# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 

Washington, DC 20549

## FORM 6-K

# REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER <br> Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 <br> Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 <br> For the Month of February 2016 

SHINHAN FINANCIAL GROUP CO., LTD.
(Translation of registrant s name into English)

20, Sejong-daero 9-gil, Jung-gu, Seoul 100-724, Korea
(Address of principal executive offices)

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## 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.
/s/ Yim Bo-hyuk
Name: Yim Bo-hyuk
Title: Chief Financial Officer
Date: February 4, 2016

## EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description
99.1

Shinhan Bank s Board made a resolution to issue a Write-down Contingent Capital Securities.

