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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 September, 2008 (Commission File No. 1-14862)
BRASKEM S.A. (Exact Name as Specified in its Charter)
N/A (Translation of registrant's name into English)
Rua Eteno, 1561, Polo Petroquimico de Camacari Camacari, Bahia - CEP 42810-000 Brazil (Address of principal executive offices)
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BRASKEM S.A. C.N.P.J No. 42.150.391/0001 -70 - NIRE 29300006939 MINUTES OF THE 549th MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

HELD ON SEPTEMBER 23, 2008

On September 23, 2008, at 2:00 (two) p.m., at the Company s offices located at Avenida das Nações Unidas, 4.777, in the City of São Paulo, State of São Paulo, CEP. 05477-000, the five hundred and forty-nineth (549th) Meeting of the Board of Directors of BRASKEM S.A., was held with the presence of the undersigned Board Members. Board Members Álvaro Pereira Novis and Francisco Teixeira de Sá justified their absences, and were replaced by their alternates Mr. Paulo Henyan Yue Cesena and Mr. Lúcio José Santos Júnior. The Company s Chief Executive Officer, Bernardo Gradin, and Officers Carlos Fadigas and Mauricio Ferro, as well as Messrs. Nelson Raso, Guilherme Furtado and Ms. Marcella Menezes Fagundes, were also present. The Chairman of the Board of Directors Mr. Marcelo Odebrecht presided the meeting and Ms. Marcella Menezes Fagundes acted as secretary. AGENDA: I) Subjects for Deliberation: The following deliberations were unanimously taken: PROPOSALS FOR **DELIBERATION** (**PD**) after proper analysis, all terms and conditions of the following PDs were **approved**, copies of which and the related documents were previously submitted to the Board Members and will remain filed at the Company s headquarters: 1) PD.CA/BAK 20/2008 Agreement for Storage of Products and Use of Ducts, to be entered into with Terminal Químico de Aratu S/A (Tequimar), so as to authorize the execution of the Agreement for Storage of Products and Use of Ducts to be entered into with Tequimar; 2) PD.CA/BAK-21/2008 Permanent **Support Committees of the Board of Directors of Braskem**, in compliance with the provisions in item f of article 26 of the Bylaws and with the Board Operating Regulations, which shall have the basic concepts, compositions, papers and responsibilities described in PD; 3) PD.CA/BAK-22/2008 2008 Long-Term Incentive Program (ILP) and Ratification of the ILP 2007 Program, which contemplates the terms of the ILP 2008 Program and ratifies approval of the ILP 2007 Program; 4) PD.CA/BAK-23/2008 Caustic Soda Supply Agreement between Braskem and Petróleo Brasileiro S/A (Petrobras), so as to authorize the execution of the Caustic Soda Supply Agreement with Petrobras; II) Subjects for Acknowledgment: The relevant Officers expounded on (i) the strategic direction of the Company Action Program Guidelines for the period from 2009 to 2015; and (ii) the Company s results up to August 2008. III) Subjects of Interest to the Company: Nothing to register. IV) Adjournment - As there were no further subjects to be discussed, these minutes were drawn up, which, after read, discussed and found to be in order, are signed by all of the Board Members present at the meeting, by the Chairman and by the Secretary of the Meeting. São Paulo/SP, September 23, 2008. [Signatures: Marcelo Bahia Odebrecht Chairman; Marcella Menezes Fagundes Secretary; Djalma Rodrigues de Souza; Alvaro Fernandes da Cunha Filho; Antonio Britto Filho; Edmundo José Correia Aires; Francisco Pais; José de Freitas Mascarenhas; José Mauro Mettrau C. da Cunha; Lúcio José Santos Júnior; Paulo Henyan Yue Cesena, and Newton Sergio de Souza].

The above matches the original recorded in the proper book.

Marcella Menezes Fagundes

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SIGNATURES

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: September 24, 2008

BRASKEM S.A.

By: /s/ Carlos José Fadigas de Souza Filho

Name: Carlos José Fadigas de Souza Filho

Title: Chief Financial Officer

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