

Press release Swedish Securities Council statement 14 August 2017 re Haldex bid version 1

The Swedish Securities Council SSC (Aktiemarknadsnämnden) has to-day issued a statement on an application made by Haldex AB. Haldex requested that SSC should rule that the bidder Knorr-Bremse would not be allowed to prolong its current bid for the shares of Haldex. SSC, referring to sec. II.7 (comment) in Nasdaq Stockholm takeover rules, ruled that such an application can only be made by a bidder, not by the target company. SSC therefore dismissed the application.

The statement was decided unanimously by eight Council members, chaired by former Supreme Court Chief Justice Marianne Lundius. The full statement in Swedish is available (in Swedish only) at the SSC website www.aktiemarknadsnamnden.se

The Nasdaq Stockholm takeover rules in English can be found at http://www.aktiemarknadsnamnden.se/Userfiles/TO-Reglerna_2015_Final_ENG_3.pdf

SSC cannot give any comment on to-day's statement or on what might happen during or after the Haldex extraordinary shareholders meeting scheduled for August 17.