May 24, 2004

Corporate Action: Volvo spins-off Ainax AB Effective date: Phase 1: May 27, 2004 (1)

Phase 2: June 9, 2004

### PHASE 1 - effective May 27, 2004

Company: Volvo (A shares	s)		
Terms:	For every 31 existing A shares in Volvo 2 new ordinary shares in Ainax will be distributed. Treasury shares are not included in the distribution.		
Index Adjustments:	<ul> <li>Decreased weightings of AB Volvo in STOXX TMI Large, Style Indexes: Value and respective Sector Indices</li> </ul>		
	Old:	New:	
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:	SE0000115420; 4937728;		
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :	Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Unchanged Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment		
Close as of May 21, 2004:	237.5 SEK		
Shares:	138,604,945	Unchanged	
Free Float:	0.75	Unchanged	
Free Float Mcap:	2.72 Billion Euro	2.55 Billion Euro	
Company: Volvo (B shares)  Terms:  For every 31 existing B shares in Volvo 2 new ordinary shares in Ainax will be distributed. Treasury shares are not included in the distribution.			
Index Adjustments:	<ul> <li>Decreased weightings of AB Volvo in STOXX 600 Large, Nordic 30, STOX TMI Large, Style Indexes: Value and respective Sector Indices</li> </ul>		
	Old:	New:	
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:	SE0000115446; 4937739;		
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :	Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Unchanged Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment		
Close as of May 21, 2004:	247.5 SEK		
Shares:	302,916,000	Unchanged	
Free Float:	0.75	Unchanged	
Free Float Mcap:	6.19 Billion Euro	5.82 Billion Euro	

#### PHASE 1 - to be continued

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### PHASE 1 - effective May 27, 2004 (continuation)

Company: Ainax AB (fract	tion from Volvo A) (1)		
Terms:			
Index Adjustments:	<ul> <li>Addition of Ainax (fraction from Volvo A shares) to the STOXX TMI Large, Style Indexes: Value and respective Sector Indices</li> </ul>		
	Old:	New:	
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:		Not available <sup>(3)</sup> ; ;	
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :		Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment	
Estimated Close:	224.38 SEK (2)		
Shares:		8,495,142	
Free Float:		0.8	
Free Float Mcap:		0.16 Billion Euro	
Company: Ainax AB (frac	tion from Volvo B) <sup>(1)</sup>		
Terms:			
Index Adjustments:	<ul> <li>Addition of Ainax (fraction from Volvo B shares) to the STOXX 600</li> <li>Large, Nordic 30, STOXX TMI Large, Style Indexes: Value and respective Sector Indices</li> </ul>		
	Old:	New:	
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:		Not available <sup>(3)</sup> ;;	
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :		Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment	
Estimated Close:	224.38 SEK (2)		
Shares:		18,565,819	
Free Float:		0.8	
Free Float Mcap:		0.38 Billion Euro	
Comments for Phase 1:	initially included as to Ainax AB (fraction of B. There will not be a Divisor adjustments	trading on June 8, 2004 and on May 27, 2004 it will be wo fractions – Ainax AB (fraction from Volvo A) and Volvo B) - in respective indexes of Volvo A and Volvo ny initial divisor change due to Ainax AB not trading. will be based on Ainax AB closing on June 8, 2004	
	prices.	estimation based on the Volvo A and Volvo B closing	
	(3) ISIN for Ainax AB v	vill be anounced	

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#### PHASE 2 - effective June 9, 2004

Company: Ainax AB (fraction of Volvo A)				
Terms:				
Index Adjustments:	<ul> <li>Deletion of Ainax (fraction from Volvo A shares) from the STOXX TMI Large,</li> <li>Style Indexes: Value and respective Sector Indices</li> </ul>			
	Old: New:			
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:	Not available (1); ;			
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :	Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment			
Estimated Close:	Close of June 8, 2004			
Shares:	8,495,142			
Free Float:	0.8			
Free Float Mcap:	0.16 Billion Euro			
Company: Ainax AB (fract	ion of Volvo B)			
Terms:				
Index Adjustments:	<ul> <li>Deletion of Ainax (fraction from Volvo B shares) from the STOXX600, Nordic 30, STOXX TMI Large, Size Index Large, Style Indexes: Value and respective Sector Indices</li> </ul>			
	Old: New:			
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:	Not available (1); ;			
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :	Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment			
Estimated Close:	Close of June 8, 2004			
Shares:	18,565,819			
Free Float:	0.8			
Free Float Mcap:	0.38 Billion Euro			

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### PHASE 2 - effective June 9, 2004 (continuation)

Company: Ainax AB (2)			
Terms:			
Index Adjustments:	□ Addition of Ainax to the STOXX TMI Small and respective Sector Indices		
	Old:	New:	
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:		Not available <sup>(1)</sup> ; ;	
Global Sector Classification Standard <sup>1</sup> :		Industrial / Industrial Goods & Services / Industrial Transportation / Land Transportation Equipment	
Estimated Close :	Close of June 8, 2004		
Shares:		27,320,838	
Free Float:		0.8	
Free Float Mcap:		0.54 Billion Euro	
Comments for Phase 2:	(1) ISIN for Ainax AB will be anounced		
	(2) Ainax AB (fraction from Volvo A) and Ainax AB (fraction of Volvo B) will be deleted from the indexes. Ainax AB as one company will only be eligible for the STOXX TMI Small.		

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