

BRAZILIAN DISTRIBUTION CO COMPANHIA BRASILEIRA DE DISTR CBD

Form 6-K

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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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, 2016

Brazilian Distribution Company

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

Av. Brigadeiro Luiz Antonio,
3142 São Paulo, SP 01402-901

Brazil

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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Yes No

COMPANHIA BRASILEIRA DE DISTRIBUIÇÃO

PUBLICLY-HELD COMPANY WITH AUTHORIZED CAPITAL

CNPJ/MF 47.508.411/0001-56

NIRE 35.300.089.901

EXTRACT OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF

DIRECTORS HELD ON NOVEMBER 23, 2016

- 1. DATE, TIME AND PLACE:** On the 23rd (twenty third) day of November, 2016, at 12:30 pm, at the headquarters of Companhia Brasileira de Distribuição (“Company” or “CBD”), at Avenida Brigadeiro Luís Antônio, No. 3,142, in the City of São Paulo, State of São Paulo.
- 2. CONDUCTION OF THE MEETING:** Chairman: Mr. Arnaud Daniel Charles Walter Joachim Strasser; Secretary: Mrs. Ana Paula Tarossi Silva.
- 3. CALL AND ATTENDANCE:** The meeting was dully called pursuant to paragraphs 1 and 2 of Article 15 of the Company’s By-Laws and Articles 7 and 8 of the Internal Regulation of the Company’s Board of Directors. The majority of members of the Company’s Board of Directors attended the meeting: Messrs. Jean-Charles Henri Naouri (by proxy), Arnaud Daniel Charles Walter Joachim Strasser, Carlos Mario Giraldo Moreno, Eleazar de Carvalho Filho, Jose Gabriel Loaiza Herrera, Luiz Aranha Corrêa do Lago, Luiz Augusto de Castro Neves, Maria Helena dos Santos Fernandes Santana, Ronaldo Iabrudi Pereira dos Santos and Yves Desjacques. Mr. Carlos Mario Diez Gómes was absent for justified reason, having expressed in advance, in writing, his agreement with the occurrence of the meeting, in accordance with the terms of the Sole Paragraph of Article 9 of the Internal Regulation for the Board of Directors of the Company.
- 4. AGENDA:** Examine and discuss the studies conducted by the Company’s Executive Officers, jointly with its financial advisors, on strategic alternatives involving the Company’s investment in Via Varejo S.A. (“Via Varejo”).

5. RESOLUTION: As the meeting was commenced, a presentation was made by the Company's Executive Officers, jointly with its financial advisors, about the studies conducted up to this date within the evaluation process of strategic alternatives involving the Company's investment in Via Varejo. The presentation concluded that, among the several alternatives analyzed, those resulting in the sale of the interest held in Via Varejo are more advantageous to the Company at this moment and are in line with its long-term strategy of focusing on the development of the food activity. After discussion and deliberation on the matter, the attending members of the Board of Directors unanimously and without reservations resolved to authorize the Company's Executive Officers to launch a process of sale of the interest held in the capital of Via Varejo, being certain that, once the terms and conditions of a specific transaction have been ascertained, the management shall submit them to the Board of Directors. Finally, in view of the need to guarantee the symmetry in its disclosure by the Company and its controlling shareholders, the attending members of the Board of Directors unanimously determined that the Company release a notice of material fact regarding the decision approved on this date.

6. APPROVAL AND EXECUTION OF THE MINUTES: With nothing further to discuss, the meeting was suspended for the drafting of these minutes. When the meeting was reopened, these minutes were read, approved and executed by all of those in attendance. São Paulo, November 23rd, 2016. Signatures: Chairman: Mr. Arnaud Daniel Charles Walter Joachim Strasser; Secretary: Mrs. Ana Paula Tarossi Silva. Attending Members of the Board of Directors: Messrs. Jean-Charles Henri Naouri, Arnaud Daniel Charles Walter Joachim Strasser, Carlos Mario Giraldo Moreno, Eleazar de Carvalho Filho, Jose Gabriel Loaiza Herrera, Luiz Aranha Corrêa do Lago, Luiz Augusto de Castro Neves, Maria Helena dos Santos Fernandes Santana, Ronaldo Iabrudi Pereira dos Santos and Yves Desjacques.

I hereby certify, for due purposes, that this is an extract of the minutes registered in the relevant corporate book, in accordance with Article 130, paragraph 3, of Law No. 6.404/76 as amended.

Ana Paula Tarossi Silva

Secretary

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirement 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.

COMPANHIA BRASILEIRA DE DISTRIBUIÇÃO

Date: November 23, 2016

By: /s/ Ronaldo Iabrudi
Name: Ronaldo Iabrudi
Title: Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Daniela Sabbag
Name: Daniela Sabbag
Title: Investor Relations Officer

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