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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 April, 2006

Commission File Number 1-14493

VIVO PARTICIPAÇÕES S.A.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

VIVO Holding Company

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Av. Roque Petroni Jr., no.1464, 6th floor part, "B"building 04707-000 - São Paulo, SP Federative Republic of Brazil

(Address of principal executive office)

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Yes _____ No ___X___

VIVO PARTICIPAÇÕES S.A.

CNPJ/MF n° 02.558.074/0001-73 - NIRE 35.3.001.587.9-2 Publicly-held Company

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HELD ON APRILL 11, 2006.

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- **1. DATE, TIME AND PLACE:** April 11, 2006, at 09:30 p.m., on Av. Roque Petroni Junior, 1464, 6° andar, Morumbi, São Paulo SP, upon calling in conformity with the Bylaws.
- **2. CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE MEETING:** Fernando Xavier Ferreira Chairman of the Meeting; Breno Rodrigo Pacheco de Oliveira Secretary.
- **3. INSTATEMENT:** The meeting was instated with the attendance of the undersigned Directors, which represent a quorum under the terms of the Bylaws.

4. AGENDA AND RESOLUTION:

- **4.1. Approval of Engagement of Independent Auditors:** in conformity with article 142, item IX of Law 6404/76 and article 17, item XIII of the Bylaws of the Company, the directors approved the selection of audit firm Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Auditores Independentes S/C Ltda. as the Independent Auditors of the Company, with the Board of Executive Officers being authorized to negotiate the engagement conditions and to perform all other acts as may be required for such purpose.
- **5. CLOSING OF THE MEETING**: Since there was no other business to be transacted, the meeting was closed, and these minutes were drawn-up, which after having been read and approved were signed by the Directors who attended the meeting and the Secretary, and following transcribed in the proper book.

Signatures: Fernando Xavier Ferreira – Chairman of the Meeting and Chairman of the Board of Directors; Shakhaf Wine; Antonio Gonçalves de Oliveira; Henri Philippe Reichstul; Felix Pablo Ivorra Cano; Luiz Kaufmann - Directors; Carlos Manuel de L. e V. Cruz – Vice-Chairman of the Board, represented by Mr. Shakhaf Wine; Luis Paulo Reis Cocco – Director represented by Mr. Shakhaf Wine; Ignácio Aller Mallo – Director represented by Mr. Felix Pablo Ivorra Cano; Breno Rodrigo Pacheco de Oliveira – General Secretary.

I hereby certify that this is a faithful copy of the original minutes which were drawn-up in the proper Book.

Breno Rodrigo Pacheco de Oliveira

General Secretary OAB/RS n° 45.479

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: April 17, 2006

VIVO PARTICIPAÇÕES S.A.

By: /s/ Ernesto Gardelliano

Ernesto Gardelliano Investor Relations Officer

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