



Fato Relevante

Vale informa sobre a criação do Comitê de Resposta à Crise

A Vale S.A. ("Vale") informa que em função do rompimento da Barragem I da Mina do Córrego do Feijão, em Brumadinho (MG), a Diretoria Executiva da Vale instituiu o Comitê de Resposta à Crise ("CRC"), composto por membros independentes às operações da mina do Córrego do Feijão. Para assegurar a isenção das atividades do CRC, indivíduos com qualquer conexão com a gestão das operações de Brumadinho e/ou barragem foram afastados do processo de apuração de informações.

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Vale informs on the creation of Crisis Response Committee

Vale S.A. ("Vale") informs that, as a result of the Dam I breach at the Córrego de Feijão mine, in Brumadinho (MG, Brazil), the Vale's Executive Directors established the Crisis Response Committee ("CRC"), composed by independent members that are unrelated to the Córrego de Feijão mine operations. To ensure that the initiatives by the committee (CRC) are unbiased, individuals with any connections whatsoever to the management of the Brumadinho operations and/or tailings dam were not included in the committee.

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