

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 March, 2018

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 AND AUTHORIZED COMPANY

CNPJ/MF No. 47.508.411/0001-56

NIRE 35.300.089.901

**EXTRACT OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HELD ON
MARCH 26TH, 2018**

- 1. DATE, TIME AND PLACE:** on March 26th, 2018, at 09:00 a.m., at the head offices of Companhia Brasileira de Distribuição (“Company”), at Avenida Brigadeiro Luís Antônio, No. 3.142, City and State of São Paulo.

 - 2. CONDUCTION OF THE MEETING:** Chairman: Mr. Jean-Charles Henri Naouri; Secretary: Mrs. Ana Paula Tarossi Silva.

 - 3. CALL TO ORDER AND ATTENDANCE:** The Meeting was duly called pursuant to paragraphs first and second of article 15 of the Bylaws and sole paragraph of articles 7th and 8th of the Internal Regulation of the Board of Directors. Were present the majority of the members of the Board of Directors, namely, Messrs. Jean-Charles Henri Naouri, Arnaud Daniel Charles Walter Joachim Strasser, Carlos Mario Giraldo Moreno, Eleazar de Carvalho Filho, Jose Gabriel Loaiza Herrera, Luiz Augusto de Castro Neves, Luiz Aranha Corrêa do Lago, Luiz Nelson Guedes de Carvalho, Manfred Heinrich Gartz and Ronaldo Iabrudi dos Santos Pereira.

 - 4. AGENDA:** Analysis and deliberation about the declaration of distribution and payment of interest on shareholders’ equity, in accordance with article 36, paragraph fourth, of the Company’s By-Laws.
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5. RESOLUTIONS: As the meeting was commenced, Messrs. Members of the Board examined the item contained in the Agenda and decided the following deliberation unconditionally:

5.1 Analysis and deliberation about the declaration of distribution and payment of interest on shareholders' equity, in accordance with article 36, paragraph fourth, of the Company's By-Laws: Messrs. Members of the Board, in accordance with article 36, paragraph fourth of the Company's By-Laws, deliberated to approve, ad referendum of the Company's Annual and General Shareholders Meeting destined to appreciate the financial statement referred to the fiscal year ended in December 31st, 2017, the payment of interest on shareholders' equity referred to the period between July 1st, 2017 and December 31st, 2017, in the gross amount of R\$ 91,098,624.98 (ninety one million, ninety eight thousand, six hundred and twenty four Reais and ninety eight cents), corresponding to R\$ 0.321878444 for ordinary share and R\$ 0.354066288 for preferential share ("JCP"), being deducted the amount corresponding to Withholding Income Tax (IRRF), in accordance with the valid Law, with the exception to the immune and/or exempt shareholders. The Members of the Board deliberated also to approve that the payment of JCP over the shareholders issued by the Company negotiated by *B3 S.A - Brasil, Bolsa, Balcão*, as well as over the other shares registered *before Itaú Corretora de Valores S.A. ("Brazilian Shares")* shall be done on May 25 2018, based on the shareholders' position of March 29th, 2018. JPMorgan Chase Bank, as custodian of the American Depositary Receipts representing preferred shares issued by the Company ("ADR"), will be responsible for indicating the dates and operational procedures for payment of the JCP to the holders of ADR. JCP will be charged to the amount of the mandatory minimum dividend related to the fiscal year ending December 31, 2017.

6. APPROVAL AND SIGNATURE OF THESE MINUTES: As there were no further matters to be addressed, the meeting was adjourned so that these minutes were drawn up. Then the meeting was resumed and these minutes were read and agreed to, having been undersigned by all attending persons. São Paulo, March 26th, 2018. Chairman: Mr. Jean-Charles Henri Naouri; Secretary: Mrs. Ana Paula Tarossi Silva. Members of the Board of Directors who were present: Messrs. Jean-Charles Henri Naouri, Arnaud Daniel Charles Walter Joachim Strasser, Carlos Mario Giraldo Moreno, Eleazar de Carvalho Filho, Jose Gabriel Loaiza Herrera, Luiz Augusto de Castro Neves, Luiz Aranha Corrêa do Lago, Luiz Nelson Guedes de Carvalho, Manfred Heinrich Gartz and Ronaldo Iabrudi dos Santos Pereira.

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: March 26, 2018

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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