



Vale informs on Itabira complex

Rio de Janeiro, May 29th, 2020 – Vale S.A. (“Vale”) informs that it was made aware of the Term of Interdiction, issued by the Regional Labor Superintendence and immediately filed an annulment action with an injunction request, which was granted by the judge of the 2nd Court of Itabira, determining the continuity of all Vale's activities in the Itabira Complex.

Ever since the Covid-19 outbreak began, our highest priority is the health and safety of our employees. Our IR team adopted work-from home, and as we continue to face these new circumstances, we strongly recommend you prioritize e-mail and online.

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