

Property	
Fazenda Furquilha I and II, Fazenda São Pedro	
São Desidério, Bahia	Cerrado biome
CAR: BA-2928901-15EC67AF11024D80BF79623922F12C7E, BA-2928901-CC8E7902F7B3460A982901E421E1255F, BA-2928901-358F555D2B36411BBF5929CFF401288A	3011160113475, SIGEF/SNCI: 9999897918307, 9999897917920
Area property (ha): 23,556	Coordinates property: -13.01173, -45.19924

Cleared Area	
Coordinates clearance:	-45.16591, -12.98360
5,153 hectares	period clearance: Nov 2022 to Mar 2023
662,435 tons of CO ₂	
- fires alerts	
Inside Forest Code's protected areas: No	- -
Type of vegetation: Forested Savanna	Priority for Biodiversity Conservation: Extremely high
Conservation area(s) (overlapping or bordering):	-
Indigenous Territories (overlapping or bordering):	-

Imagery: limits of the property (blue), limits of the cleared area (red)

November 2022



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March 2023



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Environmental fines and embargoes			
Embargoes:	No	-	
Environmental fines:	No	-	-
Ownership and other linked properties			
Ownership:	Roberta Brennand de Souza Leão Bezerra, João Felipe Brennand de Souza Leão, Joaquim Felipe Brennand de Souza Leão		
Company group:	Crescent Holding Participações		
Linked properties:	9 other properties, totaling 68,000 ha. In São Desidério (BA): Fazenda Jatobá (3,310 ha), Fazenda Semear (5,480 ha), Fazenda São José (4,260 ha), Fazenda Gaya (2,030 ha), Fazenda Chapadão VIII (2,500 ha), Fazenda Ceres (4,200 ha), Barra e São Domingos (12,650 ha), Fazenda Borda da Mata (31,000 ha). In Cotigipe (BA): Fazenda Campo Largo do Rio Grande (2,570 ha)		
Supply chain links			
Main Commodities	Soy		
Confirmed supply chain link, level of certainty, and soy trader/ beef processor	No	Low	ADM, Cargill
Soy	Main exporter groups (municipality)	ADM (24%), Cargill (18%), LDC (8%), Bunge (6%), Amaggi (2%), Cofco (1%), others (41%)	
	Warehouses (50 km radius)	21 warehouses including 2 owned by Agrícola Xingu	
	Supply chain links & details:	-	
Beef	Main traders (municipality)	-	
	Slaughterhouses (sourcing from the municipality)	-	
	Supply chain links & details:	-	
Other supply chain links and details:	-		
General comments			
<p>The property has valid authorization for the clearance of native vegetation. In April 2022, Joaquim Brennand Souza Leão had authorization for the suppression of 3,300 ha of native vegetation at Fazenda São Pedro granted for two years (1). In a lawsuit related to compulsory contribution payments to CNA (National Council of Agriculture), the Brennand de Souza Leão family claimed that at least from 2015 to 2017, no agricultural activities were being developed in the linked property Fazenda Borda da Mata (São Desidério - BA) (2). In January 2020, the family presented an Environmental Impact study to INEMA indicating a plan to implement soy, corn, and beans plantations in Fazenda Borda da Mata (São Desidério - BA). The timber extracted during the clearing of the area, according to official documents presented by the family to the environmental authorities, would be used internally. The property received authorization for the deforestation of 1,400 hectares in Fazenda Borda da Mata from April 2020 to April 2022 (3). One of the family members, Roberto de Souza Leão Filho, was prosecuted for the assassination of the farmer Brasilino Dias Ramos, linked to the dispute over ownership of Fazenda Natália (4). The father of Roberto was the leading financier in the state of Pernambuco of the “Comando de Caça aos Comunistas” (CCC), a paramilitary organization that kidnapped political dissidents during the military dictatorship in Brazil. The Truth Commission pointed out Roberto de Souza Leão as the man behind the assassination of the catholic priest Padre Henrique (5). Brennand Souza Leão family is still active in politics in Pernambuco state. A linked case, Fazenda Borda da Mata (São Desidério - BA), was part of the Rapid Response Report 14 (June 2020). Bunge, Cargill, and Cofco claimed no trading links with this linked property (6).</p>			
<p>(1) Inema Bahia database (2) https://www.jusbrasil.com.br/diarios/231331870/trt-6-judiciario-07-03-2019-pg-4847?ref=serp (3) https://www.aatr.org.br/post/bahia-j%C3%A1-autorizou-o-desmatamento-de-34-307-712-ha-durante-a-pandemia (4) https://www1.folha.uol.com.br/fsp/cotidian/ff2111200329.htm (5) https://blogs.ne10.uol.com.br/jamildo/2012/09/20/major-ferreira-confirma-que-empresarios-pernambucanos-financiavam-assassinatos-de-comunistas/ (6) https://www.mightyearth.org/wp-content/uploads/RR_Report_June_2020.pdf#new_tab</p>			