

BRASIL TELECOM SA  
Form 6-K  
January 11, 2005

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**THROUGH JANUARY 10, 2005**

**(Commission File No. 1-15256)**

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**BRASIL TELECOM S.A.**

*(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)*

**BRAZIL TELECOM COMPANY**

*(Translation of Registrant's name into English)*

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**SIA Sul, Área de Serviços Públicos, Lote D, Bloco B  
Brasília, D.F., 71.215-000  
Federative Republic of Brazil**

*(Address of Registrant's principal executive offices)*

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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

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If "Yes" is marked, indicated below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):

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Free Translation

**BRASIL TELECOM S.A.**  
**ITEM 6.8 OF THE RULES OF DIFFERENTIATED PRACTICES OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**  
**RELATED PARTIES CONTRACTS<sup>(2)</sup>**  
**December 31, 2004<sup>(5)</sup>**

| OBJECT OF THE CONTRACT   | CONTRACTOR/CONTRACTED                                  | TERM        | AMOUNT<br>(R\$ THOUSAND) <sup>(1)</sup> | CONDITIONS<br>OF<br>RESCISSION | INFLUENCE<br>OF THE<br>CONTRACT <sup>(3)</sup> |
|--|--|-------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| Private Debenture  | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Jul/27/2006 | 972,006<br>(100% CDI <sup>(4)</sup> )   |                                |  |
| Remunerated guarantee<br><i>Consórcio Voa</i>                        | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Jun/27/2007 | 1,382<br>(0.12% p.a.)                   |                                |  |
| Non-remunerated guarantee<br>BNDES Loans 2000                        | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Dec/15/2007 | 1,386,680                               |                                |  |
| Remunerated guarantee<br>BNDES Loans 2002                            | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Dec/15/2007 | 153,495<br>(0.12% p.a.)                 |                                |  |
| Remunerated guarantee<br>FCO Loan                                    | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Jan/01/2008 | 15,586<br>(0.12% p.a.)                  |                                |  |
| Non-remunerated guarantee<br>Resolution 63                           | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Jul/31/2011 | 72,401                                  |                                |  |
| Inter-company Loan   | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Jul/01/2014 | 74,522<br>(US\$ + 1.75% p.a.)           |                                |  |
| Remunerated guarantee<br>BNDES Loans 2004                            | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Apr/15/2011 | 747,876<br>(0.42% p.a.)                 |                                |  |
| Remunerated guarantee<br>Public Debenture (3 <sup>rd</sup> Issuance) | Brasil Telecom S.A. /Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. | Jul/05/2009 | 541,706<br>(0.42% p.a.)                 |                                |  |

(1) In the cases of Private Debentures and Inter-company loan, the amount refers to the balance (principal + interest) and the debt cost is shown in brackets. In the guarantees contracts, the amount refers to the balance (principal + interest) and, in the case of remunerated guarantee, the remuneration is shown in brackets.

(2) The Company have to inform all contracts (independently of being only one or various contracts, having the same purposes or not) that reach, in a 1-year period, R\$200,000 or 1% of the Company's Shareholders Equity, whichever is higher.

(3) Should be filled up with explanations, whenever is the case, regarding the influence of the contract over the Company's management or its capacity or conducting the business, as pursuant to item 6.8.1 of the Rules of the Differentiated Practices of Corporate Governance.

(4) Domestic Interbank Rate.

(5) Non-audited data

**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: January 10, 2005

**BRASIL TELECOM S.A.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_ /s/ Carla Cico

Name: Carla Cico  
Title: President and Chief  
Executive Officer

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