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COPERSUCAR

Over its nearly 50 years of history, Copersucar, as a company working with excellence and innovation in the industry, with its 90 members, divided in three Brazilian states, was always totally focused on the results of their cooperation. The commitment of the company brings, however, some challenges. The biggest is the consolidation of the self sector, looking for planning crops of short and medium term, without which the balance in the markets for sugar and alcohol becomes uncertain. Seeking to defend the opening of the protected international market, Copersucar encouraged the creation and, since its beginning, the Global Alliance for Sugar Trade Reform and liberalisation, involving the main exporters and consumers of sugar in an initiative organized to fight for openness of world trade in sugar. It is essential to persist in the process of opening the international market for sugar, exhausting all ways of negotiation, but beyond, if necessary, in the defense of the legitimate interests of the country. The expansion and consolidation of the promising international market of alcohol fuel cannot be delayed.

