

## Coruripe Plant announces new CFO

Usina Coruripe has announced Rafael Venâncio de Oliveira as the company's new CFO. With a degree in business administration and an MBA in Financial Management, Controllershship and Auditing, he has held the position of Planning and IR Manager at Coruripe for the past four years.

With 23 years of experience in finance, the new director has solid expertise in financial planning, strategic planning and risk management. He specialized at the Fundação Getúlio Vargas (FGV), London Business School (LBS) and the New York Institute of Finance (NYIF), in addition to having accumulated contributions to large multinational companies in the agro-industrial, energy, biotechnology and food sectors.

Rafael Venâncio replaces Thierry Roland Soret, who has headed the CFO for the past five years and contributed significantly to the company's growth and strengthening. Coruripe's CEO, Mario Lorencatto, highlights the legacy left by his predecessor and celebrates the arrival of the new director. "We thank Thierry for his valuable career with the company and welcome Rafael to this new position, confident that his experience and strategic vision will be crucial in facing the challenges and seizing the opportunities that lie ahead," says Lorencatto. He emphasizes that the company's strategy remains unchanged.

The transition occurs at an emblematic moment for the company, which celebrates 100 years of operations in February. The celebration marks the continued expansion of Usina Coruripe as a reference in the national sugar-energy sector.

### **About Usina Coruripe**

*Usina Coruripe, controlled by the Tércio Wanderley group, headquartered in Coruripe (AL) and founded in 1925, is the largest company in the sugar-energy sector in the North/Northeast. It is also among the largest groups in the sector in Minas Gerais State and is one of the largest in Brazil. With four units in Minas Gerais (cities of Iturama, Campo Florido, Carneirinho and Limeira do Oeste), one in Alagoas (city of Coruripe) and has its own road-rail terminal in Iturama.*

*Usina Coruripe has a crushing capacity of 16.2 million tons of sugarcane, produces more than 1 million tons of sugar, about 500 million liters of ethanol, with a storage capacity of about half of this production, and sells renewable energy produced from the burning of biomass.*