

PORTUGAL TELECOM SGPS SA
Form 6-K
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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 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of May, 2007

Commission File Number 1-13758

PORTUGAL TELECOM, SGPS, S.A.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Av. Fontes Pereira de Melo, 40
1069 - 300 Lisboa, Portugal
(Address of principal executive office)

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

Form 20-F Form 40-F

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

Yes No

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Portugal Telecom, SGPS, S.A.

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Public Company

Registered Offices: Avenida Fontes Pereira de Melo, 40, Lisboa

Share Capital: Euros 33,865,695

Registered in the Commercial Registry Office of Lisbon

and Corporation no. 503 215 058

Increase and Reduction of the Share Capital

Lisbon, 22 May 2007 Portugal Telecom, SGPS, S.A. (PT) announced, under the terms and for the purposes set forth in paragraph g) of number 1 of article 2 of CMVM Regulation no 4/2004, that:

1. As resolved in the General Meeting held on 27 April 2007, PT has requested to register before the Commercial Registry of Lisbon:

a) its share capital increase, in the amount of Euro 79,019,955 Euros through the incorporation of legal reserve, and

b) its share capital reduction, in the amount of Euro 440,254,035, for the release of excess capital through the creation of free reserves in the same amount,

with the resulting share capital amounting to Euro 33,865,695.

2. As a result of the registration of the referred operations, the par value of all shares representing the share capital of PT is of 3 Euro cents.

3. These operations have already been registered with the Commercial Registry of Lisbon.

4. The above mentioned operations and consequently the alteration of the nominal value of all of the shares representing PT's share capital will be concluded before the Central de Valores Mobiliários (the stock exchange's clearinghouse) on 29 May 2007. The trading of PT shares on the stock exchange with the new nominal value will take place as from 24 May 2007.

This information is also available on PT's IR website <http://ir.telecom.pt>.

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PT is listed on the Euronext and New York Stock Exchanges. Information may be accessed on the Reuters under the symbols PTC.LS and PT and on Bloomberg under the symbol PTC PL.

