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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 March 2015

Commission File Number 1-13758

PORTUGAL TELECOM, SGPS, S.A.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Av. Fontes Pereira de Melo, 40 1069 - 300 Lisboa, Portugal

(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.

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the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes o No x

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Appointment of External Auditor

Portugal Telecom, SGPS SA (PT SGPS) announces that its Audit Committee has approved the appointment of BDO & Associados - SROC, SA (BDO) to provide an integrated audit of the financial statements of PT SGPS for fiscal year 2014 to be included in the Form 20-F to be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and the corresponding statutory stand-alone and consolidated financial statements. This decision was communicated to BDO.

Portugal Telecom, SGPS SA	Public company	Portugal Telecom is listed on the Euronext and New York Stock	Luis Sousa de Macedo
Avenida Fontes Pereira de Melo, 40	Share capital Euro 26,895,375	Exchange. Information may be accessed on the Reuters under the symbols	Investor Relations Director
1069-300 Lisboa	Registered in the Commercial Registry Office of Lisbon	PTC.LS and PT and on Bloomberg under the symbol PTC PL.	pt-ir@telecom.pt
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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: March 16, 2015

PORTUGAL TELECOM, SGPS, S.A.

By: /s/ Luis Sousa de Macedo

Luis Sousa de Macedo Investor Relations Director

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