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Form 6-K  
June 17, 2004

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 June 2004

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

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Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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LOANS TO SUBSIDIARIES

On June 16, 2004, we, Shinhan Financial Group, approved the extension of a  
loan in the aggregate principal amount of KRW 50,000,000,000 to Shinhan Capital,  
our wholly-owned subsidiary. Shinhan Capital provides leasing and equipment  
financing services to corporate customers. The loan origination date is expected  
to be June 25, 2004. We plan to fund this loan through the issuance of corporate  
bonds in the domestic market on June 25, 2004. The maturity of the loan is five  
(3) years and the interest rate will be our domestic funding rate plus 20 basis  
points. Shinhan Capital will use the proceeds for its leasing operation. As of  
June 25, 2004, total loans outstanding to Shinhan Capital from us will amount to  
KRW 700,930,558,400.

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### \* SUMMARY OF THE TRANSACTION:

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| 1. Name of the Subsidiary (debtor) :                         | Shinhan Capital                                   |
| 2. Aggregate Principal Amount of the Loan :                  | KRW 50,000,000,000                                |
| 3. Loan Origination Date :                                   | June 25, 2004                                     |
| 4. Total Loans to Shinhan Capital :<br>(as of June 25, 2004) | KRW 700,930,558,400                               |
| 5. Maturity :  | 5 years   |
| 6. Interest Rate :   | Our domestic funding rate<br>plus 20 basis points |
| 7. Use of Proceeds to Shinhan Capital :                      | Leasing Operation                                 |
| 8. Date of Approval :  | June 16, 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.

SHINHAN FINANCIAL GROUP CO., LTD.

By /s/ Byung Jae Cho

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Name: Byung Jae Cho  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date : June 17, 2004