

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 October, 2009

Brazilian Distribution Company

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

Av. Brigadeiro Luiz Antonio,
3126 São Paulo, SP 01402-901

Brazil

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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

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(Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101 (b) (1)):

Yes No

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Yes No

(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

NOTICE TO THE MARKET

São Paulo, Brazil, October 07, 2009, Companhia Brasileira de Distribuição (CBD), pursuant to article 12 of CVM Instruction 358, as amended by CVM Instruction 449/07, hereby discloses the following correspondence from the shareholder Tarpon Investimentos S.A.:

Dear Sirs,

Without prejudice to the information previously provided to the market by the investment fund managers, in compliance with CVM Instruction 409, and by the legal representatives of the non-resident investors, in compliance with CMN Resolution 2,689/00, Tarpon Investimentos S.A. (Tarpon) hereby announces that the number of preferred shares issued by Companhia Brasileira de Distribuição (Company) held by the investment funds and portfolios managed by Tarpon has reached 7,396,298, representing 4.78% of the total preferred shares issued by the Company (6,727,970 Class A preferred shares and 668,319 Class B preferred shares, convertible into Class A preferred shares). The shares were acquired for investment purposes only, there being no intention of altering the Company s ownership or administrative structure. These funds and portfolios do not hold any warrants or any other subscription right or purchase option on shares issued by the Company and there is no agreement regulating the exercise of voting rights to which said funds and portfolios are a party.

Sincerely,

Tarpon Investimentos S.A.

São Paulo, October 07, 2009

Daniela Sabbag
Investor Relations Officer

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: October 7, 2009

By: /s/ Enéas César Pestana Neto
Name: Enéas César Pestana Neto
Title: Administrative Director

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

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