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Report of Foreign Private Issuer
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Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of March, 2015

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PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A. - PETROBRAS

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Brazilian Petroleum Corporation - PETROBRAS

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

**Avenida República do Chile, 65
20031-912 - Rio de Janeiro, RJ
Federative Republic of 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

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Yes No

Libra Consortium completes the drilling of the second appraisal well

Rio de Janeiro, March 24, 2015 – Petróleo Brasileiro S.A. – Petrobras informs that the Libra consortium has completed the drilling of the extension well 3-BRSA-1267-RJS/3-BRSA-1267A-RJS (3-RJS-735/735A). The drilling results have confirmed the presence of a hydrocarbon-bearing column of approximately 200 meters of good reservoir characteristics.

Informally known as C1, the well is located in the crest of the central area of the Libra block, in Santos Basin, about 220 km off the coast of Rio de Janeiro city.

The final depth reached was 5,780 meters, with 2,160 meters of water depth. This is the second successful well drilled by the Libra Consortium and it is located 18 km from the first well, 3-RJS-731.

A full suite of logs was acquired. Fluid samples containing hydrocarbons and CO₂ were taken and are undergoing detailed analysis in the laboratory.

The consortium will continue with the exploratory plan and will drill new wells to evaluate the Libra area which encompasses 1,550 sq. km.

The Libra consortium is composed of Petrobras (operator, with 40%), Shell (20%), Total (20%), CNPC (10%) and CNOOC (10%), also with the state company Pré-Sal Petróleo S.A. (PPSA) as contract manager.

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