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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 2019**

**Vale S.A.**

**Praia de Botafogo n° 186, 18° andar, Botafogo  
22250-145 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil**

(Address of principal executive office)

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**Vale clarifies on severance payments of its executives**

Rio de Janeiro, April 1st, 2019 – Vale S.A. ( Vale ), in view of incorrect news recently published in the Brazilian press about the severance payments of its executives, ratifies the proposal for the management's overall remuneration for 2019 to be resolved at the next General Shareholder Meeting ( GSM ), which will be held in April 30th, 2019.

According to the material of the GSM notice, published on March 28th, 2019, the amount to be resolved contemplates the budget forecast of R\$ 21,999,445.33 for the entire Severance expenditure item. This figure includes termination payments of executives who left the company in 2017 and 2018. Therefore, there is no provision for severance payments for dismissed executives in 2019, nor is there any ongoing discussion on the issue.

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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: April 1st, 2019