

PORTUGAL TELECOM SGPS SA
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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 November, 2005

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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.

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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

RELEASE

Portugal Telecom announces the execution of PrimeSys sale

Lisbon, Portugal, 25 November 2005 - Portugal Telecom announced today that it has concluded the sale of its 100% stake in PrimeSys in Brazil to Embratel for R\$ 251 million. The total consideration for PT amounted to R\$ 261 million (Euro 100 million), reflecting primarily the cash in from a share capital reduction in PrimeSys.

In 2004, PrimeSys' operating revenues and EBITDA amounted to R\$ 253 million (Euro 70 million) and R\$ 35 million (Euro 10 million) respectively. The impact for PT of PrimeSys' costs with operating leases amounted to R\$ 78 million (Euro 21 million).

The sale now executed was announced on 5 August 2005 and was pending approval by the Brazilian telecoms regulator, which was obtained on 17 October 2005.

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

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