
CEMIG ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Given the dimension of the performance of Companhia Energética de Minas Gerais – CEMIG in the supply of electricity efficiently and sustainably to Brazilians, the Company undertakes to protect the environment and its natural resources, to act with social responsibility and to adopt better governance practices. Cemig integrates environmental issues in its decision-making process in all projects, processes and activities related to expansion (due diligence of new businesses, mergers and acquisitions), operation and maintenance of assets, performance of services and partnerships.

1.2 Respect for the environment must be practiced by all those who work at the Company and those who act on its behalf, including suppliers and service providers. In addition, sustainability is a value practiced by Cemig, which aims to supply safe, clean and reliable energy, contributing to economic and social development. Therefore, Cemig's Environmental Policy defines the principles that guide its activities in all dimensions, aligned with the principles of the United Nations – UN Global Compact, to collaborate to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals, mainly SDG 6 (drinking water and sanitation); SDG 7 (clean and affordable energy), SDG 12 (ensuring sustainable production and consumption patterns); SDG 13 (action against global climate change) and SDG 15 (terrestrial life).

2. APPLICATION

2.1 This Policy applies to Cemig, Cemig Geração e Transmissão S.A. – Cemig GT, Cemig Distribuição S.A. – Cemig D and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. It serves as guidance for all companies in which Cemig holds equity interests.

3. PRINCIPLES

3.1 Balance

a) Balance economic and social development with environmental responsibility, biodiversity conservation, sustainable use of natural resources, waste management and mitigation and adaptation to climate change, considering the assessment of risks and opportunities in their decisions, as well as NO-02.17: Cemig's Biodiversity Policy and NO-02.25: Cemig's Water Resources Policy.

3.2 Management

a) Promote dialogue between the Company's areas regarding environmental issues, aiming to provide consistent support to the decision-making process and establishing specific internal procedures.

b) Implement and improve environmental management systems based on national standards.

c) Manage environmental risks, promote initiatives and adopt technologies that promote the reduction of waste generation, water consumption and pollutant emissions, with the establishment of goals and indicators to assess environmental performance.

3.3 Compliance with legal requirements

a) Ensure compliance with environmental regulations and other requirements, and, where necessary, supplement them with their own requirements.

3.4 Application of the mitigation hierarchy approach

a) Prevent, mitigate, rehabilitate/restore and compensate for the environmental impacts of its activities, establishing appropriate measures aiming at environmental conservation.

3.5 Commitment to continuous improvement

a) Continuously improve environmental performance, establishing objectives and goals, the application of technologies in the production, transmission and distribution of electricity, the optimization of processes, seeking to minimize environmental impacts, to achieve, in the long term, the neutral environmental impact.

b) Encourage studies and research that correlate the themes of energy, environment and social responsibility.

3.6 Environmental communication and education

a) Guide environmental communication, according to the guidelines established by NO-02.14 - Cemig's Communication Policy and Spokesperson, dialoguing transparently with stakeholders and contributing to the formation of a critical awareness concerning environmental issues, as well as by NO-02.15 - Cemig's Communication Policy with the Community, effectively considering the opinions, expectations and priorities of this specific public.

b) Promote training and communication and education actions related to environmental issues, directed to the internal and external public, aiming at raising awareness and awareness for environmental protection, as well as working in cooperation with authorities, institutions and associations.

3.7 External partnerships

a) Establish partnerships and participate in initiatives, committees and associations that promote environmental protection and the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

3.8 Climate change and energy transition

a) Adopt the commitment to tackle climate change and greenhouse gas emissions, offset deforestation, foster investments in clean energy, smart grid, energy efficiency and electric mobility.

3.9 Sustainable products and services

a) Adopt environmental criteria during the execution of its activities of production, transmission and distribution of electricity and act to develop more sustainable products and services for its clients.

b) Establish environmental criteria in its suppliers' and service providers' registration and contracts.

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