The Average
Balance was
calculated by
averaging the
ending balances
of each quarter.

Other Financial Information Requisite Capital Ratio

(in billions of Korean Won)

	2005	2004	2003
Aggregate Amount of Equity Capital (A)	11,434.0	9,867.9	8,847.7
Requisite Capital (B)	8,609.1	7,625.3	7,472.0
Requisite Capital Ratio (A/B) 1)	132.81%	129.41%	118.41%

1) Under the guidelines issued by the Financial Supervisory Commission applicable to

financial holding companies, we, at the holding company level, are required to maintain a minimum requisite capital ratio of 100%.

Won Liquidity Ratio

(in millions of Korean Won)

	2005	2004	2003
Won Assets due within 3 months (A)	341,547	221,335	16,687
Won Liabilities due within 3 months (B)	332,746	212,081	15,504
Won Liquidity Ratio (A/B) 1)	102.65%	104.36%	107.63%

1) Under the guidelines issued by the Financial Supervisory Commission, we, at the holding company level, are required to maintain a Won liquidity ratio of not less than 100%.

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Liabilities to Equity Ratio

(in millions of Korean Won)

	2005	2004	2003
Liabilities (A)	2,325,114	2,325,043	2,176,875
Equity (B)	10,137,017	7,747,271	5,523,410
Liabilities to Equity Ratio (A/B)	22.94%	30.01%	39.41%
Capital Adequacy Ratio and Other Ratios of Certain Subsidiaries			
(1) Total Capital Adequacy Ratio (%)			
	200	2004	2003
Shinhan Bank	12.	23 11.94	10.49
Chohung Bank	10.	94 9.40	8.87
Jeju Bank	11.	71 10.91	10.96

The Total

Capital

Adequacy Ratio

is computed in

accordance with

the guidelines

issued by the

Financial

Supervisory

Commission for

commercial

banks. Under

these guidelines,

commercial

banks are

required to

maintain a

minimum

capital adequacy

ratio of 8%.

(2) Net Capital Ratio (%)

	Dec.31	Mar.31	Mar.31
	2005	2005	2004
Good Morning Shinhan Securities	614.84	629.22	480.69

Net Capital Ratio is computed in accordance with

the guidelines issued by the

Financial

Supervisory

Service for securities investment trust businesses. Under these guidelines, Good Morning Shinhan Securities is required to maintain a minimum net

(3) Solvency Margin Ratio (%)

capital ratio of

100%.

Dec.31 Mar.31 Mar.31 2005 2005 2004 Shinhan Life Insurance 232.12

* Shinhan Life

Insurance joined

Shinhan

Financial Group

as the Group s

subsidiary as of

December 13,

Decemic

2005

(4) Adjusted Equity Capital Ratio (%)

2005 2004 2003 Shinhan Card 17.68 16.48 13.78

* The Adjusted

Equity Capital

Ratio represents

the ratio of total

adjusted

shareholder s

equity to total

adjusted assets

and is computed

in accordance

with the

guidelines

issued by the

Financial

Supervisory

Commission for

credit card

companies.

Under these guidelines, Shinhan Card is required to maintain a minimum adjusted equity capital ratio of 8%.

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(5) Non Performing Loans

(in billions of Korean Won)

			Dec. 3	31. 2004	Dec. 3	31. 2003
			(March 31, 2	2005 for GMS	(March 31, 2	2004 for GMS
	Dec. 3	31. 2005	Secu	ırities)	Secu	ırities)
	Balance of	NPL to total	Balance of	NPL to total	Balance of	NPL to total
	NPL	Loans (%)	NPL	Loans(%)	NPL	Loans (%)
Shinhan Bank 1)	363.5	0.64	434.4	0.84	398.5	0.82
Chohung Bank 1)	531.3	1.15	814.1	1.89	1,879.6	4.19
Jeju Bank 1)	16.3	1.15	30.3	2.33	29.8	2.27
GMS Securities ²⁾	25.1	5.12	30.7	11.75	38.2	13.48
Shinhan Card ³⁾	33.4	2.71	37.5	4.46	74.7	6.34

- 1) Non-performing loans of banks are defined as those loans are past due more than 90 days or those are placed on non-accrual status according to the guidelines of the Financial Supervisory Service.
- 2) Under the guidelines of the Financial Supervisory Service, every securities company shall classify its loans into five categories: normal, precautionary, substandard, doubtful and estimated loss. Under the Group s interna measures, non-performing loans of Good Morning Shinhan Securities includes loans classified as substandard, doubtful, and estimated loss.
- 3) Under the guidelines of the Financial Supervisory Service, every credit card company shall classify its loans into five categories: normal, precautionary, substandard, doubtful and estimated loss. Under the Group s interna measures, non-performing loans of Shinhan Card includes loans classified as substandard, doubtful and estimated loss.

(6) Loan Loss Allowances & Write-offs for the period

(in billions of Korean Won)

		Jan. 1,		
		2005~	Jan. 1, 2004~	Jan. 1, 2003~
		Dec. 31,		
		2005	Dec. 31, 2004	Dec. 31, 2003
Loan Loss Allowance	Domestic	627.3	663.0	791.9
	Overseas	56.3	80.5	74.5
	Total	683.6	743.5	866.4
Write-offs		108.2	232.6	70.1
Loan Loss Allowance	Domestic	861.2	955.5	1,602.6
	Overseas	27.6	51.2	56.3
	Total	888.8	1,006.7	1,658.9
Write-offs		571.5	1,400.2	1,781.2
Loan Loss Allowance	Domestic Overseas	25.3	32.2	34.5
	Total	25.3	32.2	34.5
Write-offs		19.1	24.7	17.9
	Write-offs Loan Loss Allowance Write-offs Loan Loss Allowance	Overseas Total Write-offs Loan Loss Allowance Overseas Total Write-offs Loan Loss Allowance Overseas Total Overseas Total Total	2005~ Dec. 31, 2005	Dec. 31, 2005 Dec. 31, 2004

GM Shinhan Securities ¹⁾	Loan Loss Allowance	Domestic	27.2	30.9	30.9
	Write-offs	Overseas Total	27.2 3.7	30.9 1.9	30.9
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Shinhan Card	Loan Loss Allowance	Domestic	Jan. 1, 2005~ Dec. 31, 2005 46.3	Jan. 1, 2004~ Dec. 31, 2004 49.8	Jan. 1, 2003~ Dec. 31, 2003 94.6
		Overseas			
		Total	46.3	49.8	94.6
	Write-offs		86.2	233.2	277.0

¹⁾ The fiscal year of Good Morning Shinhan Securities ends on March 31 of each year. Accordingly, the relevant periods for Good Morning Shinhan Securities are adjusted as follows: (i) from April 1, 2005 to December 31, 2005, (ii) from April 1, 2004 to March 31, 2005, and (iii) from April 1, 2003 to March 31, 2004.

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3. Independent Accountant

Audit Opinion for the last 3 years

FY 2005 FY 2004 FY 2003

Audit Opinion Unqualified Unqualified Unqualified

Compensation to the Independent Auditor for Audit and Review Services

The following is a description of the fees for audit and review services performed by our independent auditor for the last three years in connection with our financial statements prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Korea.

Year	Auditor	Payment (KRW)	Working hours
2005	KPMG Samjong Accounting Corp.	288,000,000	3,073 hours
2004	KPMG Samjong Accounting Corp.	300,000,000	2,504 hours
2003	KPMG Samjong Accounting Corp.	210,000,000	1,560 hours

Compensation for Services Other than Audit and Review

The following is a description of the fees and commissions paid to our independent auditor for the services set forth below for the last three years.

Year	Month	Service description	Payment
2005	Jan.	Audit of the Financial Statements based on US GAAP	USD2,000,000
2004	Sept. Jan.	Settlement of taxation affairs Consulting services for disclosure control and procedure & Internal control system	KRW15,000,000 KRW1,375,000,000
2003	Sept. July	Due diligence on Chohung Bank Valuation of common shares of Chohung Bank	KRW904,000,000 KRW100,000,000
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4. Directors, Executive Officers and Employees

Directors and Executive Officers

1) Executive Directors

Our executive directors are as follows as of March 21, 2006:

Name	Date of Birth	Position	Service Term
Eung Chan Ra	Nov.25, 1938	Chairman of BOD	3 years starting from March 25, 2004
		Head of the Board Steering	
		Committee	
In Ho Lee	Nov. 2, 1943	President & CEO	3 years starting from March 25, 2004
		Board Steering Committee member	
Young Hwi Choi	Oct. 28, 1945	Executive Director	3 years starting from March 25, 2004

2) Non-Executive Directors

Currently, 12 non-executive directors are in office. Of the twelve members, 10 are outside directors, nominated by our Outside Director Recommendation Committee and appointed pursuant to the approval of general shareholders meeting on March 21, 2006.

Our non-executive directors are as follows:

Name	Date of Birth	Current Position	Service Term
Young Seok Choi	Jul. 2, 1929	Non-Executive Directors,	3 years starting from March 25, 2004
		Audit Committee member	
Yong Woong Yang	Aug. 4, 1948	Non-Executive Directors	3 years starting from March 25, 2004
Il Sup Kim	Jul. 1, 1946	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
		Head of Audit Committee	2000
Sang Yoon Lee	Sep. 13, 1942	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
		Board Steering Committee member Audit Committee member	2000
Yoon Soo Yoon	Mar. 5, 1946	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
Shee Yul Ryoo	Sep. 5, 1938	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
		Board Steering Committee member	_300

Byung Hun Park	Sep. 10, 1928	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
		Board Steering Committee member	
Young Hoon Choi	Nov. 8, 1928	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
Si Jong Kim	Apr. 16, 1937	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
		Audit Committee member	
Philippe Reynieix	Jun. 24, 1949	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
Haeng Nam Chung	Mar. 15, 1941	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006
Myoung Soo Choi	Aug. 5, 1957	Outside Director	1 year starting from March 21, 2006

For personal profiles of the outside directors, please refer to 6-K filed on February 24, 2006 .

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3) Executive Officers

In addition to the executive directors, we currently have the following executive officers:

		•	C			
Name Jae Woo Lee	Date of Birth July 2, 1950	Position Managing Director	Taking Charge of General Affairs Team, Public Relations Team, Human Resources Team			ns Team, and
Byung Jae Cho	Jan. 6, 1951	Managing Director	Finance Planning Team, Risk Management Team and Investor Relations Team			
Jin Won Seo	April 20, 1951	Managing Director	Strategic Planning Team, Future Strategy & Management Team, and Information & Technology Planning Team,			
Jae Woon Yoon	July 22, 1951	Managing Director	Joint Procurement Team, Synergy Management Team, and Audit & Compliance Team			
Stock Options			Audit & Co	omphance rea	1111	
				Number of Changes No. of	No. of	No. of
			No. of Granted	Exercised	Cancelled	Exercisable
	Guarantee		Options	Options	Options	Options
Granted on 2002	Management, Hea	nd of Department	864,576	213,011	0	651,565
Granted on 2003	Management, Hea	•	1,020,206	233,879	11,390	774,937
Granted on 2004	Management, Hea	_	1,301,600	0	11,800	1,289,800
Granted on 2005	Management, Hea	_	, ,		,	, ,
	Outside Directors	,	2,695,200	0	62,400	2,632,800
Granted on 2006	Management, Hea	nd of Department,				
	Outside Directors		3,296,200	0	0	3,296,200
	Total		9,177,782	446,890	85,590	8,645,302
Employees						

			(As of I	December 31, 2005)
			Total Salaries and	Average
			wages paid	Payment per
	Number			person (in mil.
	of	Average length of	in 2005	of
			(in mil. of Korean	
	Employees	Service	Won)	Korean Won)
Male	75	2 years and 3 months	6,168	82
Female	23	2 years and 1 month	727	32
Total	98	2 years and 2 months	6,895	70

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5. Activities of Board of Directors and sub-committees for the year 2005~2006 Meetings of Board of Directors

	Date	Agenda	
1	Feb. 2, 2005	1. Closing of the 4th FY (Jan.1, 2004 ~ Dec 31. 2004)	Approved
		2. Appointment of Outside Director Recommendation Committee members	Approved
		- Byung Hun Park, Eung Chan Ra, Pyung Joo Kim, Dong Hyun Kwon, and Yoon Soo	
2	Eab 22 2005	Yoon 1. Convening of the 4th Coneral Meeting of Shoughelders	Ammayad
2	Feb. 22, 2005	 Convening of the 4th General Meeting of Shareholders 10:00 AM, March 30, 2005 	Approved
		2. Remuneration levels for Directors	Approved
		- KRW 4 billion	прриотеа
		3. Stock option grant to executives, employees and outside directors of the Group and	Approved
		Subsidiaries	
		- 1,196,000 shares for executive, 50,000 shares for outside directors, and up to	
		1,500,000 shares for employees	
3	March 30, 2005	1. Appointment of Board steering Committee members	Approved
		- Eung Chan Ra, Young Hwi Choi, Byung Hun Park, Pyung Joo Kim, and Shee Yul	
		Ryoo 2. Appointment of Risk Management Committee members	Approved
		- Pyung Joo Kim, Yoon Soo Yoon, and Reynieix	Approved
		3. Decision on Director compensation level	Approved
4	May 17, 2005	1. Adoption of Code of Ethics for Finance Officers and Employees	Approved
		- Purpose, Application, Conduct Guideline and etc.	
		2. Approval of the Volume Limit of Corporate Bond Issue for the 2 nd half of 2005	Approved
		- KRW 1,100 billion (including USD 50 million)	
		3. Adjustment of the Number of Stock Options Granted in 2003	Approved
		- The number of stock option granted was adjusted with the retirement of 31 officers	
		and employees. 4. Change of CEO	Approved
		- Dismissal: Mr. Young Hwi Choi, Appointment: Mr. In Ho Lee	Approved
		5. Appointment of Sub Committees Members	Approved
		- Board Steering Committee: Young Hwi Choi was dismissed and In Ho Lee was	rr · · · ·
		Appointed	
		- Compensation Committee: Pyung Joo Kim, Il Sup Kim, Sang Yoon Lee, Yoon Soo	
_		Yoon, and Shee Yul Ryoo were appointed.	
5	June 29, 2005	1. Incorporation of Shinhan Private Equity Fund No.1 into SFG s Indirect Subsidiary	Approved
		- To be established in July 2005 as a subsidiary of Shinhan Private Equity	Annroyad
		2. Amendment of Regulations- Board Regulations, Management Operation Regulations, and Subsidiary	Approved
		Management Committee Regulations	
		3. Determination of Director Remuneration	Approved
		- Amendment of Director Remuneration Plan	• •
6	Aug. 26, 2005	1. Cancellation of Stock Option	Approved
		- To cancel 51,800 shares previously granted to 8 people	
		2. Exclusion of e-Shinhan from Shinhan Financial Group	Approved
		liquidation of e-ShinhanSet-up of Bank Merger Committee	Approved
		J. Set-up of Dank Merger Committee	Approved

- To be launched in September or October 2005, consisting of 7 members including a chairperson
- 4. Set-up of Credit Card Business Competency Enhancement Committee

Approved

- To be launched in September or October 2005, consisting of 5 members including a chairperson
- 5. Appointment of Non-Director Executive Officers

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Sep. 27, 2005

Approved

- Mr. Byung Jae Cho (re-appointed) and Mr. Jae Woon Yoon (newly appointed) 1. Acquisition of 100% of Shinhan Life Insurance through a Small-Scale Share Swap
 - Approved
- To include Shinhan Life Insurance as the Group s subsidiary through a small scale share swap by the end of December 2005

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	Date	Agenda	
8	Nov. 4, 2005	1. Appointment of Sub-Committee members	Approved
		- Board Steering Committee: Mr. Sang Yoon Lee	
		- Risk Management Committee: Mr. Shee Yul Ryoo	
9	Dec. 13, 2005	1. Arrangement of business plans and budget for 2006	Approved
		- Business strategy, financial plans, predicted business budget for year 2006	
		2. Arrangements on limitations of SFG s financial support and methods of consent t	o Approved
		its subsidiaries	
		- Decision to limit SFG s financial support budget to KRW 1,870 billion	
		3. Approval of Limitation of corporate bond issuance for the first half of 2006	Approved
		- Issuance limited to KRW 1,800 billion	
		4. Establishment of Scholarship Foundation	Approved
		- Contribution in the initial stage: max KRW 50 billion, business purpose:	
		scholarship business, 5 directors, 2 auditors	
		5. Cancellation of Stock Option	Approved
		- To cancel 22,400 shares previously granted to 2 people	
10	Jan. 12, 2006	1. Appointment of Outside Director Recommendation Committee members	Approved
		- Eung Chan Ra, Byung Hun Park, Young Hoon Choi, Shee Yul Ryoo, Yoon Soo	
		Yoon	
		2. Appointment of management (non-director)	Approved
		- Baek Soon Lee (term ending: March 31, 2006)	
11	Feb. 6, 2006	1. Partial alteration of the articles of association	Approved
		2. Closing of the 5th FY(2005)	Approved
12	Feb. 16, 2006	1. Convening of the 5th General Meeting of Shareholders	Approved
		- 10:00 AM, March 21, 2006	
		2. Remuneration levels for Directors	Approved
		- KRW 5 billion	
		3. Stock option grant to executives, employees and outside directors of the Group	Approved
		and Subsidiaries	
		- 1,418,900 shares for executives and management, 40,000 shares for outside	
		directors, and up to 2,098,600 shares for employees	
		4. Alterations in previous contract concerning the granting of Stock Options	Approved
		5. Alterations in regulations concerning the Guide to provide and use Personal Cred	litApproved
		Information	
		6. Appointment of management (non-director)	Approved
		- Jin Won Suh (term ending: January 12, 2008)	A 1
		7. Appointment of corporate advisor	Approved
10	M 1 21 2006	- advisor: Byung Joo Kim	A 1
13	March 21, 2006	1. Appointment of Board steering Committee members	Approved
		- Eung Chan Rha, In Ho Lee, Byung Hun Park, Shee Yul Ryoo, Sang Yoon Lee	A mm 1
		2. Confirmation of Director Remuneration Confirmation of individual director remuneration within the limitations set by the	Approved
		- Confirmation of individual director remuneration within the limitations set by the Board of Directors	
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we	etings of Audit Co	ummuee	

	Date	Agenda	
1	Feb. 22, 2005	1. Audit Results for the 4 th Fiscal Year	Approved
		- Confirmation of Audit Results for the 4th FY and Submission of Audit Report	

2. Appointment of Independent Auditors for Korean GAAP Approved

- KPMC Samjong Accounting Corp. was appointed

3. Evaluation of the Operation Status of the Internal Accounting Control System Approved

for the Year

2004 - The internal accounting control system is properly operated.

4. Evaluation of the Internal Monitoring System Approved

- The internal monitoring system is properly operated.

5. Approval of the Group Audit Plan for 2005

- the agenda transferred to the next audit committee

Not Approved

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	Date	Agenda	
	Bute	6. Ratification of the Company and its Subsidiaries Non-audit Contracts	Approved
		1) Audit and Tax Adjustment (Shinhan Finance Ltd. with KPMG Samjong)	Прриско
		2) Comfort Letters regarding the issue of bond in foreign currency (Shinhan Bank	
		with KPMG Samjong)	
		7. Audit of Approval Items for the FY 4 General Shareholders Meeting	Approved
		-The approval items are appropriate.	• •
2	Mar. 30, 2005	1. Appointment of Independent Auditors for US GAAP	Approved
		- KPMC Samjong Accounting Corp. was appointed	
		2. Approval of the Group Audit Plan for 2005	Approved
3	May 17, 2005	1. Appointment of Head of Audit Committee	Approved
		- Mr. Il Sup Kim	
		2. Establishment of Insider Reporting System	Approved
		- Establishing Insider Reporting System and adopting relevant regulations	
		3. Rectification of Subsidiaries Non audit Contracts	Approved
		1) 2005 Tax Adjustment and review (Chohung Bank with KPMG Samjong)	
		2) Income Tax Advisory, Tax Adjustment, and Comfort letter on Important Items of	
	* ••••	Financial Statement (Shinhan Private Equity with KPMG Samjong)	
4	June 29, 2005	1. Rectification of Subsidiaries Non audit Contracts	Approved
_	4 26 2005	- Comfort Letters regarding the issue of bond (Shinhan Bank with KPMG Samjong)	A 1
5	Aug. 26, 2005	1. Approval of appointment and dismissal of Head of Audit & Compliance Team	Approved
6	Nov. 6 2005	- Newly appointed Head of Audit & Compliance Team: Mr. Eui Kwon Kwak	A
6	Nov. 6, 2005	 Establishment of a Guideline for Subsidiaries Audit Planning and Operation Audit Results for the 5th Fiscal Year 	Approved
7	Feb. 16, 2006	- Confirmation of Audit Results for the 5 th FY and Submission of Audit Report	Approved
		2. Appointment of Independent Auditors for US GAAP, for Shinhan Life Insurance	Approved
		- KPMC Samjong Accounting Corp. was appointed	Approved
		3. Evaluation of the Operation Status of the Internal Accounting Control System for	Approved
		the Year 2005	прргочец
		- The internal accounting control system is properly operated.	
		- The proper operation of the internal accounting control system of the major	
		subsidiaries are to be reported separately	
		4. Evaluation of the Internal Monitoring System	Approved
		- The internal monitoring system is properly operated.	
		5. Ratification of the Company and its Subsidiaries Non-audit Contracts	Approved
		1) Examination of financial statements for the acquisition process of Shinhan Life	11
		Insurance (Shinhan Financial Group Samjong Accounting Corp.)	
		2) Examination of financial statements for the acquisition process of Shinhan Life	
		Insurance (Shinhan Life Insurance Samjong Accounting Corp.)	
		3) Income Tax Advisory, Tax Adjustment (Shinhan Bank New York Branch KPMG	
		New York)	
		4) Auditing and Tax adjustment concerning PEF Shinhan National Pension	
		5) Comfort Letters regarding the issuance of bonds (Shinhan Bank with Samjong	
		Accounting Corp.)	
		6. Auditing Results of the 5th Annual Shareholders Meeting	Approved
0	N. 01 2005	- Results found to be appropriate	
8	Mar. 21, 2006	1. Approval of auditing plans for 2006	Approved
		- Auditing plans for Shinhan Financial Group and subsidiary companies approved	

2. Approval of auditing fees of K-GAAP

Approved

- Auditing fees considered appropriate for Korean accounting standards

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Meetings of Outside Director Recommendation Committee

	Date	Agenda	
1	Feb.2, 2005	 Appointment of Head of Outside Director Recommendation Committee Mr. Byung Hun Park 	Approved
		11.1. 2 J ung 11.0.1 u.m.	
2	Feb. 16, 2005	1. Recommendation of Outside Director Candidates	Approved
		- Outside director candidates: Byung Hun Park, Dong Hyun Kwon , Young Hoon	
		Choi,	
		Si Jong Kim and Philippe Reynieix (5 candidates)	
		- Outside director candidates with professional expertise: Pyung Joo Kim, Il Sup	
		Kim,	
		Sang Yoon Lee, Yoon Soo Yoon, and Shee Yul Ryoo (5 candidates)	
3	Jan. 12, 2006	1. Appointment of Head of Outside Director Recommendation Committee	Approved
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	- Mr. Byung Hun Park	rr · · · ·
		1. Decommendation of Outside Director Condidates	
		1. Recommendation of Outside Director Candidates Outside director condidates Punns Hun Pork, Si Jana Kim, Young Heap Chair	
4	Eab 16 2006	- Outside director candidates: Byung Hun Park, Si Jong Kim, Young Hoon Choi,	
4	Feb. 16, 2006	Myung Soo Choi, Hang Nam Jung and Philippe Reynieix (6 candidates) - Outside director candidates with professional expertise: Il Sup Kim,	
		Sang Yoon Lee, Yoon Soo Yoon, and Shee Yul Ryoo (4 candidates)	Approved
6 M	larkat Prica Inf	ormation of our Common Shares and ADRs	Approved
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Common Share Traded on the Korea Exchange

(in Korean Won or number of shares)

	Sept. 2005	Oct. 2005	Nov. 2005	Dec. 2005	Jan. 2006	Feb. 2006
Price per share High	37,200	37,400	41,000	43,100	42,300	41,450
Low	31,500	33,750	36,300	39,000	37,700	38,250
Trading Volume	22,816,559	24,953,683	29,170,702	25,024,286	24,454,664	22,609,271

American Depositary Shares traded on the New York Stock Exchange

Shinhan Financial Group listed its American Depositary Shares on the New York Stock Exchange on September 16, 2003.

(in US Dollars or number of shares)

	Sept. 2005	Oct. 2005	Nov. 2005	Dec. 2005	Jan. 2006	Feb. 2006
Price per share Hi	gh 72.20	72.17	78.87	84.71	86.40	86.78
Lo	ow 61.90	64.52	69.75	75.55	77.00	78.66
Trading Volume	362,500	477,700	501,700 17	468,100	695,300	670,300

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7. Related Party Transactions

Loans to Subsidiaries

(As of December 31, 2005)

	Originati M aturity Loan	Funding	Lending	Beginning Balance Jan. 1			Ending Balance Dec. 31,
Borrower Good Morning	Type date date	Rate	Rate	2005	Increase	Decrease	2005
	Loans in						
Shinhan Securities	KRW 31-Jan-051-Jul-10 Privately	4.59%	5.25%		700		700
Shinhan Bank	Placed Bonds21-Dec-2011-Mar-08 Loans	7.12%	7.42%	500			500
Shinhan Card	in KRW21-Nov -202 -Nov-05 Loans	5.60%	5.93%	1,000		1,000	
Shinhan Card	in KRW16-Dec-02-Dec-05 Loans	5.65%	5.95%	1,000		1,000	
Shinhan Card	in KRW 24-Jan- 03 -Jan-05 Loans	5.04%	5.39%	500		500	
Shinhan Card	in KRW 24-Jan- 03 -Jan-06 Loans	5.19%	5.50%	500			500
Shinhan Card	in KRW26-Feb- 06 -Feb-05 Loans	4.89%	5.24%	1,000		1,000	
Shinhan Card	in KRW26-Feb- 06 -Feb-06 Loans	4.99%	5.29%	2,000			2,000
Shinhan Card	in KRW23-Apr -203 -Apr-09 Loans	5.47%	6.28%	1,000			1,000
Shinhan Card	in KRW23-May 20 3May-05 Loans	5.11%	5.45%	500		500	
Shinhan Card	in KRW23-May 20 3May-06 Loans	5.29%	5.59%	500			500
Shinhan Card	in KRW 24-Jun- Q3 -Jun-06 Loans	5.43%	5.73%	1,500			1,500
Shinhan Card Shinhan Card	in KRW 24-Oct- 03 -Oct-06 18-Mar- 05 -Mar-07		4.95% 4.49%	1,000	500		1,000 500

	Loans in KRW Loans in						
Shinhan Card	KRW18-Mar-185-Mar-08 Loans	4.23%	4.54%		500		500
Shinhan Capital	KRW 30-Jan-OD-Jan-05 Loans	6.69%	7.34%	300		300	
Shinhan Capital	KRW29-Mar-@42-Apr-07 Loans	7.47%	8.12%	200			200
Shinhan Capital	KRW29-Apr- 292 -Apr-05 Loans in	6.84%	7.49%	300		300	
Shinhan Capital	KRW 26-Jun-05 Loans in	6.30%	6.95%	300		300	
Shinhan Capital	KRW 29-Jul-029-Jul-07 Loans in	6.30%	6.65%	200			200
Shinhan Capital	KRW21-Nov-202-Nov-07 Loans in	5.88%	6.18%	200			200
Shinhan Capital	KRW16-Dec-02-Dec-05 Loans in	5.65%	5.95%	300		300	
Shinhan Capital	KRW16-Dec-02-Dec-07 Loans in	5.96%	6.22%	200			200
Shinhan Capital		5.19%	5.54%	200			200
Shinhan Capital	KRW23-Apr- D3 -Apr-05 Loans in	5.28%	5.65%	500		500	
Shinhan Capital	KRW23-May203May-06 Loans in	5.29%	5.59%	500			500
Shinhan Capital	KRW 24-Jun- Q3 -Jun-08 Loans in	5.69%	5.95%	300			300
Shinhan Capital	KRW 24-Jul-024-Jul-06 Loans in	5.55%	5.85%	300			300
Shinhan Capital	KRW 24-Jul-024-Jul-08 Loans in	5.87%	6.13%	200			200
Shinhan Capital	KRW24-Mar-2044-Mar-07	4.76%	5.16%	300			300

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	Loans						
Shinhan Capital	in KRW24-Mar -2 94-Mar-09	5.11%	5.93%	200			200
	Loans in						
Shinhan Capital	KRW 25-Jun- Q5 -Jun-09 Loans	4.93%	5.22%	500			500
	in						
Shinhan Capital	KRW 31-Jan-051-Jan-08 Loans	4.21%	4.58%		300		300
	in						
Shinhan Capital	KRW18-Mar- 105 -Mar-07 Loans	4.23%	4.49%		500		500
	in						
Shinhan Capital	KRW09-May095May-08	3.99%	4.33%		500		500
	Loans in						
Shinhan Capital	KRW16-Dec-0 5 -Dec-08	5.48%	5.67%		400		400
	Loans in						
Jeju Bank	KRW28-Dec- 08 -Jan-11	5.74%	6.43%		200		200
	Loans in						
		M Libor	6M Libor				
Shinhan Capital	Currencly3-Mar-102-Mar-05		+120bp	313		313	
			18				

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	Oi Loan	riginatil	M aturity	Funding	Lending	Beginning Balance			Ending Balance Dec. 31,
Borrower	Type	date	date	Rate	Rate	Jan.1 2005	Increase	Decrease	2005
	Loans								
	in familian								
	foreign			6M Libor	6M Libor				
Shinhan Capital	Currendy	2 San D	Ø San O		+114bp	312		312	
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	in								
	foreign								
	C			3M Libor	3M Libor				
Shinhan Capital	Curren&	0-Dec-30	BDec-0	6 +70bp	+90bp	313		9	304
-	Loans			-					
	in								
	foreign								
				3M Libor	3M Libor				
Shinhan Capital	Currency	5-Jul- 0 -	≸ -Jun-0′	7 +70bp	+90bp	418		13	405
	Privately								
	Placed								
Jeju Bank	Bond@7	7-May30	04M ar-0	7 6.26%		31			31
	Privately	,							
	Placed								
Jeju Bank	Bond20)-May- 2	№ Jan-08	8 7.25%	8.14%	200			200
Total						17,587	3,600	6,347	14,840

Exhibit 99-1 Independent Accountant s Review Report (Non Consolidated Financial Statements) of Shinhan Financial Group as of and for the year ending December 31, 2005.

Exhibit 99-2 Independent Accountant s Review Report (Consolidated Financial Statements) of Shinhan Financial Group as of and for the year ending December 31, 2005.

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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.

SHINHAN FINANCIAL GROUP CO., LTD.

By /s/ Byung Jae Cho

Name: Byung Jae Cho Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 10, 2006

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