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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 October 2004

LG.Philips LCD Co., Ltd.

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

20 Yoido-dong, Youngdungpo-gu, Seoul 150-721, The Republic of Korea

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes _____ No X

3Q04 Earnings Results

1. Performance in 3Q 2004

(in billions of KRW, Korean GAAP)

Items	2Q 04			3Q 03	
	3Q 04	Amount	Change	Amount	Change
A. Consolidated Financial Data					
Revenues	1,875	2,332	-19.6%	1,681	11.5%
Operating Income	256	771	-66.8%	365	-29.9%
Ordinary Income	240	750	-68.0%	359	-33.1%
Net Income	291	701	-58.5%	343	-15.2%
B. Non-consolidated Financial Data					
Revenues	1,836	2,277	-19.4%	1,669	10.0%
Operating Income	244	772	-68.4%	376	-35.1%
Ordinary Income	237	749	-68.4%	358	-33.8%
Net Income	291	701	-58.5%	343	-15.2%

2. Provider of Information:

IR team

3. Participants:

Institutional investors, securities analysts, etc.

4. Event:

3Q04 Earnings Results

5. Date & Time:

5:00 p.m. (Korea Time) on October 11, 2004 in Korean

9:00 p.m. (Korea Time) on October 11, 2004 in English

6. Method:

Conference call

7. Contact Information

i. Head of Disclosure:

Dong Joo Kim, Vice President, Finance & Risk Management

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ii. Main Contact for Disclosure-related Matters:

Jaeho Park, Assistant Manager, Financing Team

(82-2-3777-1053)

iii. Relevant Team:

IR team (82-2-3777-1010)

8. Remarks

- i. Please note that the presentation materials for 3Q04 Earnings Results are attached as an appendix and accessible on LG.Philips LCD Co., Ltd.'s IR homepage at www.lgphilips-lcd.com.

- ii. Please note that the financial data included in the investor presentation and press release are prepared on K GAAP consolidated basis only (attached US GAAP consolidation in investor presentation). K GAAP non-consolidated information is included in this filing for the convenience of investors.

- iii. Financial data for 3Q04 are unaudited and unreviewed and provided for the convenience of investors and can be subject to change.

Appendix 1: Press Release

LG.PHILIPS LCD REPORTS THIRD QUARTER RESULTS

SEOUL, Korea (Oct. 11, 2004) LG.Philips LCD (NYSE: LPL, KSE: 034220), one of the world's leading TFT-LCD manufacturers, today reported unaudited earnings results based on consolidated Korean GAAP for the three-month and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2004. Amounts in Korean Won are translated into US dollars at the exchange rate of KRW 1,152 per US dollar as of September 30, 2004.

- Sales increased by 11.5% to KRW 1,875 billion (USD 1,601 million) in the third quarter of 2004 from KRW 1,681 billion (USD 1,425 million) in the third quarter of 2003 due to increased demand. Sales in the third quarter declined 19.6% compared to the second quarter of 2004 due to pricing pressure as a result of increased capacity in the industry, which stemmed in part from the easing of industry-wide shortages of materials and a build-up of inventory.
- Operating income decreased by 29.9% to KRW 256 billion (USD 223 million) in the third quarter of 2004 from KRW 365 billion (USD 318 million) in the third quarter of 2003 and by 66.8% from KRW 771 billion in the second quarter of 2004.
- Net income decreased by 15.2% to KRW 291 billion (USD 252 million) in the third quarter of 2004 from KRW 343 billion (USD 298 million) in the third quarter of 2003. This represents a decrease of 58.5% from KRW 701 billion (USD 609 million) in the second quarter of 2004.

In our first quarter as a public company, we continued to experience year-on-year revenue growth, as we utilized our increased capacity to generate higher sales to our global merchant customers, said Bon Joon Koo, Chief Executive Officer, LG.Philips LCD. It was a notable quarter in which we completed the world's first concurrent dual listing with our IPO on the Korea Stock Exchange and the New York Stock Exchange, successfully commenced production at our sixth generation fabrication facility (P6) and maintained our position as the largest merchant supplier of TFT-LCD panels in the world, concluded Mr. Koo.

Third Quarter Financial Review

Revenue and Cost

Revenue increased by 11.5% to KRW 1,875 billion (USD 1,601 million) in the three-month period ended September 30, 2004, from KRW 1,681 billion (USD 1,425 million) in the corresponding period in 2003. Increases in capacity contributed to additional unit sales of large-size panels for notebook

computers, desktop monitors and TVs in the three-month period ended September 30, 2004, compared to the corresponding period in 2003. TFT LCD panels for desktop monitors accounted for 54.5% in terms of revenue, with notebook computers accounting for 26.5%, TVs accounting for 13.5% and applications accounting for 5.4%.

Overall, LG.Philips LCD shipped a total of 560,194 square meters of net display area with an average selling price per square meter of USD 2,857 in the third quarter of 2004. This represents a decrease of 8.8% year-on-year and a decrease of 19.6% compared to the second quarter of 2004.

Cost of goods sold increased to KRW 1,555 billion, or 24.1% year-on-year and 4.6% compared to the second quarter of 2004, as a result of increased volume year-on-year and the start of depreciation of P6.

While we experienced greater than expected pricing declines during the quarter, we believe these declines should lead to increased acceptance and sales in the global TV market, commented Ron Wirahadiraksa, Chief Financial Officer, LG.Philips LCD. Furthermore, we believe that LG.Philips LCD is well positioned to capture market share and to grow our customer relationships. Our funding position has strengthened considerably due to the IPO proceeds and to strong cash-flow from operations, concluded Mr. Wirahadiraksa.

Liquidity

As of September 30, 2004, LG.Philips LCD had KRW 1,212 billion (USD 1,052 million) of cash and cash equivalents. Total debt at September 30, 2004, was KRW 2,283 billion (USD 1,982 million) with a net-debt-to-equity ratio of 18.8%.

Capital Spending

Third quarter capital expenditure increased to KRW 1,434 billion (USD 1,245 million) from KRW 386 million during the third quarter of 2003 mainly due to investments in P6, LG.Philips LCD's most recent, sixth generation, fabrication facility.

Utilization and Capacity

The capacity of our G5 lines increased approximately 5% in the third quarter. P6 input glass averaged 10K per month for the quarter.

Outlook

The TFT-LCD industry should experience both unit and area growth in the fourth quarter of 2004 and during 2005.

LG.Philips LCD will increase its output to meet this growth and to meet its customers' needs.

We expect prices to further stabilize, as they currently are, in Q4 2004. Prices in the first half of 2005 are expected to remain weak for both PC computers and TVs and to improve in the second half of 2005, mainly due to growing demand for LCD TVs.

Web Cast and Replay

LG.Philips LCD will hold conference calls to review earnings and performance trends today, October 11, 2004. There will be a Korean language conference call at 5:00 p.m. Korea Standard Time. The call-in number is 1566-2255 for callers in Korea and +82-31-500-0500 for callers outside of Korea with a confirmation number of 3777 for both phone numbers.

In addition, there will be an English language conference call at 9:00 p.m. Korea Standard Time (8:00 am in New York and 1:00 p.m. in London). The call in number is 1566-2256 for callers in Korea and +82-31-500-0501 for callers outside of Korea with a confirmation number of 3777 for both phone numbers. There will be corresponding slides available at LG.Philips LCD's website: <http://www.lgphilips-lcd.com>

For those who will be unable to participate on the call, a replay will be available for 30 days after the call. The call in number is 031-500-0401 for callers in Korea and +82-31-500-0401 for callers outside of Korea with a confirmation number of 17213# for both phone numbers.

Alternatively, investors can listen to the conference call over the Internet at <http://www.lgphilips-lcd.com>. To listen to the live call, please go to the Investor Relations section of the Web site at least 15 minutes prior to the call to register, download and install any necessary audio software.

About LG.Philips LCD

LG.Philips LCD (NYSE: LPL, KSE: 034220) is a leading manufacturer and supplier of thin film transistor liquid crystal display (TFT-LCD) panels. The Company manufactures TFT-LCD panels in a

wide range of sizes and specifications primarily for use in notebook computers, desktop monitors and televisions. Headquartered in Seoul, South Korea, LG.Philips LCD currently operates six fabrication facilities in Korea and has approximately 12,000 employees in locations around the world. For more information about the Company, please visit <http://www.lgphilips-lcd.com>. LG.Philips LCD makes Technology you can see!

Forward-Looking Statement Disclaimer

This press release contains forward-looking statements. Statements that are not historical facts, including statements about our beliefs and expectations, are forward-looking statements. These statements are based on current plans, estimates and projections, and therefore you should not place undue reliance on them. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and we undertake no obligation to update publicly any of them in light of new information or future events. Forward-looking statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties. We caution you that a number of important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statement. Additional information as to factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from our forward-looking statements can be found in our filings with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(in KRW millions)

(the financial statements are made under the Korean GAAP and are unaudited)

	2004				2003			
	Three months ended Sept. 30		Nine months ended Sept. 30		Three months ended Sept. 30		Nine months ended Sept. 30	
NET REVENUES	1,875,195	100%	6,395,438	100%	1,681,124	100%	3,963,157	100%
Cost of sales	(1,555,192)	-83%	(4,459,955)	-70%	(1,252,640)	-75%	(3,284,396)	-83%
GROSS PROFIT	320,003	17%	1,935,483	30%	428,484	25%	678,761	17%
Selling, general & administrative	(63,626)	-3%	(209,067)	-3%	(62,622)	-4%	(156,910)	-4%
OPERATING INCOME	256,377	14%	1,726,416	27%	365,862	22%	521,851	13%
Interest income	5,227	0%	12,998	0%	2,382	0%	4,458	0%
Interest expense	(11,775)	-1%	(37,465)	-1%	(22,105)	-1%	(57,614)	-1%
Foreign exchange gain (loss),net	(7,784)	0%	(23,965)	0%	10,763	1%	9,349	0%
Others, net	(1,884)	0%	(8,987)	0%	1,864	0%	2,870	0%
Total other income (expense)	(16,216)	-1%	(57,419)	-1%	(7,096)	0%	(40,937)	-1%
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	240,161	13%	1,668,997	26%	358,766	21%	480,914	12%
Income tax expense	50,707	3%	(48,973)	-1%	(15,709)	-1%	(5,596)	0%
NET INCOME(LOSS)	290,868	16%	1,620,024	25%	343,057	20%	475,318	12%

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CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

(in KRW millions)

(the financial statements are made under the Korean GAAP and are unaudited)

	2004				2003			
	September 30		June 30		December 31		September 30	
ASSETS								
Current assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	1,211,843	12%	559,936	7%	503,946	8%	174,012	3%
Trade accounts and notes receivable	885,790	9%	1,342,193	16%	1,140,732	18%	933,727	17%
Inventories	692,395	7%	452,856	5%	337,175	5%	355,969	6%
Other receivables and assets	127,888	1%	147,773	2%	138,688	2%	151,863	3%
Total current assets	2,917,916	30%	2,502,758	30%	2,120,541	33%	1,615,571	29%
Investments and other non-current assets	292,942	3%	138,611	2%	168,851	3%	122,699	2%
Property, plant and equipment, net	6,327,617	65%	5,534,822	66%	3,947,407	61%	3,523,203	64%
Other Intangible assets, net	198,100	2%	200,831	2%	222,479	3%	229,187	4%
Total assets	9,736,575	100%	8,377,022	100%	6,459,278	100%	5,490,660	100%
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY								
Current liabilities:								
Short-term debt	632,052	6%	575,421	7%	609,662	9%	1,195,356	22%
Trade accounts and notes payable	1,497,482	15%	1,677,328	20%	1,426,947	22%	1,199,976	22%
Other payables and accrued liabilities	213,867	2%	199,750	2%	197,504	3%	111,962	2%
Total current liabilities	2,343,401	24%	2,452,499	29%	2,234,113	35%	2,507,294	46%
Long-term debt	1,651,164	17%	1,648,542	20%	1,310,164	20%	590,654	11%
Reserves for pension	43,050	0%	39,347	0%	20,965	0%	26,344	0%
Total liabilities	4,037,615	41%	4,140,388	49%	3,565,242	55%	3,124,292	57%
Common Stock and additional paid-in capital	2,640,848	27%	1,450,000	17%	1,450,000	22%	1,450,000	26%
Accumulated result	3,056,254	31%	2,765,385	33%	1,436,229	22%	892,275	16%
Capital adjustment	1,858	0%	21,249	0%	7,806	0%	24,093	0%
Shareholders equity	5,698,960	59%	4,236,634	51%	2,894,036	45%	2,366,368	43%
Total liabilities and shareholders equity	9,736,575	100%	8,377,022	100%	6,459,278	100%	5,490,660	100%

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOW

(in KRW millions)

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	2004		2003	
	Three months ended	Nine months ended	Three months ended	Nine months ended
	Sept. 30	Sept. 30	Sept. 30	Sept. 30
Net Income	290,868	1,620,024	343,057	475,318
Depreciation	309,620	850,839	263,274	687,769
Amortization	10,974	33,750	11,097	33,055
Others	1,787	24,378	461	19,749
Operating Cash Flow	613,249	2,528,991	617,889	1,215,891
Net Change in Working Capital	230,040	17,136	(283,925)	(337,607)
Change in A/R	458,029	254,322	(260,762)	(430,032)
Change in inventory	(240,490)	(355,219)	(31,839)	49,259
Change in A/P	52,565	85,601	65,623	89,081
Change in others	(40,064)	32,432	(56,947)	(45,915)
Cash Flow from Operation	843,289	2,546,127	333,964	878,284
Capital Expenditures	(1,432,812)	(3,402,287)	(386,391)	(900,171)
Delivery	(1,331,947)	(3,288,947)	(386,399)	(895,039)
Intangible assets investment	(12,303)	(19,161)	0	(2,638)
Others	(88,562)	(94,179)	8	(2,494)
Cash Flow before Financing	(589,523)	(856,160)	(52,427)	(21,887)
Cash Flow from Financing Activities	50,581	373,208	(51,898)	125,593
Proceeds from IPO	1,190,849	1,190,849	0	0
Net Cash Flow	651,907	707,897	(104,325)	103,706

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(in KRW millions)

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	2004				2003			
	Three months ended		Nine months ended		Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	Sept. 30		Sept. 30		Sept. 30		Sept. 30	
NET REVENUES	1,873,579	100%	6,392,062	100%	1,681,158	100%	3,963,209	100%
Cost of sales	(1,543,259)	-82%	(4,423,667)	-69%	(1,247,672)	-74%	(3,245,974)	-82%
GROSS PROFIT	330,320	18%	1,968,395	31%	433,486	26%	717,235	18%
Selling, general & administrative	(65,609)	-4%	(222,809)	-3%	(50,065)	-3%	(144,428)	-4%
OPERATING INCOME	264,711	14%	1,745,586	27%	383,421	23%	572,807	14%
Interest income	5,227	0%	12,998	0%	2,382	0%	4,458	0%
Interest expense	(13,870)	-1%	(40,832)	-1%	(21,888)	-1%	(60,743)	-2%
Foreign exchange gain (loss),net	(6,001)	0%	(18,046)	0%	39,115	2%	40,774	1%
Others, net	269	0%	856	0%	1,176	0%	2,747	0%
Total other income (expense)	(14,375)	-1%	(45,024)	-1%	20,785	1%	(12,764)	0%
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	250,336	13%	1,700,562	27%	404,206	24%	560,043	14%
Income tax expense	47,557	3%	(52,428)	-1%	(17,048)	-1%	(33,442)	-1%
NET INCOME(LOSS)	297,893	16%	1,648,134	26%	387,158	23%	526,601	13%

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CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

(in KRW millions)

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	2004				2003			
	September 30		June 30		December 31		September 30	
ASSETS								
Current assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	1,211,843	13%	559,936	7%	504,014	8%	174,012	3%
Trade accounts and notes receivable	885,312	9%	1,347,128	16%	1,159,767	18%	973,855	18%
Inventories	691,145	7%	451,383	5%	335,921	5%	354,518	7%
Other receivables and assets	130,693	1%	163,987	2%	146,594	2%	133,642	2%
Total current assets	2,918,993	30%	2,522,434	31%	2,146,296	34%	1,636,027	30%
Investments and other non-current assets	311,099	3%	150,117	2%	193,116	3%	191,881	4%
Property, plant and equipment, net	6,360,059	66%	5,565,875	67%	3,974,315	63%	3,552,620	66%
Other Intangible assets, net	33,335	0%	26,934	0%	29,260	0%	26,241	0%
Total assets	9,623,486	100%	8,265,360	100%	6,342,987	100%	5,406,769	100%
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY								
Current liabilities:								
Short-term debt	632,052	7%	575,617	7%	625,675	10%	1,214,027	22%
Trade accounts and notes payable	491,903	5%	438,438	5%	403,522	6%	342,336	6%
Other payables and accrued liabilities	1,219,073	13%	1,441,381	17%	1,223,053	19%	966,750	18%
Total current liabilities	2,343,028	24%	2,455,436	30%	2,252,250	36%	2,523,113	47%
Long-term debt	1,658,444	17%	1,656,606	20%	1,318,581	21%	591,886	11%
Reserves for pension	45,721	0%	39,347	0%	20,965	0%	26,345	0%
Total liabilities	4,047,193	42%	4,151,389	50%	3,591,796	57%	3,141,344	58%
Common Stock and additional paid-in capital	2,629,530	27%	1,450,000	18%	1,450,000	23%	1,450,000	27%
Accumulated result	2,945,489	31%	2,647,595	32%	1,297,355	20%	817,453	15%
Capital adjustment	1,274	0%	16,376	0%	3,836	0%	-2,028	0%
Shareholders equity	5,576,293	58%	4,113,971	50%	2,751,191	43%	2,265,425	42%
Total liabilities and shareholders equity	9,623,486	100%	8,265,360	100%	6,342,987	100%	5,406,769	100%

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOW

(in KRW millions)

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	2004		2003	
	Three months ended Sept. 30	Nine months ended Sept. 30	Three months ended Sept. 30	Nine months ended Sept. 30
Net Income	297,893	1,648,134	387,158	526,601
Depreciation	308,848	845,391	263,001	686,819
Amortization	2,196	6,099	1,387	3,842
Others	1,787	24,378	(25,700)	37,388
Operating Cash Flow	610,724	2,524,002	625,846	1,254,650
Net Change in Working Capital	233,018	24,606	(286,309)	(350,513)
Change in A/R	458,029	254,322	(255,081)	(440,058)
Change in inventory	(240,490)	(355,219)	(31,100)	43,691
Change in A/P	52,565	85,601	66,661	85,199
Change in others	(37,086)	39,902	(66,789)	(39,345)
Cash Flow from Operation	843,742	2,548,608	339,537	904,137
Capital Expenditures	(1,433,265)	(3,404,768)	(390,868)	(920,639)
Delivery	(1,332,400)	(3,291,428)	(391,168)	(910,058)
Intangible assets investment	(12,303)	(19,161)	0	(2,638)
Others	(88,562)	(94,179)	300	(7,943)
Cash Flow before Financing	(589,523)	(856,160)	(51,331)	(16,502)
Cash Flow from Financing Activities	50,581	373,208	(52,994)	120,208
Proceeds from IPO	1,190,849	1,190,849		
Net Cash Flow	651,907	707,897	(104,325)	103,706

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Net Income Reconciliation to US GAAP

(in KRW millions)

	2004	
	Three months ended Sept. 30	Nine months ended Sept. 30
Net Income under K GAAP	290,868	1,620,024
US GAAP Adjustments	7,025	28,110
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	(772)	(2,051)
Amortization of Intellectual Property rights	8,778	27,651
Adjustment of AR discount loss	1,064	1,585
Capitalization of financial interests	2,345	7,701
Inventory Valuation effect of US GAAP Adjustments	1,143	1,280
Cash flow hedge account	(1,615)	(3,376)
Pension expense	(886)	(1,344)
Income tax effect of US GAAP Adjustments	(3,151)	(3,455)
Others	119	119
Net Income under US GAAP	297,893	1,648,134

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Appendix 2: IR Presentation

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.

LG.Philips LCD Co., Ltd.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ RON H. WIRAHADIRAKSA
(Signature)

Date: October 12, 2004

Name: Ron H. Wirahadiraksa

Title: Joint Representative Director and Chief Financial
Officer