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**To the attention of:** FIDH and the organizations that have signed the letter sent to BNP Paribas related to the Mina do Feijao dam disaster on 25 January 2019, in Brumadinho, Brazil

Dear Madam, dear Sir,

We have received your letter dated February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and we take your request with the highest consideration.

We would like first to express our sympathy to all the people impacted by this tragic accident and we profoundly deplore the environmental and human damage.  
We fully understand your concerns and we share them.

That's why, as soon as we have been aware of the Mina do Feijao dam disaster on 25 January 2019, in Brumadinho, we have started an open dialogue with our client Vale and we will share with them the requests you mention in your letter.

We will also closely monitor the updates and progress made regarding the remediation of social and environmental impacts of the Brumadinho accident, as well as the decommissioning process of the remaining upstream dams.

We will keep you informed of any major development.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'L. Pessez', written over a light blue horizontal line.

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