

**REMARKS FROM THE DIRECTOR OF EXECUTIVE COORDINATION
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**Launch of the Global Knowledge Platform on Sustainable Water and Energy
Solutions in support of a Sustainable and Resilient Recovery from COVID-19**

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During the COVID-19 pandemic, Itaipu sought to provide the best support possible, using about US\$ 20 million in emergency funds in both countries, aimed at hospitals and social institutions.

Besides, on the Brazilian side, the company has worked in several partnerships aimed at improving rural and urban sanitation, recycling solid waste, bringing benefits to public health. Regarding SDGs 6 and 7, Itaipu is an international benchmark for the production of clean and renewable energy, using water in a sustainable way, taking care of the environment and the surrounding communities.

This platform that we are launching is extremely important to promote the sustainable use of resources. We want to make the most of this valuable exchange of experiences between network participants.