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# **Extraordinary general meeting in HEXPOL**

#### Rights issue

An Extraordinary General Meeting in HEXPOL held yesterday approved the resolution by the Board of Directors on 11 January 2011 to conduct a rights issue of approximately 550 MSEK with preferential right for the company's shareholders.

According to the terms for the rights issue, holders of class A and B shares will have preferential rights to subscribe for new shares of the same series in proportion to their existing holdings (primary subscription right). If all shares are not subscribed for by primary subscription right, shareholders will have subsidiary subscription right to the remaining shares, regardless of class of shares. Shares may also be subscribed for without preferential rights. The record date at the Swedish Securities Register Center, Euroclear Sweden AB, for participation in the rights issue is February 24, 2011. This means that the HEXPOL share will be traded excluding preferential rights to participate in the rights issue from 22 February 2011. The subscription period is as from February 28, 2011 up to and including March 16, 2011 or such later date as decided by the Board of Directors of HEXPOL.

The increase of the share capital, the number of shares to be issued, and the subscription price for the new shares, will be determined by the Board of Directors of HEXPOL and is expected to be announced on February 17, 2011.

#### Subscription undertakings

Melker Schörling AB, HEXPOL's largest shareholder, representing approximately 27.2 per cent of the capital and 48.0 per cent of the votes in HEXPOL, has undertaken to subscribe for its pro rata share of the offering. Melker Schörling AB has also undertaken to subscribe for approximately an additional 22.9 per cent in excess of its pro rata share of the offering if it is not fully subscribed. Consequently, subscription commitments of more than 50 per cent of the rights issue have been received.

#### Indicative timetable for the rights issue

February 17, 2011 Subscription price and terms are decided by the Board of

Directors and announced through a press release

February 22, 2011 First day of trading in the shares, excluding right to participate in the

rights issue

February 24, 2011 Record date for participation in the rights issue, i.e. shareholders who are

registered in the Company's share register as of this day will receive

subscription rights for participation in the rights issue

On or about February 25, 2011 Publication of the prospectus

February 28 - March 16, 2011 Subscription period

February 28 - March 11, 2011 Trading in subscription rights

On or about March 21, 2011 Press release regarding preliminary subscription take-up in the

rights issue

## Dividend

As communicated in the Year-end report 2010, the Board of Directors proposes that the Annual General Meeting on May 6, 2011 resolves on a dividend for 2010 of 3 SEK per share with record date for participation in the dividend on May 11, 2011.

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