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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 April 2003

Kookmin Bank

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F X Form 40-F _____

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Indicate by check mark whether by furnishing the information contained in this Form, the registrant is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes ____ No X

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Kookmin Bank Invests in Private Fund for Credit Card Bond

On April 10, 2003, Kookmin Bank announced that it has decided to invest in the Private Fund for Credit Card Bond (tentatively called).

Information on the Fund

Private Fund for Credit Card Bond Fund Name:

Paid-in Capital: 5,600 billion Won Issued and outstanding shares: 5,600 billion shares

Purpose of the Fund: To stabilize the financial market by

relieving liquidity issues in credit

card industry

Details of Kookmin Bank Investment

Amount of Investment: 548.9 billion Won
Number of shares owned: 548.9 billion shares

Kookmin Bank's stake in the fund: 9.8%

The paid-in capital and the total number of shares of the fund are subject to change. If they are changed, the percentage of the Kookmin Bank's stake will also be changed 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.

Kookmin Bank

(Registrant)

Date: April 11, 2003 By: /s/ Jong-Kyoo Yoon

(Signature)

Name: Jong-Kyoo Yoon

Title: Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer