

## **EVOLUTION OF THE MINERAL PRODUCTION OF THE STATE OF BAHIA, BRAZIL, IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS: AN ANALYSIS**

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The present policy of the government of the State of Bahia aiming to draw new investments, has been successful, like it may be evidenced by the recently arrival of the Ford factory to this state. This fact produced good expectation related to a larger application of the talc products and other mineral commodities that occur in the state, connected with the industrial sector. Bearing in mind this perspective, an analysis of the setting of mineral commodities in the industrial park of the mentioned state and its importance in the national and international panorama is presented.