VALLEY OF THE RIO DOCE CO Form 6-K July 12, 2005

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United States Securities and Exchange Commission Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of

July 2005

Valley of the Rio Doce Company

(Translation of Registrant s name into English)

Avenida Graça Aranha, No. 26 20005-900 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil (Address of principal executive office)

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Type of

Shares owned by Board Members, Fiscal Council, Executive Directors and principal shareholder on June 30, 2005 (aggregate).

Company: Companhia Vale do Rio Doce Board Members

Type of security Shares Shares Company: Companhia Vale do Rio Doce Executive Directors	Characteristic of the security PN ON	Quantity 7,412 1,862	Same class of shares	Total capital
Type of security Shares Shares Company: Companhia Vale do Rio Doce Audit Committee Members	Characteristic of the security PN ON	Quantity 206,653 40,099	Same class of shares 0.05 0.01	Total capital
Type of security Company: Companhia Vale do Rio Doce Principal Shareholder (Valepar S.A.)	Characteristic of the security	Quantity	Same class of shares	% Total capital

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security	Characteristic of the security	Quantity	class	
			of shares	Total capital
Shares	ON	392,147,133	52.3	33.6

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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

COMPANHIA VALE DO RIO DOCE (Registrant)

Date: July 12, 2005 By: /s/ Fabio de Oliveira Barbosa

Fabio de Oliveira Barbosa Chief Financial Officer