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Securities and Exchange Commission

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FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16

of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of

December 2016

Vale S.A.

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Press Release

Vale obtains operating license for the S11D project

Rio de Janeiro, December 9, 2016 Vale S.A. (Vale) informs that it obtained the operating license (LO) for the S11D mine and plant, issued by the Instituto Brasileiro do Meio Ambiente e dos Recursos Naturais Renováveis (IBAMA).

The S11D mine and plant achieved physical progress of 96% as of October 30th, 2016 and the hot commissioning is progressing well. A 110 wagon train was loaded with approximately 10,000 tons of product. S11D start-up is expected for the end of 2016 with the first commercial shipment in January 2017.

The LO for the S11D mine and plant is an important milestone to consolidate Vale's position as the lowest C1 cash cost producer in the industry.

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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Vale S.A.
(Registrant)

By:

/s/ André Figueiredo
Director of Investor Relations

Date: December 09, 2016