



DIRECIONAL ENGENHARIA S/A

CNPJ/ME: 16.614.075/0001-00

NIRE: 313.000.258-37

COMUNICADO AO MERCADO

ALIENAÇÃO DE PARTICIPAÇÃO ACIONÁRIA RELEVANTE

A **Direcional Engenharia S/A (B3:DIRR3)** (“Direcional”, “Companhia”), em atendimento ao disposto no artigo 12 da Resolução CVM nº 44/21, vem comunicar aos seus acionistas e ao mercado em geral que recebeu correspondência da **Driehaus Capital Management LLC** (“DCM”), sediada na 25 East Erie Street, Chicago/IL, 60611-2703, Estados Unidos, comunicando que sua participação acionária, de maneira agregada, passou a totalizar 24.882.388 ações ordinárias de emissão da Direcional na data de 15 de outubro de 2026, representando aproximadamente **4,7805%** do total de ações que compõem o capital social da Companhia.

A DCM informa também: (i) que não detém, direta ou indiretamente, outras ações, direitos sobre ações, outros títulos e valores mobiliários ou instrumentos derivativos referenciados em ações de emissão da Companhia; (ii) que o objetivo da participação societária na Direcional limita-se ao âmbito da diversificação de sua carteira de investimentos, não objetivando alteração do controle acionário ou da estrutura administrativa da Companhia; e (iii) que não foram celebrados quaisquer contratos ou acordos que regulem o exercício de direito de voto no que se refere aos valores mobiliários emitidos pela Direcional.

A íntegra da correspondência emitida pela DCM encontra-se anexa a este Comunicado.

Belo Horizonte, 16 de outubro de 2026

Paulo Henrique Martins de Sousa

Diretor Financeiro e de Relações com Investidores



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Corporate Taxpayer's Identity (CNPJ/MF) No. 16.614.075/0001-00
Corporate Registry Identity (NIRE) No. 313.000.258-37

NOTICE TO THE MARKET

RELEVANT SHAREHOLDING

Direcional Engenharia S/A (B3: DIRR3) ("Direcional", Company), pursuant to Article 12 of CVM Resolution No. 44/21, hereby informs its shareholders and the market that it has received a correspondence from **DrieHaus Capital Management LLC** ("DCM"), headquartered in 25 East Erie Street, Chicago/IL, 60611-2703, United States, stating that the aggregate holdings in Direcional totaled 24,882,388 common shares as of October 15, 2026, representing approximately **4.7805%** of the total outstanding common shares issued by the Company.

In addition, DCM informed that (i) it does not hold, directly or indirectly, any other shares, rights over shares, other securities, or financial derivative instruments referenced to shares on Direcional as of this date; (ii) its interest in Direcional extends only as far as maintaining a diversified trading portfolio, and, as such, there is no interest in altering the composition of the control or administrative structures of the Company; and (iii) it is not a party to any agreement or contract regulating the right to vote regarding the securities issued by Direcional.

The full correspondence sent by DCM is attached to this Notice.

Belo Horizonte, October 16, 2026

Paulo Henrique Martins de Sousa
CFO and IR Officer



DRIEHAUS
CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

October 16, 2026

VIA EMAIL: ri@direcional.com.br

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Investor Relations Officer
Direcional Engenharia SA
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RE: Driehaus Capital Management LLC

Dear Mr. Sousa:

OFFICIAL STATEMENT – POSITION IN Direcional Engenharia SA SHARES

Pursuant to Article 12 of CVM Instruction no. 358, we, Driehaus Capital Management LLC are required to notify Direcional Engenharia SA, (the "Issuer") that our aggregate holdings in Direcional Engenharia SA (ISIN: BRDIRRACNOR0) have crossed the 5% disclosure limit (at 4.7805% from 5.2692%) as of 2026-10-15. The table below indicates the details of all of our holdings in Direcional Engenharia SA, some of which may not be included in the calculated Group 1/2 disclosure percentage of 4.7805%:

Acc Name	Qualification	Tax ID	Asset Type	Holdings	% Holdings*	Last %
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	349,476.00	0.0671%	0.0671%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	855,000.00	0.1643%	0.1643%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	6,242,452.00	1.1993%	1.3992%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	533,446.00	0.1025%	0.1025%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	3,788,338.00	0.7278%	0.7278%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	98,910.00	0.019%	0.0227%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,211,079.00	0.2327%	0.2764%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	583,600.00	0.1121%	0.1315%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,579,900.00	0.3035%	0.3035%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	500,300.00	0.0961%	0.0961%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,985,325.00	0.3814%	0.4577%



Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	255,993.00	0.0492%	0.0586%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,030,336.00	0.198%	0.198%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	233,842.00	0.0449%	0.0449%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	173,214.00	0.0333%	0.039%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,823,755.00	0.3504%	0.3504%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,834,628.00	0.3525%	0.4197%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	1,704,944.00	0.3276%	0.3875%
Driehaus Capital Management	Legal entity incorporated outside Brazil	No Registration	Equity	97,850.00	0.0188%	0.0222%
Total Holdings				24,882,388.00	4.7805%	%

* Based on 520,500,000.00 shares as of 2026-10-15.

Other than the shareholding detailed above, we do not hold, directly or indirectly, any other shares, rights over shares, other securities, or financial derivative instruments referenced to shares on Direcional Engenharia SA as of today.

Please be informed that our interest in Direcional Engenharia SA extends only as far as maintaining a diversified trading portfolio. As such, we have no interest in altering the composition of the control or administrative structures of Direcional Engenharia SA.

Furthermore, at the date hereof, we are not a party to any agreement or contract regulating the right to vote regarding the securities issued by Direcional Engenharia SA.

Finally, we would be grateful if you would forward this statement to the *Comissão de Valores Mobiliários, Bovespa*.

Should you have any questions regarding this notification and/or require any further information or clarification, please contact me at akochevar@driehaus.com.

Sincerely,

Signed by:

Anne Kochevar
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Chief Compliance Officer
Driehaus Capital Management LLC

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