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Form 6-K  
May 23, 2007

**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**

**May 2007**

**Companhia Vale do Rio Doce**

Avenida Graça Aranha, No. 26  
20030-900 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil  
(Address of principal executive office)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.)

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**CVRD files Form 20F annual report**

Rio de Janeiro, May 22, 2007 Companhia Vale do Rio Doce (CVRD) announces that its Form 20F 2006 annual report has been filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and is available on CVRD's website, [www.cvrd.com.br](http://www.cvrd.com.br), Investor Relations section.

Investors can receive free of charge a printed copy of the report by requesting it from our ADR depository agent JPMorgan, phone number +1 800 990 1135, for enquiries from the United States, or +1 201 680 6630, for enquiries from outside the United States.

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This press release may contain statements that express management's expectations about future events or results rather than historical facts. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in forward-looking statements, and CVRD cannot give assurance that such statements will prove correct. These risks and uncertainties include factors: relating to the Brazilian and Canadian economy and securities markets, which exhibit volatility and can be adversely affected by developments in other countries; relating to the iron ore and nickel business and its dependence on the global steel industry, which is cyclical in nature; and relating to the highly competitive industries in which CVRD operates. For additional information on factors that could cause CVRD's actual results to differ from expectations reflected in forward-looking statements, please see CVRD's reports filed with the Brazilian Comissão de Valores Mobiliários and the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

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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.

Date: May 22, 2007

COMPANHIA VALE DO RIO  
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(Registrant)

By: /s/ Roberto Castello Branco

Roberto Castello Branco  
Director of Investor  
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