

Vale informs on Stability Condition Declarations

Rio de Janeiro, April 1st, 2021 - Vale SA ("Vale" or "Company") informs, in view of the semiannual submission to the National Mining Agency of the Regular Safety Inspection Reports related to the Company's dams, those covered by the National Dam Safety Policy, pursuant to Ordinance 70389 DNPM/ANM, that it updated its information to the agency on March 31, 2021. Information on the structures and on the evolution of Vale's dam control and management practices, including ongoing measures to improve the safety conditions of the structures, is available on Vale's ESG Portal. For further details on the aforesaid update, visit http://www.vale.com/esg/en/Pages/ControlManagementDams.aspx.

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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 engagement.

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