

WOORI FINANCE HOLDINGS CO LTD  
Form 6-K  
September 12, 2006

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## Form 6-K

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REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of September 2006

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## Woori Finance Holdings Co., Ltd.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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203, Hoehyon-dong, 1-ga, Chung-gu, Seoul, Korea

(Address of principal executive office)

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Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X

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**Resignation of a Non-standing Director**

Woori Bank, a wholly owned subsidiary of Woori Finance Holdings, announced the resignation of one of its non-standing directors on September 8, 2006.

**Key Details**

Details of the non-standing director

1) Name: Suk Won Kim

2) Tenure: Beginning date: March 24, 2006

Ending Date: The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in 2007

Resignation date (Resolution date): September 8, 2006

Details of the board of directors after the resignation

1) Number of directors: 8

2) Number of non-standing directors: 5

3) Ratio of non-standing directors: 62.5%

**Resignation of an Audit Committee Member**

Woori Bank, a wholly owned subsidiary of Woori Finance Holdings, announced the resignation of one of its audit committee members on September 8, 2006.

**Key Details**

Details of the audit committee member

1) Name: Suk Won Kim

2) Tenure: Beginning date: Beginning date: March 24, 2006  
Ending Date: The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in 2007

Resignation date (Resolution date): September 8, 2006

Details of the audit committee after the resignation

1) Number of standing directors on the audit committee: 1

2) Number of non-standing directors on the audit committee: 2

**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.

Woori Finance Holdings Co., Ltd.  
(Registrant)

Date: September. 12, 2006

By: /s/ Youngsun Kim  
(Signature)  
Name: Youngsun Kim  
Title: Director