

NATIONAL STEEL CO
Form 6-K
September 29, 2009

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, 2009

Commission File Number 1-14732

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

NOTICE TO THE MARKET
COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL

Publicly-held Company

Rua São José nº 20, Grupo 1602, parte

Rio de Janeiro/RJ

Corporate Taxpayers ID (CNPJ) 33.042.730/0001 -04

In view of information recently released by the press, Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional (CSN) informs that it is constantly analyzing business opportunities and corporate alternatives that may add value to its businesses.

In this sense, CSN's management is currently considering the possibility of segregating some of its mining and logistics assets into separate subsidiaries, which could in the future result in an initial public offering or in partnerships with third parties. However, no decision has yet been taken on such matter.

Consistent with its commitment to value creation, CSN will base any decision on the best interests of the Company and its shareholders, taking into consideration ongoing global financial and capital market conditions.

Should any new fact occur or should CSN's management take a decision on the matter, this information will be immediately disclosed to the market in accordance with the law.

Rio de Janeiro, September 28, 2009

Paulo Penido Pinto Marques
Investor Relations Executive Officer

