Co-Benefits Summary

Project 0773: Ceran’s Monte Claro Run of River Hydropower Plant CDM Project Activity

[CDM Project Link]

Website: [Ceran's Website]

Monte Claro Hydro Power Plant, Technical Characteristics:

### Monte Claro HPP Main Technical Characteristics

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<td>Installed Power</td>
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<td>Long term Energy Average</td>
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<td>Dam Type</td>
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<td>Reservoir Area (run of river)</td>
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**Corporate Governance**

CERAN is a private company. In the governance structure, the Ordinary General Meeting (OGM) represents the largest decision-making forum and follows the Brazilian Corporation Law, as well as the CERAN’s social directives. All shareholders, including minority shareholders, have the right to attend meetings.


In 10 years of operation, CERAN adds to its curriculum the relevant mark of 85 actions and projects voluntarily supported, that is, without any obligation or legal imposition. These are initiatives in the cultural, social, environmental and sports fields that have benefited thousands of people, the majority residing in the nine municipalities surrounding the project.

The investment already made is over BRL$ 3.6 million. In addition to the contribution of partners, the amount invested in social projects reaches more than BRL 12 million.
1) **Culture Programs – 30 Projects, Total invested BRL 2,322,584.90**

Project: Guitar Orchestra  
Town or village: Bento Gonçalves  
Proposed Institution: ABRAÇAÍ (Association Bentogonçalvense of Coexistence and Support to Childhood and Youth)  
Objective: It aims at the integration of children, adolescents and young people from poor communities with music and cultural environments, enabling the generation of new talents and socio-cultural insertion.  
Source of resources (obtained through the Culture Incentive Law - Rouanet)  
CERAN: BRL 184,474.00  
Partners: BRL 366,826.66  
Total: BRL 551,300.66

2) **Children and Teenagers Program – 25 Projects, Total invested BRL 456,189.04**

Project: Hope - Curumim Platoon  
Town or village: Bento Gonçalves  
Proposed Institution: Associação Amigos da Criança  
Objective: To provide good educational training, through pedagogical, sports, cultural and social and psychological support activities.  
Source of funds (obtained through the Fund for Children and Adolescents)  
CERAN: BRL 48,576.00  
Partners: BRL 306,200.00  
Total: BRL 354,776.00
3) Environment Program – 6 Projects, Total Invested BRL 4,550.00

Projeto: Mutirão de limpeza da rodovia RS-488
Município: Nova Roma do Sul
Instituição Proponente: Associação dos Estudantes de Nova Roma do Sul
Objetivo: Retirar as margens da rodovia RS-448, com vistas a locais mais limpos e seguros para motoristas e pedestres.
Fonte de recursos (verba corporativa)
CERAN: BRL 2,000,00
Parceiros: BRL 800,00
Total: BRL 2,800,00

4) Sports Program – 5 Projects, Total invested BRL 472,440.00

Project: Bento Volleyball
Town or village: Bento Gonçalves
Institution responsible: Sociedade Educativa, Cultural e Poliesportiva Bento Gonçalves
Objective: To benefit children and adolescents from 10 to 17 years old, with volleyball practices without school contraturno, to present sports classes and receive educational guidance, to address topics such as teenage pregnancy, drug use risk, domestic violence, school performance and others.
Source of resources through the Sports Incentive Law
CERAN: BRL 454,790.00
Partners: BRL 364,553.00
Total: BRL 819,343.00

5) Third Age Inclusion Program – 11 Projects, Total Invested BRL 251,867.00

Project: Art as an Inclusion Process
Town or village: Veranópolis
Proposed Institution: Municipal Department of Social Assistance
Objective: To provide weekly workshops so as to offer the elderly the opportunity to develop or improve handicraft techniques, as well as psychological and social support provided by qualified professionals.
Source of resources (obtained through the Elderly Law)
CERAN: BRL 10,769.00
Partners: BRL 35,000.00
Total: BRL 45,760.00

6) Social Programs – 8 Projects, Total Invested BRL 114,880.00

Project: Memory and Identity in Talian
City / Town: Antônio Prado
Proponent Institution: Antônio Prado Cultural and Natural Heritage Development Agency
Objective: Rescue of the Talian language through the production of 46 identification plates of houses listed by Antônio Prado's National Historic and Artistic Heritage.
Source of funds (corporate funding)
CERAN: BRL 9,430.00
Total: BRL 9,430.00