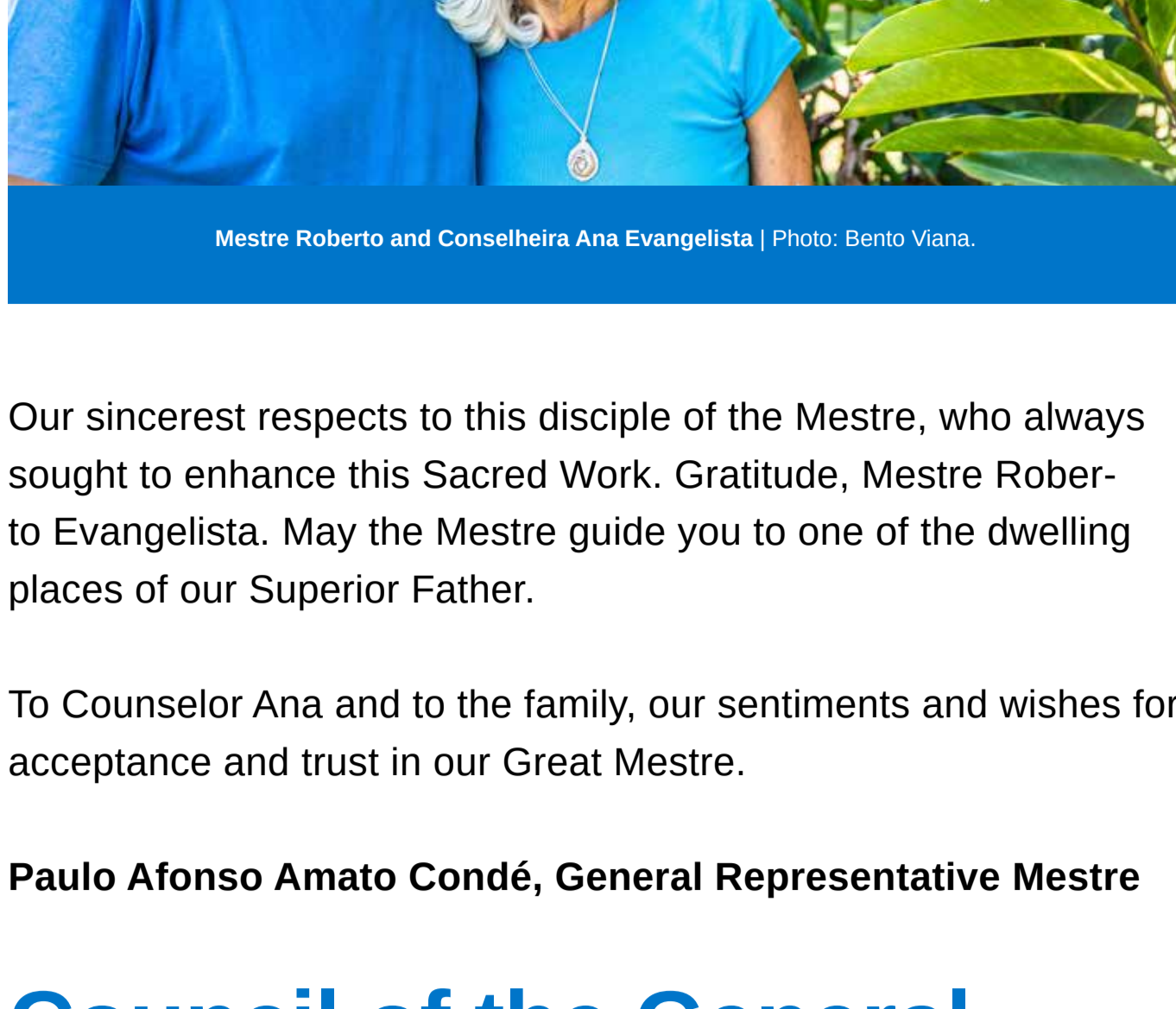


Our sincerest respects to Mestre Roberto Evangelista



Mestre Roberto and Conselheira Ana Evangelista | Photo: Bento Viana.

Our sincerest respects to this disciple of the Mestre, who always sought to enhance this Sacred Work. Gratitude, Mestre Roberto Evangelista. May the Mestre guide you to one of the dwelling places of our Superior Father.

To Counselor Ana and to the family, our sentiments and wishes for acceptance and trust in our Great Mestre.

Paulo Afonso Amato Condé, General Representative Mestre

Council of the General Representation approves measures to improve the preparation of Leaders

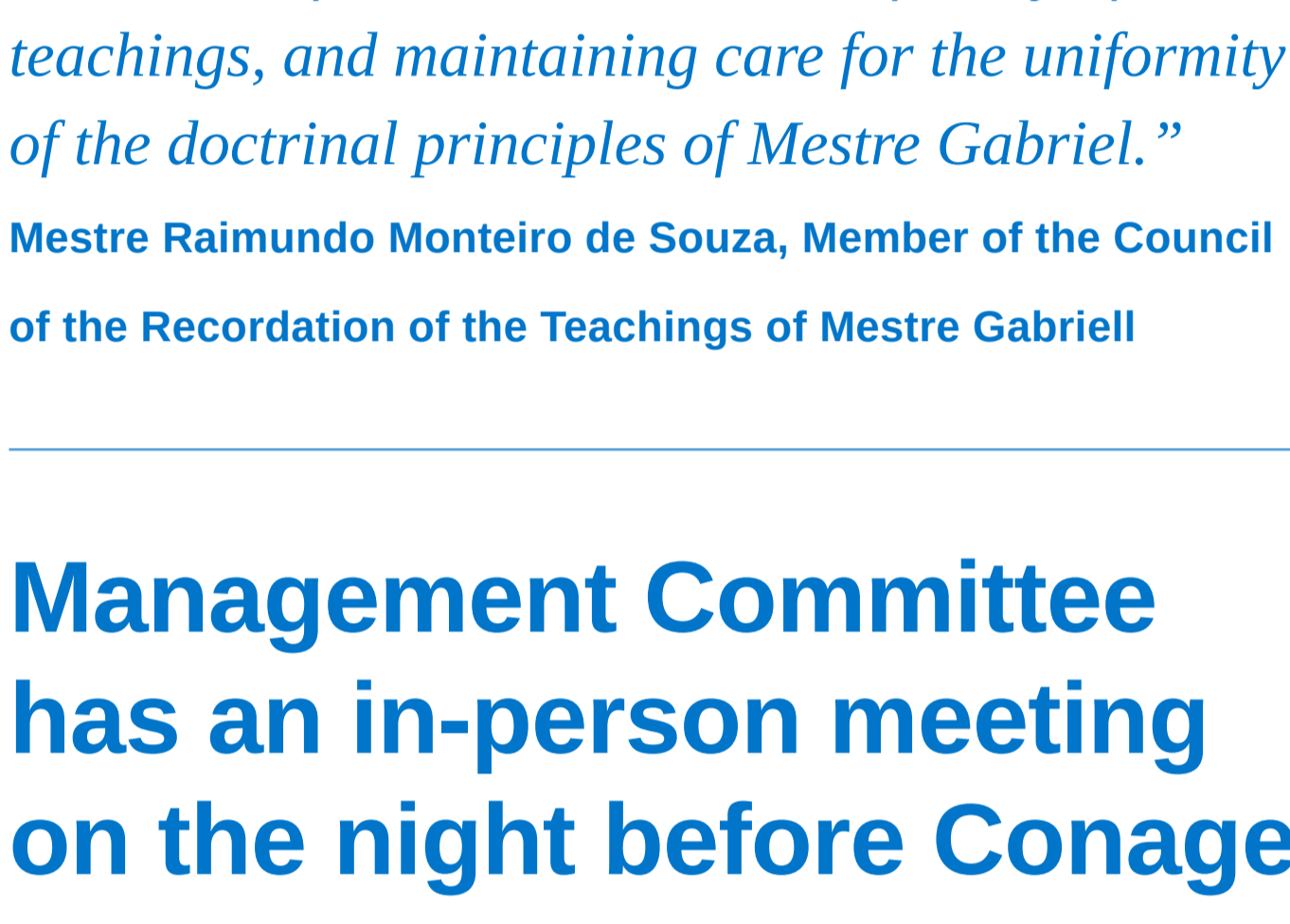


The Council of the General Representation: care for the equilibrium of the União | Photo: Bento Viana

In a meeting held on October 24th, at the General Headquarters (Brasilia-DF), the Council of the General Representation evaluated different subjects it is responsible for including the care for the equilibrium of the União and for the preservation of the ritual of Sessions.

In addition to approving changes to the Regulatory Bulletin of the Use of Chamadas and Teachings, seeking to support the preparation of Leaders, the Council of the General Representation also approved making the DMC Vivo System available to members of Conage, Conace and Mestres Responsible for DAVs as of February 10th, 2020. Part of this material will also be made available to the Cadre of Mestres of the UDV.

The DMC Vivo System is an audio archive that, in addition to other subjects, includes the words of Mestre Gabriel and of the Mestres of Origin.

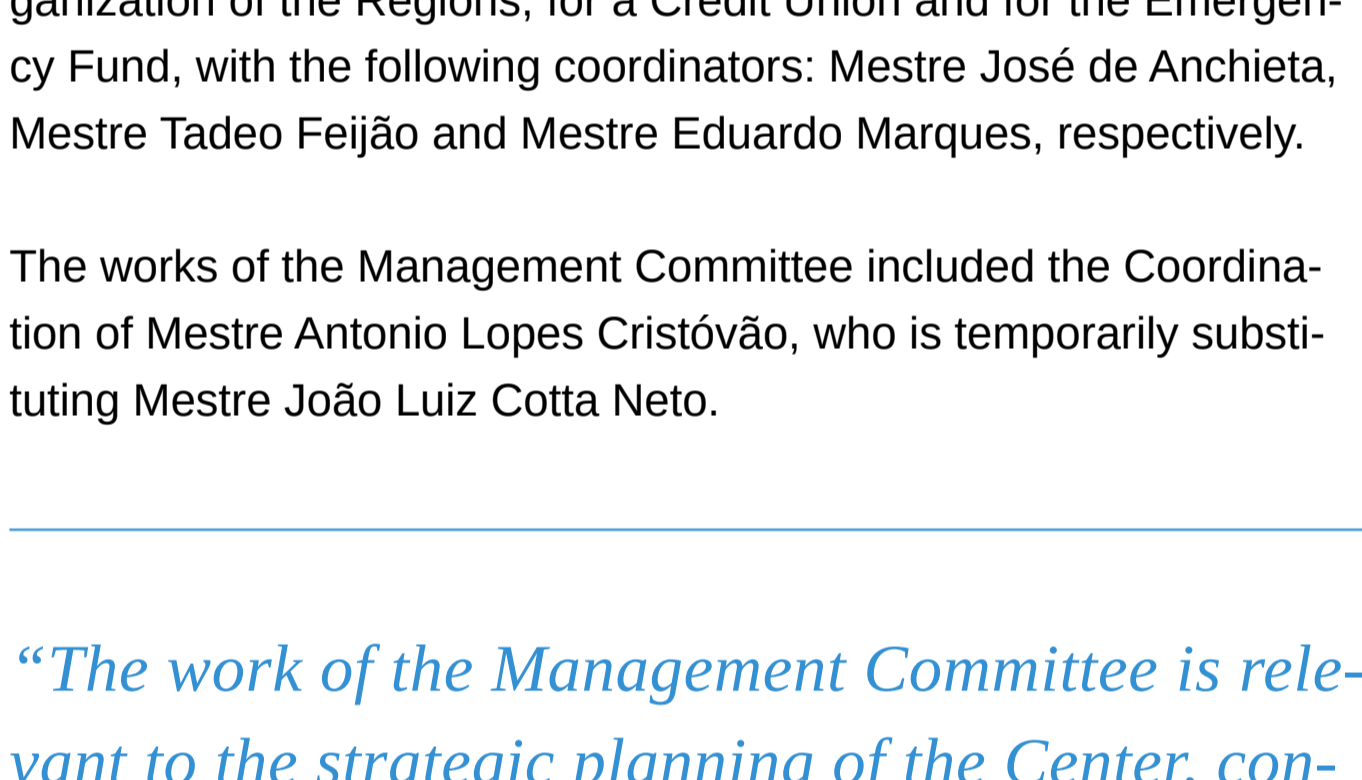


Mestre Monteiro, Member of the Council of the Recordation of the Teachings of Mestre Gabriel | Photo: Edson Marangoni.

“The restoration of the Council of the General Representation is allowing for important decisions to be made that provide for the expansion of the União, implementing means that allow for the assurance of the conservation and fidelity of the teachings, and maintaining care for the uniformity of the doctrinal principles of Mestre Gabriel.”

Mestre Raimundo Monteiro de Souza, Member of the Council of the Recordation of the Teachings of Mestre Gabriell

Management Committee has an in-person meeting on the night before Conage



Management Committee presents results from the Working Groups | Photo: Bento Viana

Following an already traditional schedule, the Management Committee of the General Directorate met in-person on October 25th, at the office of the General Directorate in Brasilia.

During the meeting, the progress and results of the Working Groups for Volunteer Work, Safety in the Activities of the Center, Standardization of Packaging and Communication were presented.

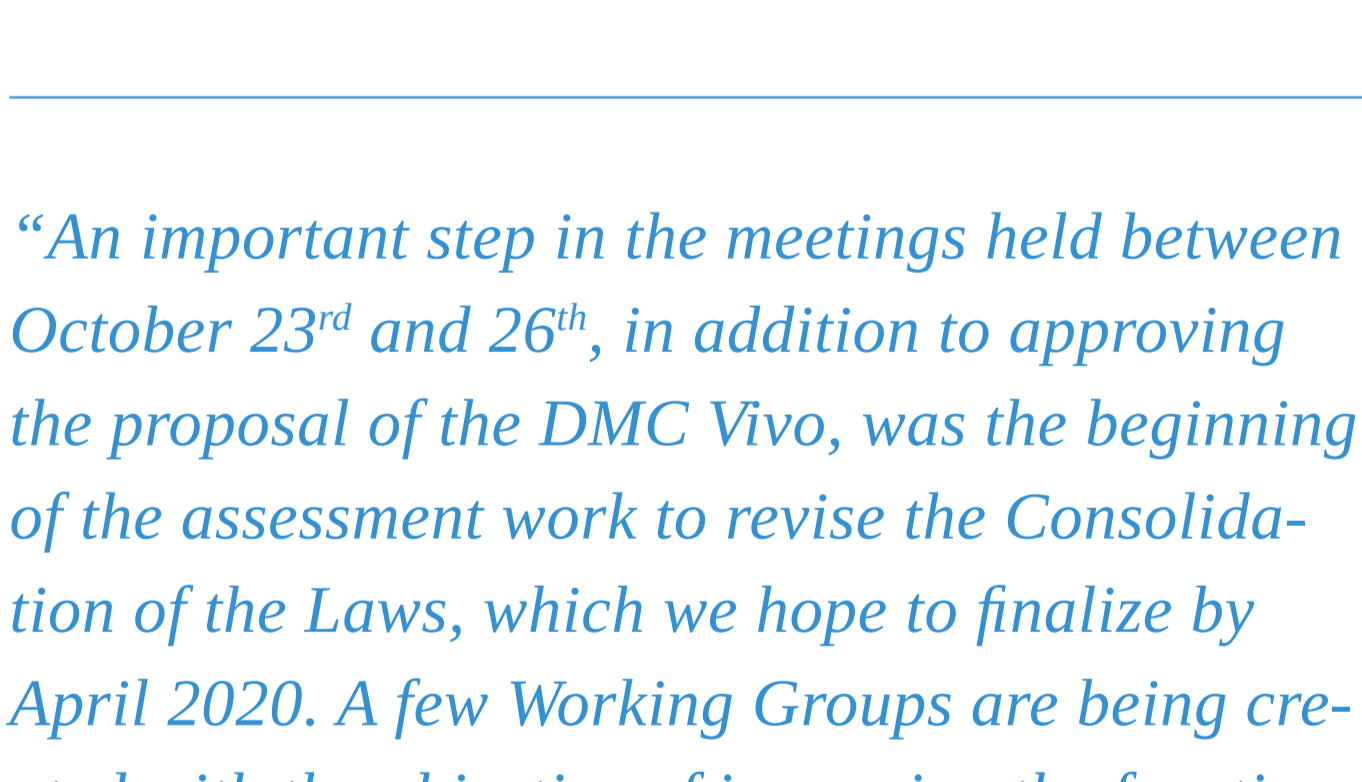
Also announced, was the creation of Working Groups for the Reorganization of the Regions, for a Credit Union and for the Emergency Fund, with the following coordinators: Mestre José de Anchieta, Mestre Tadeo Feijão and Mestre Eduardo Marques, respectively.

The works of the Management Committee included the Coordination of Mestre Antonio Lopes Cristóvão, who is temporarily substituting Mestre João Luiz Cotta Neto.

“The work of the Management Committee is relevant to the strategic planning of the Center, contributing so that there is continuity in the projects and maturity in the decisions.”

M. Tadeo Feijão, President of the General Directorate

Conage begins the Revision of the Consolidation of the Laws of the Center



Conage approves revision of the Bulletin of Consciousness in Administration | Photo: Bento Viana

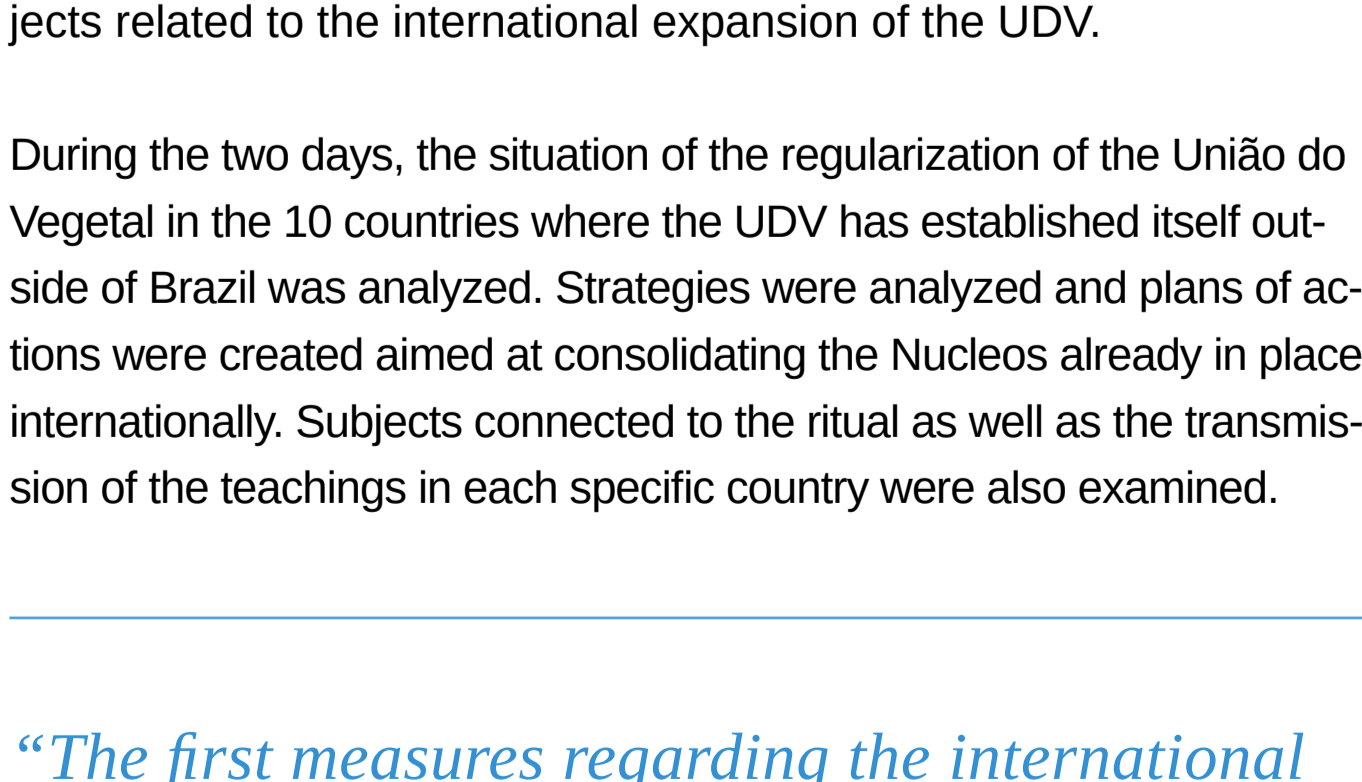
With an extensive agenda, the Council of the General Administration (Conage) met at the General Headquarters on October 26th.

Among the subjects of interest to the Center, the beginning of the work to revise the Consolidation of the Laws is highlighted, which aims to facilitate inquiry and knowledge of the laws of the Center.

During this opportunity, the revision to the Bulletin of Consciousness in Administration was also approved, along with the proposals for Working Groups for Safety in the Activities of the Center, including the creation of Safety Day in the Center, which will be held annually on the second Escala Session of April and which will include activities centered around the formation of a culture of safety in the activities of the UDV.

“An important step in the meetings held between October 23rd and 26th, in addition to approving the proposal of the DMC Vivo, was the beginning of the assessment work to revise the Consolidation of the Laws, which we hope to finalize by April 2020. A few Working Groups are being created with the objective of improving the functioning of the Center so that the projects needed for our overall cause can be carried out, strengthening the expansion of the União and the consolidation of our responsible and religious use of Hoasca Tea.” MGR

Meeting of the International Commission



Members of the Commission to Study the International Expansion of the Center | Photo: DMC-DG

The Commission to Study the International Expansion of the Center (CEI) met on November 2nd and 3rd, at the office of the General Directorate, with the participation of invited guests, to discuss subjects related to the international expansion of the UDV.

During the two days, the situation of the regularization of the União do Vegetal in the 10 countries where the UDV has established itself outside of Brazil was analyzed. Strategies were analyzed and plans of actions were created aimed at consolidating the Nucleos already in place internationally. Subjects connected to the ritual as well as the transmission of the teachings in each specific country were also examined.

“The first measures regarding the international expansion of the UDV were decided upon based on the proposals of M. Felipe Belmonte, who has accompanied this entire process since the beginning. Today, the UDV is already present in 10 countries, in addition to Brazil, and the creation of the Study Commission has shown itself to be arranged correctly because it brings together people with experience and competency to support the fulfillment of Mestre Gabriel’s word of making it so that the UDV can circle the world. This is being conducted with criteria and with security, for which we renew our gratitude to all who have contributed and continue to contribute with this work.” MGR