

ARACRUZ CELLULOSE S A  
Form 6-K  
December 21, 2005

**FORM 6-K**

**U.S. 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**

dated December 21, 2005

Commission File Number 001-11005

**ARACRUZ CELULOSE S.A.**

(Exact Name as Specified in its Charter)

ARACRUZ CELLULOSE S.A.

(Translation of Registrant's Name)

Rua Lauro Muller, 116 4<sup>th</sup> floor, Botafogo

Rio de Janeiro, RJ, 22299-900, Brazil

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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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.

Date: December 21, 2005

ARACRUZ CELULOSE S.A.

By: /s/ Carlos Augusto Lira Aguiar

Name: Carlos Augusto Lira Aguiar

Title: Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description of Exhibit</u>
99.1.	Declaration and Payment of Interest on Shareholders' Equity, December 20, 2005
99.2	Minutes of Executive Board Meeting, December 20, 2005
99.3	Notice to the Shareholders, December 20, 2005