

SHINHAN FINANCIAL GROUP CO LTD

Form 6-K

August 22, 2006

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of August, 2006

**Shinhan Financial Group**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

120, 2-Ga, Taepyung-Ro, Jung-Gu, Seoul 100-102, Korea

(Address of principal executive office)

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Shinhan Financial Group Displays Acquisition Price for tender offer  
and Total Amount for LG Card Acquisition

On August 16, 2006, Korea Development Bank announced that Shinhan Financial Group ("SFG") has been selected as preferred bidder of LG Card based on proposed bid to acquire 78.6% at KRW 68,410 per share through a tender offer. The total consideration will be approximately KRW 6.7 trillion. The final acquisition price is subject to change based on the results of the confirmatory due diligence. SFG will hold 85.7% in total of LG Card after the tender offer which includes existing ownership of 7.1% held by Shinhan Bank. Once the terms and conditions of acquisition are finalized SFG will disclose accordingly.







## 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

Date: August 22, 2006

By: /s/ Byung Jae Cho \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Byung Jae Cho

Title: Chief Financial Officer

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