STATEMENT OF CLARIFICATION ON RELOCATION OF JARDIM INDEPENDENTE I RESIDENTS

Regarding the relocation of residents from the Jardim Independente I neighborhood, Norte Energy once again publicly reiterates the following clarifications:

a) During 2016 and 2017, Ibama attributed responsibility to Norte Energia for the flooding of stilt houses located along the lake of said neighborhood, due to the filling of the Belo Monte HPP reservoir;

b) Norte Energia provided technical proof to said environmental agency, accompanied by the National Water Agency (ANA), that the constitution of the Hydroelectric Plant’s reservoir did not impact the flow level of the Jardim Independente I lake. As such, the agency could not attribute the responsibility for the respective obligation to provide relocation of the families residing there to the Company;

c) When approached by Ibama, Norte Energia agreed to assume relocation of the 496 families residing in stilt homes and 102 families residing in 82 buildings on dry land in the Jardim Independente I neighborhood, wherein such numbers were defined along with the environmental agency from the Registration conducted in the neighborhood, provided that the City of Altamira would definitively undertake the improvements made by the Company in compliance with the conditions of the Belo Monte HPP environmental license;

d) Such improvements include the sanitation system (water and sewer), beaches and healthcare and education projects conducted in the city of Altamira;

e) This negotiation resulted in the elaboration of a Statement of Commitment signed between Norte Energia, the City of Altamira and Ibama;

f) As such, Norte Energia, despite its lack of responsibility for the referred relocation, undertook the commitment for its execution in the manner established by the Statement of Commitment mentioned herein, which,
as previously stated, established the number of families that would benefit from the relocation;

g) Finally, Norte Energia reaffirms its position that its commitments have been fulfilled, as explicitly defined in said Statement of Commitment.