

TELEFONICA S A  
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May 16, 2006

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

**Report of Foreign Private Issuer**

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16  
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of May, 2006

Commission File Number: 001-09531

**Telefónica, S.A.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Gran Vía, 28**

28013 Madrid, Spain

3491-459-3050

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes No X

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Telefónica, S.A., as provided in article 82 of the Spanish Stock Market Act (*Ley del Mercado de Valores*), hereby reports the following:

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In answer to the requirement of the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (*Comisión Nacional del Mercado de Valores- CNMV*), we enclose to this document the "fairness opinion" of Credit Suisse Securites (Europe) Limited addressed to the Board of Directors of Telefónica, S.A. on the proposed merger of Telefónica, S.A. and Telefónica Móviles, S.A.

Madrid, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2006

SIGNATURES

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.

				<b>Telefónica, S.A.</b>	
Date:	May 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2006		By:	/s/ Ramiro Sánchez de Lerín García- Ovies	
				Name:	Ramiro Sánchez de Lerín García- Ovies
				Title:	General Secretary and Secretary to the Board of Directors