

NATIONAL STEEL CO  
Form 6-K  
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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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, 2007**

**Commission File Number 1-14732**

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**COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**National Steel Company**

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

**Av. Brigadeiro Faria Lima 3400, 20º andar  
São Paulo, SP, Brazil  
04538-132**

(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports  
under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F  Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the 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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**EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF COMPANHIA SIDERURGICA NACIONAL S BOARD OF DIRECTORS, HELD ON APRIL 24 2007, AND DRAWN UP IN THE SUMMARY FORMAT.**

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CNPJ: 33.042.730/0001 -04

**1. Date:** April 24, 2007.

**2. Time:** 2:30 p.m.

**3. Place:** Av. Brigadeiro Faria Lima, 3.400, 20° andar, São Paulo, SP.

**4. Attendees:** Jacks Rabinovich (Chairman of the Meeting), Antonio Francisco dos Santos, Mauro Molchansky, Fernando Perrone, Dionísio Dias Carneiro Netto, Darc Antonio da Luz Costa, Yoshiaki Nakano and Claudia Maria Sarti (Secretary at the Board of Directors Meeting), being the meeting held through a conference call.

**6. Resolutions: 6.2 Reelection of the Chief Executive Officer** The Board of Directors approved, by unanimous vote, pursuant to article 17, item III, of the By-laws, the reelection of Mr. Benjamin Steinbruch, Brazilian citizen, married, industrial, bearer of the identity card n° 3.627.815 -4 issued by SSP/SP, bearer of the Taxpayer s ID n° 618.266.778 -87, domiciled at Av. Brigadeiro Faria Lima n° 3.400, 20° andar, in São Paulo, SP, as the Company s Chief Executive Officer with term of office of two years, counting as of this date. The Chief Executive Officer of the Company hereby declares that has not incurred in any crimes as provided in the paragraphs 1 and 2 of article 147 of Law 6,404, as of December 15, 1976.

I hereby certify that the resolution herein transcribed are a true copy of the minutes filed at the Companies Head Office.

COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL

Claudia Maria Sarti  
Secretary of the Meeting

**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 04, 2007

COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL

By:           /s/ Benjamin Steinbruch          

**Benjamin Steinbruch  
Chief Executive Officer and  
Acting Chief Financial  
Officer**

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