

Vale announces cash tender offers for notes due 2034, 2039 and 2036

Rio de Janeiro, February 24, 2025 – Vale Overseas Limited (“Vale Overseas” or “Offeror”), a wholly owned subsidiary of Vale S.A. (“Vale”), announces the commencement of offers to purchase for cash (the “Offers”) up to US\$450,000,000 in aggregate principal amount (the “Maximum Principal Amount”), excluding any premium and accrued and unpaid interest, of the outstanding notes issued by it of the series set forth in the table below under the heading “Notes” (all such notes, the “Notes,” and each a “series” of Notes).

The Offers are made upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the offer to purchase dated February 24, 2025 (the “Offer to Purchase”). The Offers are not contingent upon the tender of any minimum principal amount of Notes, but the Offeror will only purchase Notes up to the Maximum Principal Amount (unless the Offeror, at its own discretion, elect to increase the Maximum Principal Amount at any time on or prior to the Expiration Date).

The Offers are conditioned upon the satisfaction of certain conditions, including the consummation of an offering of debt securities of Vale Overseas, guaranteed by Vale, on terms that are satisfactory to Vale, in its sole discretion.

Notes

Title of Security	CUSIP / ISIN Nos.	Principal Amount Outstanding	Acceptance Priority Level	Reference U.S. Treasury Security	Bloomberg Reference Page ⁽¹⁾	Fixed Spread ⁽²⁾	Early Tender Payment ⁽³⁾
8.250% Guaranteed Notes due 2034	CUSIP: 91911TAE3 ISIN: US91911TAE38	US\$438,337,000	1	4.625% due February 15, 2035	FIT1	+121 bps	US\$50.00
6.875% Guaranteed Notes due 2039	CUSIP: 91911TAK9 ISIN: US91911TAK97	US\$1,061,600,000	2	4.625% due February 15, 2035	FIT1	+148 bps	US\$50.00
6.875% Guaranteed Notes due 2036	CUSIP: 91911TAH6 ISIN: US91911TAH68	US\$916,425,000	3	4.625% due February 15, 2035	FIT1	+141 bps	US\$50.00

⁽¹⁾ The applicable page on Bloomberg from which the Dealer Managers (as defined below) will quote the bid side price of the Reference U.S. Treasury Security.

⁽²⁾ Inclusive of Early Tender Payment.

⁽³⁾ Per US\$1,000 aggregate principal amount of the respective series of Notes validly tendered and not validly withdrawn on or prior to the Early Tender Date (as defined below) and accepted for purchase. The Total Consideration for Notes validly tendered and not validly withdrawn on or prior to the Early Tender Date is calculated using the applicable Fixed Spread and is inclusive of the Early Tender Payment (as defined below).

Indicative Timetable for the Offers:

Commencement of the Offers	February 24, 2025
Price Determination Date	11:00 a.m., New York City time, on March 7, 2025, unless extended or earlier terminated by the Offeror in its sole discretion.
Early Tender Date	5:00 p.m., New York City time, on March 7, 2025, unless extended by the Offeror in its sole discretion.
Withdrawal Date	5:00 p.m., New York City time, on March 7, 2025, unless extended by the Offeror in its sole discretion.
Early Settlement Date	If elected, promptly after the Early Tender Date. Expected to be on March 12, 2025, but subject to change.
Expiration Date	5:00 p.m., New York City time, on March 24, 2025, unless extended by the Offeror in its sole discretion.
Final Settlement Date	Promptly after the Expiration Date. Expected to be March 26, 2025, but subject to change.

The Offers will expire at 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on March 24, 2025, unless earlier terminated by the Offeror (such time and date, as the same may be extended, the “Expiration Date”). Holders of Notes who validly tender and do not validly withdraw their Notes on or prior to 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on March 7, 2025, unless extended (such time and date, as they may be extended, the “Early Tender Date”), will be eligible to receive the Total Consideration (as defined in the Offer to Purchase), which is inclusive of an early tender premium of US\$50.00 in cash per US\$1,000.00 principal amount of Notes validly tendered and not validly withdrawn on or prior to the Early Tender Date and accepted for purchase (the “Early Tender Payment”). Validly tendered Notes may be withdrawn in accordance with the terms of the Offers, at any time prior to 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on March 7, 2025, unless extended, but not thereafter, except as described in the Offer to Purchase or as required by applicable

law. The Total Consideration is expected to be paid on the Early Settlement Date, which is expected to occur on March 12, 2025. Holders who validly tender their Notes after the Early Tender Date, but on or prior to the Expiration Date, will be eligible to receive the Tender Consideration (as defined in the Offer to Purchase). The Tender Consideration is expected to be paid on the Final Settlement Date, which is expected to occur on March 26, 2025.

The Total Consideration payable per US\$1,000 principal amount of each series of Notes validly tendered and accepted for purchase pursuant to the Offers will be determined in the manner described in the Offer to Purchase by reference to the applicable fixed spread for such Notes specified in the table above plus the applicable yield based on the bid-side price of the applicable U.S. Treasury Reference Security specified in the table above at 11:00 a.m., New York City time, on the Price Determination Date, as applicable, (each as defined in the Offer to Purchase). The applicable "Tender Consideration" is equal to the applicable Total Consideration *minus* the applicable Early Tender Payment.

The Notes will be accepted in accordance with their Acceptance Priority Levels (as defined in the Offer to Purchase), subject to the Maximum Principal Amount. In all cases, subject to the terms and conditions of the Offers, if the purchase of all Notes validly tendered in the Offers would cause the Offeror to purchase an aggregate principal amount of Notes in excess of the Maximum Principal Amount, the Offeror will prorate the Notes accepted in the Offers in accordance with the Acceptance Priority Procedures, as described in the Offer to Purchase. The Offeror expressly reserves its right, in its sole discretion and subject to applicable law, to increase the Maximum Principal Amount without extending withdrawal rights.

In addition to the Total Consideration or the Tender Consideration, as applicable, holders whose Notes are validly tendered and accepted for purchase pursuant to the Offers will be paid any accrued and unpaid interest on the Notes from, and including, the last applicable interest payment date to, but not including, the applicable settlement date. For the avoidance of doubt, accrued and unpaid interest on the Notes validly tendered and accepted for purchase will cease to accrue on the applicable settlement date.

Additional Information

Vale has retained BMO Capital Markets Corp., BofA Securities, Inc., Credit Agricole Securities (USA) Inc., HSBC Securities (USA) Inc. and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC to serve as dealer managers ("Dealer Managers") and D.F. King & Co., Inc. to serve as tender and information agent for the Offers ("D.F. King"). The Offer to Purchase and any related supplements are available at the D.F. King website at www.dfking.com/vale. The full details of the Offers, including complete instructions on how to tender Notes, are included in the Offer to Purchase. Holders of Notes are strongly encouraged to carefully read the Offer to Purchase, including materials incorporated by reference therein, because they will contain important information. Requests for the Offer to Purchase and any related supplements may also be directed to D.F. King by telephone at +1 (212) 269-5550 or +1 (800) 714-3310 (US toll free) or in writing at vale@dfking.com. Questions about the Offers may be directed to BMO Capital Markets Corp. by telephone at +1 (212) 702-1840 (collect) or +1 (833) 418-0762 (US toll free), BofA Securities, Inc. by telephone at +1 (646) 855-8988 (collect) or +1 (888) 292-0070 (US toll free), Credit Agricole Securities (USA) Inc. by telephone at +1 (212) 261-7802 (collect) or +1 (866) 807-6030 (US toll free), HSBC Securities (USA) Inc. by telephone at +1 (212) 525-5552 (collect) or +1 (888) HSBC-4LM (US toll free), or J.P. Morgan Securities LLC by telephone at +1 (212) 834-3554 (collect) or +1 (866) 834-4666 (US toll free).

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