

Vale S.A.  
Form 6-K  
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**United States**  
**Securities and Exchange Commission**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**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**

**April**

**April 2017**

**Vale S.A.**

**Avenida das Américas, No. 700 Bloco 8, Sala 218  
22640-100 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil**

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(Address of principal executive office)

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*Press Release*

**Vale pays dividend to shareholders**

Rio de Janeiro, April 20th, 2017 Vale S.A. (Vale) informs that at the Annual General Shareholders Meeting held today, was approved the payment of shareholder remuneration for the year of 2016.

**Form of payment**

Payment of the dividend will be made as follows:

1. Distribution of R\$ 4,666,750,435.04 equivalent to R\$ 0.905571689 per outstanding common or preferred share, based on the number of shares on April 19th, 2017 (5,153,374,926), being in the form of interest on equity.
2. Record date for the owners of Vale shares traded on the BM&F Bovespa will be on April 20th, 2017 and for holders of American Depositary Receipts (ADRs) traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and Euronext Paris will be on April 26th, 2017.
3. Holders of ADRs will receive the payment through Citibank N.A., the depository agent for ADRs, on May 5th, 2017.
4. Vale's shares will start trading ex-dividends on the BM&F Bovespa, NYSE and Euronext Paris as of April 24th, 2017.

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Including the first tranche paid out on December 16th, 2016, in the amount of R\$ 856,975,000.00, Vale's total gross payment to its shareholders is R\$ 5,523,725.435.04, based on the results of the 2016 financial year.

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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)

Date: April 20, 2017

By: /s/ André Figueiredo  
Director of Investor Relations