

Item 17: Proposal regarding authorization for the board to resolve on transfer of own shares

The board of directors of the Company proposes that the annual general meeting resolves authorize the board of directors during the period up until the next annual general meeting, on one or more occasions, to resolve on transfers of own shares up to the number of shares which, at any time, are held by the Company.

Transfer of own shares may be carried out to be used as payment for, or financing of, acquisitions of companies or assets. Transfer of own shares may be effected otherwise than on Nasdaq Stockholm at an estimated market value or according to agreement with sellers in connection with acquisitions and may deviate from the shareholders' preferential rights. Payment for transferred shares may be made in cash, in kind or through set-off. Transfer of own shares may also be carried out on Nasdaq Stockholm at a price within the registered price range at any given time or otherwise in accordance with applicable regulations.

The board of directors or a person appointed by the board of directors shall be authorized to make such minor adjustments in the above resolution that may be required in connection with the execution of the resolution.

A resolution in accordance with this item is valid only where supported by shareholders holding not less than two-thirds of both the shares voted and of the shares represented at the general meeting.