

# COMPANHIA ENERGÉTICA DE MINAS GERAIS – CEMIG

LISTED COMPANY  
CNPJ 17.155.730/0001-64  
NIRE 31300040127

## MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT

**Cemig** (Companhia Energética de Minas Gerais), a listed company with securities traded on the stock exchanges of São Paulo, New York and Madrid, in accordance with CVM Instruction 358 of January 3, 2002, as amended, hereby publicly informs the Brazilian Securities Commission (CVM), the São Paulo Stock, Commodities and Futures Exchange (BM&F Bovespa S.A.) and the market in general, as follows:

**Transmissora Aliança de Energia Elétrica S.A. (“Taesa”)**, an affiliated company of Cemig, is at an advanced stage of negotiations with **Abengoa Concessões Brasil Holding S.A.** for acquisition of the remaining 50% of the shares held by **Abengoa in União de Transmissoras de Energia Elétrica S.A. (UNISA)**, which in turn owns 99.99% of the share capital of the following transmission companies:

**STE Sul** Transmissora de Energia S.A.,  
**ATE** Transmissora de Energia S.A.,  
**ATE II** Transmissora de Energia S.A., and  
**ATE III** Transmissora de Energia S.A.

Cemig will keep its stockholders and the market opportunely and appropriately informed on the progress of this transaction.

Belo Horizonte, March 16, 2012.

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