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 May, 2006

Commission File Number 1-15106

PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A. - PETROBRAS

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Brazilian Petroleum Corporation - PETROBRAS

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Avenida República do Chile, 65 20031-912 - Rio de Janeiro, RJ Federative Republic of Brazil (Address of principal executive office)

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Yes _____ No__X___

MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING

The Board of Directors of Petróleo Brasileiro S.A. PETROBRAS summoned Shareholders to an Extraordinary General Meeting held on May 5, 2006, at 3:00 pm in the auditorium of the Company's head office building at Av. República do Chile, n° 65, 1st floor, in the City of Rio de Janeiro (RJ), which deliberated upon and approved the following agenda item:

I. Amendment of the Minutes of the Extraordinary and Ordinary General Meetings held on April 3rd, 2006, concerning the election of the Fiscal Council members and respective substitutes indicated by the preferred shareholders. Mrs. Lúcia Maria de Oliveira Falcón, having as substitute Mr. Celso Barreto Grandson, was proclaimed and reelected by preferred shareholders, on a separate ballot, as a member of the Fiscal Council of the Company with a mandate of 1 (one) year, permitting re-election.

Rio de Janeiro, May 5, 2006.

Almir Guilherme Barbassa CFO and Investor Relations Director of Petrobras

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: May 8, 2006

PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A--PETROBRAS

By: /s/ Almir Guilherme Barbassa

Almir Guilherme Barbassa Chief Financial Officer and Investor Relations Officer

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