

NATIONAL STEEL CO
Form 6-K
December 11, 2017

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 December, 2017
Commission File Number 1-14732

COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

National Steel Company

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Av. Brigadeiro Faria Lima 3400, 20º andar
São Paulo, SP, Brazil
04538-132

(Address of principal executive office)

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby
furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes _____ No

COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL

Publicly-Held Company

Corporate Taxpayer's ID (CNPJ/MF) No. 33.042.730/0001-04

State Registry (NIRE) 35-3.0039609.0

MATERIAL FACT

Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional (BOVESPA: CSNA3; NYSE: SID) (“CSN” or “Company”) hereby announces to its shareholders and to the market in general that the Environmental Authorization - EA was obtained, maintaining the Presidente Vargas - UPV Plant, located in Volta Redonda/RJ, in full operation, with 180-days term as of this date, according to CECA/CFL Resolution No. 6.141, of December 7, 2017. The full content of the EA was published in the Official Gazette of the State of Rio de Janeiro, on December 8, 2017, page 13, and, during this term, the Company will seek a definitive consensual solution with the competent bodies of the State of Rio de Janeiro regarding the environmental issues.

São Paulo, December 8, 2017.

David Moise Salama

Investor Relations Officer

