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## This annual report reassures inpEV's commitment towards transparency in its accountability towards society

The 2013 Sustainability Report consolidates inpEV's performance regarding economic, environmental and social aspects, from January 1st to December 31st. This current edition includes 21 performance indicators, defined by the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) guidelines, version 3.1, one of the main references worldwide for the elaboration of corporate reports, the same adopted in 2012. <3.1, 3.2, 3.3 & 3.9>

In this report, inpEV confirms once again its commitment towards maintaining transparency by means of its leadership and collaborators when dialoging with different audiences. The information herein is intended for all of society, authorities and representatives from other sectors of the economy, besides emissaries from countries interested in learning about the differentials and conquests that have made the Campo Limpo System (SCL) an international reference in reverse logistics.

The economic and financial indicators were ascertained in accordance with the Brazilian accounting principles, and were analyzed by an independent external auditor. Furthermore, the collection of socio-environmental data, which contemplate the administrative activities done at the headquarters and the actions developed under the scope of the SCL, were consolidated internally, with the involvement of all areas of inpEV, and were not submitted to external auditors for analysis and validation. <3.6, 3.7, 3.8, 3.9 & 3.13>

All of inpEV's structured areas were involved in the elaboration of this report, which contents was defined by the institute with the purpose of meeting, to the extent possible, the requirements of different stakeholders. Comparability with the previous edition (2012) is ensured, since minor changes are described in the text itself or in explanatory notes, <3.5 & 3.10>

## **Topics relevance test** <3.5, 4.15 & 4.17>

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inpEV is set on improving the reporting process after each annual accountability cycle with regard to its main stakeholders. With this guideline in mind, it started in this cycle (2013) the procedures to conduct a first topics relevance test, which involves directly consulting its collaborators, member companies and specialists from the institute's activity sector (reverse logistics) with the purpose of aligning, as much as possible, the content to be reported with the different expectations and information needs of its strategic interfaces.

The discussions and analyses related to the first topics relevance test will be concluded in mid 2014, which will guide the institute's reporting process during the next cycle, to be developed based on the new GRI directives - version G4.

## **GRI Application Level**

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The 2013 Sustainability Report meets all requirements for application Level B defined by the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) version 3.1 directives, in accordance with the parameters presented in the following chart.

