

Vale updates on Forquilha III Dam

Rio de Janeiro, April 12, 2024 – Following the press releases dated April 5 and 10, 2024, Vale S.A. ("Vale" or the "Company") informs that it has implemented the actions to correct the anomaly previously identified in one of the Forquilha III dam's spillways, located at the Fábrica Mine in Ouro Preto, MG. In line with the plan presented to the auditing company that advises the Minas Gerais Public Prosecutor's Office and to other authorities, the spillway's drainage function was restored, eliminating solids carryover. The National Mining Agency's representatives ("ANM") inspected the spillway and certified the operation execution. The company reaffirms that it will continue to monitor the structure and the implemented solution's effectiveness while making every effort to advance with the Forquilha III dam decharacterization and emergency level reduction.

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