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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 February 2003

Kookmin Bank

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

9-1, 2-Ga, Namdaemun-Ro, Jung-Gu, Seoul, Korea 100-703

(Address of principal executive office)

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Yes ____ No X

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Kookmin Bank Restructured Its Headquarters

On February 5, 2003, Kookmin Bank announced that it restructured the headquarters and changed Executive Vice President's position as follows.

Reorganization of Headquarters

Kookmin Bank slimed its headquarters from 8 Divisions and 12 Business Units into 5 Divisions and 9 Business Units. It also reduced 26 teams while established 4 new teams. Totally, the number of teams is reduced from 85 to 63.

New Position of Executive Vice Presidents

In line with the reorganization, Jung-Tae Kim, President & CEO of Kookmin Bank changed the position of Executive Vice Presidents as follows. The new positions take effect as of February 5, 2003.

Name	Position	
Jong-Kyoo Yoon	EVP, Head of corporate Financial Planning Division	
Buhm-Soo Choi	EVP, Strategic Planning Division	
Donald H. MacKenzie	EVP, Risk Management Division	
Sung-Chul Kim	EVP, General Administration Division	
Jae-In Seo	EVP, Information Technology Division	Temporary until CIO appointed
Bock-Woan Kim	EVP, Sales Business Unit	
Young-Il Kim	EVP, Retail Banking Business Unit	
Ki-Taek Hong	EVP, Corporate Banking Business Unit	
Sung-Hyun Chung	EVP, International Banking Business Unit	
Ki-Sup Shin	EVP, Capital Market Business Unit	
Sung-Kyu Lee	EVP, Business Supporting Business Unit	Including E-Busi
See-Young Lee	EVP, Credit Card Business Unit	Newly appointed February 5, 2003
Woo-Jung Lee	EVP, Trust Business Unit, National Housing Fund Business Unit	

Appointment of New Executive Vice President

On February 5, 2003, Kookmin Bank appointed Mr. See-Young Lee (born in 1952) as Head of Credit Card Business Unit. Immediately prior to being elected to the position, he had been Executive Vice President as Head of Marketing for Kookmin Credit Card since March 2002.

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He received a B.A. in Economics from Yeungnam University.

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.

Kookmin Bank

(Registrant)

Date: February 6, 2003

By: /s/ Jong-Kyoo Yoon

(Signature)

Name: Jong-Kyoo Yoon

Title: Executive Vice President &
Chief Financial Officer