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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM F-6 REGISTRATION STATEMENT under

THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

For Depositary Shares Evidenced by American Depositary Receipts

CRESUD S.A.C.I.F. Y A.

(Exact name of issuer of deposited securities as specified in its charter) N.A.

> (Translation of issuer's name into English) ARGENTINE REPUBLIC

(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization of issuer)

THE BANK OF NEW YORK

(Exact name of depositary as specified in its charter) One Wall Street, New York, N.Y. 10286

Telephone (212) 495-1784

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of depositary's principal executive offices)

The Bank of New York ADR Division One Wall Street, 29th Floor New York, NY 10286 Telephone (212) -495-1784

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

It is proposed that this filing become effective under Rule 466 |X| immediately upon filing |_| on (Date) at (Time)

If a separate statement has been filed to register the deposited shares, check the following box. |_|

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

______ Amount Proposed maximum Proposed maximum Title of each class of to be Aggregate price aggregate Securities to be registered registered per unit (1) offering price (1)

American Depositary Shares evidenced 50,000,000 \$.05 \$2,500,000

by American Depositary Receipts, each American

American Depositary Share evidencing Depositary

ten common stock of Cresud S.A.C.I.F. y A. Shares

(1) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee. Pursuant to Rule 457(k), such estimate is computed on the basis of the maximum aggregate fees or charges to be imposed in connection with the issuance of American Depositary Receipts evidencing American Depositary Shares.

As permitted by Rule 429 under the Securities Act of 1933, the Prospectus included in this Registration Statement also relates to the Depositary Shares registered under Registration Statement on Form F-6 (No. 333-6546) previously filed by the registrant.

The Prospectus consists of the proposed form of American Depositary Receipt included as Exhibit A to the form of Deposit Agreement filed as Exhibit (1) to this Registration Statement, which is incorporated herein by reference.

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PART I

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

Item 1. Description of the Securities to be Registered

Item Number and Caption

(1)

(2)

CROSS REFERENCE SHEET

Location in Form of

American Depositary Receipt

			Filed Herewith as Prospectus	
)	Name and	address of Depositary	Introductory Paragraph	
)		American Depositary Receipts tity of deposited securities	Face of American Depositary Receipt, top center	
	Terms of Deposit:			
	(i)	The amount of deposited securities represented by one unit of American Depositary Shares	1 1	
	(ii)	The procedure for voting, if any, the deposited securities	Paragraphs (15) and (16)	
	(iii)	The collection and distribution of dividends	Paragraphs (12), (14) and (15)	
	(iv)	The transmission of notices,	Paragraphs (11), (15) and	

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		reports and proxy soliciting material	(16)			
	(v)	The sale or exercise of rights	Paragraph (13)			
	(vi)	The deposit or sale of securities resulting from dividends, splits or plans of reorganization	Paragraphs (12) and (17)			
		Amendment, extension or termination of the Deposit Agreement	Paragraphs (20) and (21)			
inspect the Depositary		Rights of holders of receipts to inspect the transfer books of the Depositary and the list of holders of receipts	Paragraph (11)			
	(ix)	Restrictions upon the right to deposit or withdraw the underlying securities	Paragraphs (2), (3), (4), (5), (6) and (8)			
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	(x)	Limitation upon the liability of the Depositary	Paragraphs (13) and (18)			
(3)	(3) Fees and Charges		Paragraph (7)			
Item 2. Available Information						
	Item Number and Caption		Location in Form of American Depositary Receipt Filed Herewith as Prospectus			
2(a)	(a) Statement that Cresud S.A.C.I.F. y A. is Paragraph (11) subject to the periodic reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and, accordingly, files certain reports with the Commission — and that such reports can be inspected by holders of American Depositary Receipts and copied at public reference facilities maintained by the Commission in Washington, D.C.					
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PART II

INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

Item 3. Exhibits

 * (1) Form of Deposit Agreement (including the form of American Depositary Receipt), dated as of March 18, 1997, among Cresud S.A.C.I.F. y A. (the

- "Issuer"), The Bank of New York, as Depositary (the "Depositary"), and each Owner and holder from time to time of American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs") issued thereunder.
- \star (2) Form of Letter from the Depositary to the Issuer, relating to the Pre-release of American Depositary Receipts.
- (4) Opinion of Emmet, Marvin & Martin, LLP, counsel for the Depositary, as to the legality of the securities being registered.
 - (5) Certification under Rule 466.

Item 4. Undertakings

- (a) The Depositary hereby undertakes to make available at the principal office of the Depositary in the United States, for inspection by holders of the ADRs, any reports and communications received from the Issuer which are both (1) received by the Depositary as the holder of the deposited securities and (2) made generally available to the holders of the underlying securities by the Issuer.
- (b) The Depositary hereby undertakes to notify each registered holder of an ADR at least thirty days before any change in the fee schedule.
- * Incorporated by reference to Form F-6 Registration Statement No. 333-6546 filed by the Registrant with the Commission

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, The Bank of New York, on behalf of the legal entity created by the Deposit Agreement, dated as of March 18, 1997, among Cresud S.A.C.I.F. y A., The Bank of New York, as Depositary, and each Owner and holder of an American Depositary Receipt issued thereunder certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that all the requirements for filing on Form F-6 are met and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in The City of New York, State of New York, on May 31, 2006.

By: THE BANK OF NEW YORK, as Depositary

By: /s/ Allen R. Murray

Name: Allen R. Murray Title: Managing Director

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Cresud S.A.C.I.F. y A. has caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized in Argentina on May 30, 2006.

Cresud S.A.C.I.F. y A.

By: /s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain

Name: Eduardo S. Elsztain

Title: Chairman

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed by or on behalf of the following persons in the capacities indicated on May 30, 2006.

Name	Title	
/s/ Eduardo S. Elsztain	Chairman	
Eduardo S. Elsztain		
/s/ Alejandro G. Elsztain	Second Vice Chairman of the Board & CEO (Principal Executive Officer)	
Alejandro G. Elsztain		
/s/ Gabriel Blasi	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	
Gabriel Blasi		
/s/ Davie Perednik	Director and Chief Administrative Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	
David Perednik		
/s/ Saul Zang	First Vice Chairman of the Board & Director	
Saul Zang		
/s/ Fernando A. Elsztain	Director	
Fernando A. Elsztain		
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	Director	
Clarisa Diana Lifsic		
	Director	
Gabriel Adolfo Gregorio Reznik		
	Director	
Jorge Oscar Fernandez		
	Director	
Susan Segal		
/s/ Donald J. Puglisi	Authorized Representative in the United States	
Donald J. Puglisi		

Managing Director Puglisi & Associates

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