Press Release



Vale clarifies on sale of stake in Aliança Energia

Rio de Janeiro, February 14th, 2025 – In attention to the news article published¹ on the sale of a stake in Aliança Geração de Energia S.A. ("Aliança Energia"), Vale S.A. ("Vale" or "Company) clarifies that it is assessing the potential divestment of a 70%-stake in Aliança Energia, including the energy assets Sol do Cerrado and Consórcio Candonga, present in the Company's portfolio, to Global Infrastructure Partners ("GIP"). Vale informs that there is no binding agreement signed about the sale and that any decision in this regard will be made in compliance with the Company's policies and governance rules. Vale reinforces that it will continue to keep the market informed in a timely manner of any material fact regarding its business.

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¹With the tittle 'Vale advances in negotiations with GIP for sale of Aliança and Sol do Cerrado, sources say', published by the Reuters news agency, available <u>here</u>.