

TIM PARTICIPACOES SA
Form 6-K
August 08, 2012

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 August, 2012
Commission File Number 001-14491

TIM PARTICIPAÇÕES S.A.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Av. das Américas, 3434, Bloco 1, 7º andar Parte
22640-102 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

(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

TIM PARTICIPAÇÕES S.A.
Public-Held Company
CNPJ/MF N° 02.558.115/0001-21
NIRE 33 300 276 963

NOTICE TO THE MARKET

TIM Participações S.A. ("Company") (BOVESPA: TIMP3, and NYSE: TSU) vehemently denies that any dropped calls of its Infinity clients are motivated by deliberate action of the Company, as reported in an article published today (08/07) in the newspaper "Folha de Sao Paulo". The content of the report referred in this article comes from a regional office of Anatel and have already been analyzed by the technical staff of the regulator in Brasilia. At the time, were identified serious processing errors which affected the information presented and lead to wrong conclusions.

The Company reiterates that values the total transparency in its relationship with consumers and informs its consideration of this report have already been filed at Anatel and is available to the public.

Finally, the operator reaffirms its commitment to provide services of quality and continues with the implementation of the Improvement Action Plan, recently approved by Anatel, which provides among other actions, the expansion of the network capacity for voice and data.

Rio de Janeiro, August 7th, 2012.

Rogério Tostes
Investor Relations Officer

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.

TIM PARTICIPAÇÕES S.A.

Date: August 08 , 2012

By: /s/ Rogério Tostes

Name: Rogério Tostes

Title: IRO

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