# 2015 INTERIM REPORT 4

#### OCTOBER – DECEMBER 2015

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- Cash flow from operating activities was SEK 694 million (494)
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- Six acquisitions were completed in the quarter, adding annual sales of SEK 229 million
- Earnings per share\*\*\* were SEK 0.28 (0.78) and adjusted\* earnings per share were SEK 0,88

\*A cost of SEK 156 million arose in the accounts in connection with the termination of currency and interest rate hedges, and this was transferred to comprehensive income for the period. The recognised change in value of currency and interest hedges did not have any effect on equity and the basis for dividends and only a minor effect on

#### JANUARY – DECEMBER 2015

- Net sales increased by 18%, of which 7% was organic growth, to SEK 14,206 million (12,000)
- Operating profit was SEK 782 million (705)
- The operating margin was 5.5% (5.9)
- Adjusted for specific costs\*\*, operating profit was SEK 878 million (759) and the operating margin was 6.2% (6.3)
- Profit after tax was SEK 287 million (320)
- Cash flow from operating activities was SEK 841 million (659)
- Sixteen acquisitions were completed in the period, adding annual sales of SEK 1,478 million
- Bravida Finland was formed through the acquisition of the installation and servicing divisions of Peko Group and
- Earnings per share\*\*\* were SEK 1.42 (1.59) and adjusted\* earnings per share were SEK 1.94
- The Board of Directors proposes a dividend for 2015 of SEK 1.0 (-) per share

\*\*For further information, see page 3: Earnings.
\*\*\*In the third quarter of 2015, a reverse 1:2 split of the company's shares was carried out, following which there are 201,566,598 shares. Earnings per share from previous periods have been recalculated in this interim report.

## FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

| SEK MIL.                            | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales                           | 3,919           | 3,389           | 14,206          | 12,000          |
| Operating profit/loss               | 275             | 248             | 782             | 705             |
| Operating margin, %                 | 7.0             | 7.3             | 5.5             | 5.9             |
| Adjusted operating profit/loss      | 308             | 281             | 878             | 759             |
| Adjusted operating margin, %        | 7.9             | 8.3             | 6.2             | 6.3             |
| Profit/loss before tax              | 74              | 216             | 422             | 440             |
| Cash flow from operating activities | 694             | 494             | 841             | 659             |
| Interest coverage ratio             | 4.3             | 3.3             | 2.5             | 2.2             |
| Net debt/adj. EBITDA, LTM           | 2.7             | 3.3             | 2.7             | 3.3             |
| Equity/assets ratio, %              | 31.2            | 29.9            | 31.2            | 29.9            |
| Order intake                        | 3,886           | 3,353           | 14,249          | 12,149          |
| Order backlog                       | 7,092           | 6,580           | 7,092           | 6,580           |



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# **BRAVIDA IS CONTINUING TO** DELIVER STRONG GROWTH

CEO STATEMENT

Bravida is continuing to deliver strong growth both in terms of sales and profit. 2015 stands out as a notable year in the history of Bravida. As well as posting strong earnings, we established a presence in Finland and our IPO was another important milestone in Bravida's development.

Bravida's market remains stable and the construction market benefits from the healthy demand from public-sector, infrastructure projects, housing and the low interest rate.

The order backlog is at a good level, SEK 7 billion. During 2015, Bravida has received large orders regarding new-builds and renovation of hospitals. However, our many small and medium sized orders are more important to the business as they provide stability and better allocation of risk.

Adjusted operating profit for the full year increased by 16 percent, which was in line with sales growth. As well as the acquisitions we made, organic growth contributed 7 percent, exceeding our target of 5 percent. This means that we also grew faster than the market, something which is further underpinned by our general focus on profitability ahead of volume. Performance in the fourth quarter was roughly in line with the year as a whole. Sales growth was 16 percent, 4 percent of which was organic, and adjusted operating profit grew by 10 percent.

The 16 acquisitions we made in 2015 add almost SEK 1.5 billion in annual sales. In geographical terms, we purchased companies in all markets and we are also focussing strongly on ensuring efficient and rapid integration of each acquisition in order to maximise synergies.

The underlying profit margin for existing operations increased in the year. This was mainly due to our concerted efforts to further increase profitability, and our strategic initiatives are key in this respect. Our long-term target for purchasing is to cut costs by 10 percent. We are seeing clear impacts on earnings performance from these measures and are now taking the next step by increasing the percentage of international purchasing. Our target is to increase servicing in Group sales. At the end of 2015, we began our long-term initiative to increase growth in our servicing divisions. This largely involves getting even closer to our customers so we can take a more proactive approach to our servicing offering.

Our newly established Finnish business is progressing well, and our two acquisitions in Finland have now been integrated into the Group. We have also made considerable progress in the servicing market, winning three large contracts in the second half of the year, all with well-known Finnish companies.

As a benefit from the IPO Bravida achieved a higher brand recognition, making us more attractive to both potential customers and potential employees.

Order intake and order backlog both remain strong. The order backlog provide a good start to 2016. And this positive position is confirmed by a continued favourable climate on all markets.

Overall, Bravida is well positioned and has a strong platform on which to build for the year ahead.

Mattias Johansson, Stockholm, February 2016





#### NET SALES AND ORDER INTAKE October – December

Net sales in the fourth quarter totalled SEK 3,919 million (3,389), an increase of 16 percent compared with the fourth quarter of 2014. Adjusted for currency fluctuations and acquisitions, the increase was 4 percent. Currency fluctuations reduced net sales by 1 percent in the quarter, while acquisitions contributed a 13 percent increase in net sales. In Sweden, net sales were SEK 2,352 million (2,061), an increase of 14 percent. In Norway, net sales were unchanged at SEK 831 million (832); in local currency sales increased by 8 percent. In Denmark, net sales were SEK 553 million (502), an increase of 10 percent. In Finland, net sales were SEK 187 million. No comparative figures are available as the Finnish operations were established in 2015.

Order intake in the fourth quarter totalled SEK 3,886 million (3,353), an increase of 16 percent, which was explained by healthy order intake in all countries and to acquisitions. In Sweden, order intake rose by 11 percent. In Norway, order intake rose by 5 percent. In Denmark, order intake rose by 19 percent. The order backlog at 31 December totalled SEK 7,092 million (6,580), an increase of 8 percent.

#### January – December

For the period January – December, net sales increased by 18 percent to SEK 14,206 million (12,000). Adjusted for currency

fluctuations and acquisitions, the increase was 7 percent. Currency fluctuations had a negative 1 percent effect on sales, while acquisitions contributed just over 12 percent.

Order intake for the period January to December increased by 17 percent to SEK 14,249 million (12,149).

#### **EARNINGS**

#### October - December

Operating profit in the fourth quarter rose by 10 percent to SEK 275 million (248), resulting in an operating margin of 7.0 percent (7.3). Operating profit in Sweden increased by 3 percent. The lower margin was because the business in Sweden received a refund of previously paid pension funds of SEK 29 million in the fourth quarter of 2014. In Denmark, operating profit increased by 10 percent and in Norway by 49 percent. Specific costs impacted operating profit in the fourth quarter and amounted to SEK 33 million (33). Specific costs are costs that are limited in time and during 2015 relate mainly to IPO costs. Adjusted operating profit was SEK 308 million (281) and the adjusted operating margin was 7.9 percent (8.3). Establishment of the Finnish business during the period resulted in a 0.2 percent dilution of the operating margin; accounting for this, the adjusted operating margin was 8.1 percent.

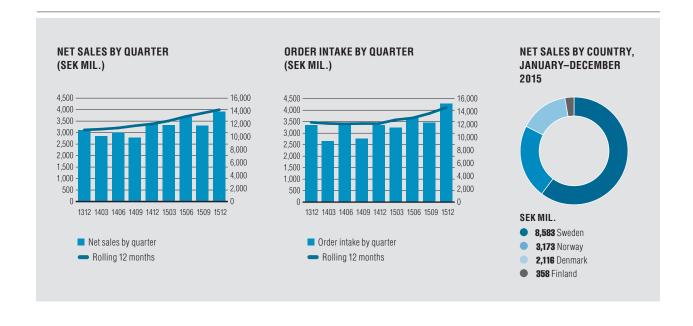
Net financial items in the fourth quarter amounted to SEK -46 million (-75) and the impact on earnings from the

market-based measurement of currency and interest hedges was SEK -156 million (42). Profit after financial items was SEK 74 million (216). Profit after tax was SEK 56 million (158). Earnings per share for the fourth quarter were SEK 0.28 (0.78).

#### January – December

Operating profit for January - December rose by 11 percent to SEK 782 million (705), resulting in an operating margin of 5.5 percent (5.9). The decrease in the operating margin was due to costs for ongoing improvement programmes and integration of the acquired businesses, as well as IPO costs. It was also due to the comparative impact of the refund of pension funds in the fourth quarter of 2014. Specific costs increased to SEK 96 million (54), the costs were mainly related to improvement programmes and IPO costs. Adjusted operating profit was SEK 878 million (759) and the adjusted operating margin was 6.2 percent (6.3). Currency fluctuations had a slightly negative impact on earnings. Establishment of the Finnish business during the period resulted in a dilution of the operating margin; accounting for this, the adjusted operating margin was 6.4 percent (6.3).

Net financial items amounted to SEK -227 million (-279) and the impact on earnings from the market-based measurement of currency and interest hedges was SEK -133 million (15). Profit after financial items was SEK 422 million (440). Profit after tax was SEK 287 million (320).





Earnings per share for January – December were SEK 1.42 (1.59). Dilution of profit per share from existing incentive programme was marginal.

#### **SEASONAL VARIATIONS**

Bravida's business is affected by seasonal variations in the construction industry and employees' annual holiday. Bravida usually has a lower level of activity in the third quarter as it is the main holiday period.

#### **DEPRECIATION AND AMORTISATION**

Depreciation and amortisation of machinery, equipment and intangible assets in the fourth quarter amounted to SEK 6 million (4). Depreciation and amortisation for January – December amounted to SEK 21 million (15).

#### TAX

The tax expense for the fourth quarter was SEK -18 million (-58). Profit before tax was SEK 74 million (216). The effective tax rate for the quarter was 24 (27) percent. The tax rate in Sweden is 22 percent, in Norway it is 27 percent, in Denmark 23.5 percent and in Finland 20 percent. The tax expense for January - December was SEK -135 million (-120), of which SEK -22 million relates to a provision for an ongoing tax audit of the 2012 financial year. The effective tax rate for the quarter was 32 (27) percent. Profit before tax was SEK 422 million (440). Adjusted for the extra provision, the tax rate was 27 percent. Tax paid amounted

to SEK 10 million.

#### **CASH FLOW**

During the fourth quarter cash flow from operating activities was SEK 694 million (494). Cash flow from investing activities was SEK -58 million (-74). Cash flow from financing activities was SEK -431 million (0), which was explained by cash funds used for repayment of debt.

Cash flow from operating activities for January – December was SEK 841 million (659) and cash flow from investing activities amounted to SEK -262 million (-136). Cash flow from financing activities was SEK -767 million (-545).

In the fourth quarter, investments in machinery and equipment amounted to SEK -14 million (-3) and investments in intangible assets totalled SEK -10 million (0). Acquisitions of subsidiaries/businesses totalled SEK -34 million (-71). For the January–December period, investments in machinery and equipment amounted to SEK -17 million (-15) and investments in intangible assets totalled SEK -10 million (0). Acquisitions of subsidiaries/businesses totalled SEK -235 million (-122).

#### ACQUISITIONS (SEE NOTE 2)

In the fourth quarter, Bravida carried out six acquisitions in Sweden, Denmark and Norway. The acquired businesses have estimated annual sales of SEK 229 million. Bravida signed an agreement to acquire a heating and plumbing company in Norway with estimated annual sales of SEK

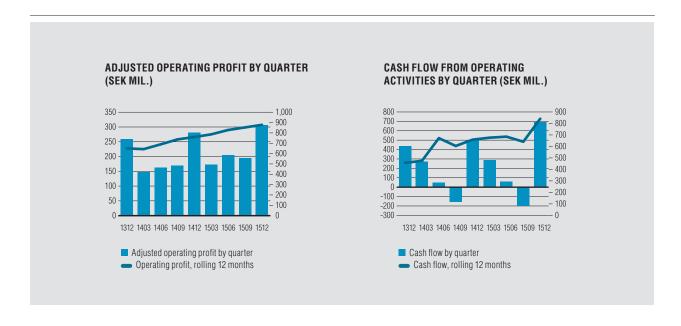
69 million and 35 employees, ownership from 1 January.

In 2015, Bravida acquired 16 companies in Sweden, Norway, Finland and Denmark, with estimated combined annual sales of SEK 1,478 million. These businesses are included in Bravida's earnings at 31 December 2015. Integration of the acquisitions made in 2014 and 2015 is progressing according to plan. If the acquisitions had occurred on 1 January 2015, Bravida's net sales would have been SEK 590 million higher and operating profit would have been around SEK 20 million higher.

#### **FINANCIAL POSITION**

Bravida had net debt of SEK 2,433 million (2,595) at 31 December 2015. Currency fluctuations had only a marginal effect on net debt in the quarter. The equity/assets ratio was 31.2 percent (29.9). During the fourth quarter net interest amounted to SEK -46 million (-75), in addition revaluation of currency and interest hedges amounted to SEK -156 million (42). Net interest expense included a cost of SEK 13 million relating to the redemption of the corporate bond. A cost of SEK 156 million arose in the accounts in connection with the redemption of currency and interest rate hedges, and this was transferred to comprehensive income for the period. The recognised change in value of currency and interest hedges did not have any effect on, equity or the basis for dividends and only a minor effect on cash flow.

During 2015 net interest amounted to





SEK -227 million (-279), in addition revaluation of currency and interest hedges amounted to SEK -133 million (15). Consolidated cash and cash equivalents were SEK 573 million (828) at 31 December.

Interest-bearing liabilities amounted to SEK 3,005 million (3,447) at 31 December. Bravida's credit facility totals SEK 4,200 million, SEK 3,005 million of which was utilised at 31 December 2015. Equity amounted to SEK 3,555 million (3,306) at the end of the period.

#### **EMPLOYEES**

The average number of employees rose by 14 percent compared with the year-earlier period, totalling 9,359 (8,213). The increase in the number of employees is related to increased operations and acquisitions.

#### PARENT COMPANY

Revenues in the fourth quarter were SEK 41 million (25). Profit before tax for the quarter was SEK 438 million (416). For the January – December period, revenues were SEK 71 million (52) and earnings before tax were SEK 269 million (244).

#### OTHER EVENTS DURING THE PERIOD

Bravida Holding AB's shares were publicly listed on Nasdaq Stockholm on 16 October 2015.

Bravida also refinanced most of its debt in conjunction with the IPO. Bonds were repaid and associated derivatives were terminated. From 21 October 2015, Bravida's financing consists of a loan facility and a multi-currency revolving credit totalling SEK 4,000 million with a maturity of five years. The initial rate of interest on the borrowing is approximately 1.65 percent based on the current STIBOR level. In addition, Bravida has a bank overdraft facility of SEK 200 million.

In conjunction with the IPO, the company implemented a long-term incentive programme, LTIP 2015, 248 employees subscribed. The programme aims to promote and encourage staff loyalty to the business by linking participants' interests with shareholders' interests. For further information about the incentive programme, please refer to www.bravidagroup.com/Corporate-Governance/Incentive-Program.

In conjunction with the IPO, the Board

appointed Monica Caneman as Chairwoman of the Board.

#### SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION

Bravida Holding was listed on Nasdaq Stockholm on 16 October 2015 at a price of SEK 40 per share. At 31 December 2015, the price had risen by 39 percent to SEK 55.5 per share. The number of shareholders was just over 11,000 at 31 December 2015

Total number of shares: 201,566,598 Number of votes: 201,566,598

#### DIVIDEND

The Board of Directors proposes a dividend for 2015 of SEK 1.0 (–) per share. Bravida's dividend policy is to pay out at least 50 percent of net profit, the proposed dividend corresponds to 52 percent of the adjusted profit per share.

#### **EVENTS SINCE THE END OF THE PERIOD**

In January 2016, the Bravida Group acquired VVS Engineering AS in Norway.

## MATERIAL RISKS IN THE GROUP AND PARENT COMPANY

Changes in market conditions, financial turmoil and political decisions are the external factors that mainly affect demand for new construction of housing and commercial property, as well as investment from industry and the public sector. Demand for servicing and maintenance is less sensitive to economic fluctuations. Operating risks are related to dayto-day business operations such as tendering, price risks, capacity utilisation and revenue recognition. Management of these risks is part of Bravida's ongoing business process. The percentage-ofcompletion method is used for projects and is based on the extent of completion of each project and the expected date of completion. A well-developed process for the monitoring of projects is essential in limiting the risk of incorrect revenue recognition. Bravida continually monitors the financial status of each project to ensure that individual project calculations are not exceeded. The Group is also exposed to impairment loss risks in fixedprice contracts and various types of financial risk such as currency, interest rate and credit risk. These material risks and uncertainties apply to both parent company and the consolidated Group.



| NET SALES AND GROWTH        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| SEK MIL.                    | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
| Net sales                   | 3,919           | 3,389           | 14,206          | 12,000          |
| Change                      | 530             | 276             | 2,205           | 920             |
| Change, %                   | 15.6            | 8.9             | 18.4            | 8.3             |
| Ofwhich                     |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Organic growth, %           | 4               | 3               | 7               | 5               |
| Acquisitions/divestments, % | 13              | 5               | 12              | 3               |
| Currency effects, %         | -1              | 1               | -1              | 0               |

| NET SALES BY COUNTRY   |                 |                 |                 |                 |                       |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| SEK MIL.               | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 | Percentage<br>in 2015 |
| Sweden                 | 2,352           | 2,061           | 8,583           | 7,322           | 60%                   |
| Norway                 | 831             | 832             | 3,173           | 2,922           | 22%                   |
| Denmark                | 553             | 502             | 2,116           | 1,792           | 15%                   |
| Finland*               | 187             | _               | 358             | _               | 3%                    |
| Group and eliminations | -5              | -6              | -24             | -36             |                       |
| Total                  | 3,919           | 3,389           | 14,206          | 12,000          |                       |

## OPERATING PROFIT/LOSS, OPERATING MARGIN AND PROFIT/LOSS BEFORE TAX

| SEKMIL.                                     | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Sweden                                      | 154             | 150             | 480             | 408             |
| Norway                                      | 85              | 57              | 256             | 192             |
| Denmark                                     | 34              | 31              | 108             | 94              |
| Finland*                                    | 6               | -3              | -1              | -3              |
| Group                                       | -4              | 13              | -62             | 15              |
| Operating profit/loss                       | 275             | 248             | 782             | 705             |
| Adjustments (specific costs)**              | 33              | 33              | 96              | 54              |
| Adjusted operating profit/loss              | 308             | 281             | 878             | 759             |
| Net financial items                         | -46             | -75             | -227            | -279            |
| Revaluation of currency and interest hedges | -156            | 42              | -133            | 15              |
| Profit/loss before tax                      | 74              | 216             | 422             | 440             |

| AVERAGE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES |                 |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| SEK MIL.                    | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
| Sweden                      | 5,102           | 4,788           |
| Norway                      | 2,359           | 2,022           |
| Denmark                     | 1,446           | 1,340           |
| Finland*                    | 387             | _               |
| Group                       | 65              | 63              |
| Total                       | 9,359           | 8,213           |

 $<sup>^\</sup>star$  Finland only included a part of the financial year, see note 2.  $^{\star\star}$  Specicif costs have only been charged to the group segment.



#### OPERATIONS IN SWEDEN

Construction activity in Sweden is stable due to healthy demand from publicsector new-builds and renovation and new-builds and renovations of housing. Construction activity is benefiting from urbanisation and low interest rate levels. Bravida Sweden's customers largely consist of building contractors. In 2015, over 39 percent of net sales was related to building contractors, while public-sector customers accounted for 11 percent of net sales and approximately 50 percent of net sales was related to the other business community. Net sales in Sweden in the fourth quarter rose by 14 percent to SEK 2,352 million (2,061). Operating profit increased marginally to SEK 154 million (150), resulting in an operating margin of 6.6 percent (7.3). The lower operating margin was due to Bravida receiving a repayment of previously paid pension funds of SEK 29 million in the fourth quarter

Order intake in Sweden in the fourth quarter rose by 11 percent to SEK 2,515 million (2,266). The order backlog at the

end of the period was SEK 3,999 million (3,618), which is an 11 percent increase on December 2014.

Bravida Sweden received a number of large orders in the fourth quarter, including a number of orders relating to hospitals; Södersjukhuset in Stockholm (Stockholm South General Hospital), Allingsås Hospital and Helsingborg Hospital Area. In addition, a large order worth SEK 75 million was received relating to the newbuild of rental apartments in Norrköping.

Net sales in Sweden for January – December rose by 17 percent to SEK 8,583 million (7,322). Operating profit for the period increased by 18 percent to SEK 480 million (408), resulting in an operating margin of 5.6 percent (5.6). Order intake in Sweden for January – December rose by 19 percent to SEK 8,886 million (7,467).

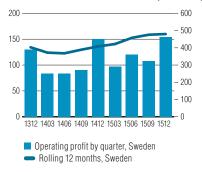
The average number of employees during the period was 5,102 (4,788).



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Net sales by quarter, SwedenRolling 12 months, Sweden

#### **OPERATING PROFIT BY QUARTER (SEK MIL.)**



| SEKMIL.                 | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales               | 2,352           | 2,061           | 8,583           | 7,322           |
| Operating profit (EBIT) | 154             | 150             | 480             | 408             |
| Operating margin, %     | 6.6             | 7.3             | 5.6             | 5.6             |
|                         |                 |                 |                 |                 |



Alingsås Hospital and Helsingborg Hospital Area are undergoing modernisation. Alingsås Hospital aims to halve its energy consumption by 2030 and Helsingborg Hospital Area intends to become the most modern health care provider in Sweden. As part of a partnering contract from Skanska, Bravida will carry out energy-efficient electrical and HVAC installations at Alingsås Hospital, while Peab has tasked Bravida with installing advanced technology in the east wing of the Helsingborg Hospital Area.



#### OPERATIONS IN NORWAY

Over the past year, the Norwegian economy has weakened because of the fall in the price of oil. However, as a result of increased investments in public-sector construction and infrastructure and housing, the Norwegian construction sector was stable in 2015. Nevertheless, the building of commercial premises decreased by around 6 percent in 2015, while the construction of housing rose by around 10 percent. The fall in the price of oil has so far had only a marginal effect on Bravida's business as Bravida's direct exposure to the oil industry is very low. Bravida Norway's customer base was well diversified in 2015, with building contractors, public-sector customers and other business sectors each accounting for more than 25 percent of net sales.

Net sales were unchanged in the fourth quarter at SEK 831 million (832); in local currency, net sales increased by 8 percent.

Operating profit in Norway increased by 49 percent in the fourth quarter, totalling SEK 85 million (57), which equates to an operating margin of 10.2 percent (6.9). In Norwegian kroner, operating profit rose by 59 percent.

The improvement in the margin was largely due to effective selection of projects and several large projects were finished.

Order intake rose by 5 percent to SEK 641 million (611). At the end of the period, the order backlog was SEK 1,295 million (1,427), a decrease of 9 percent; in local currency the order backlog was unchanged. In the fourth quarter, Bravida Norway received numerous orders worth around SEK 25 million, including orders relating to a defence establishment, a sports facility, a logistics centre and housing. The majority of order intake in the fourth quarter, however, related to small and medium-sized installation projects and servicing.

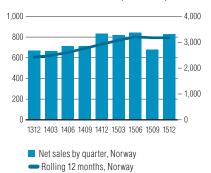
Net sales for January – December increased by 9 percent to SEK 3,173 million (2,922); in local currency net sales increased by 13 percent. Operating profit for the period increased by 33 percent to

SEK 256 million (192). Order intake for the period amounted to SEK 3,018 million (2,698), which was an increase of 12 percent; in local currency order intake rose by 22 percent.

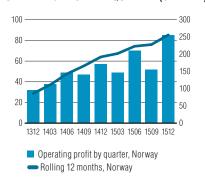
The average number of employees during the period was higher than the previous year, at SEK 2,359 (2,022). The rise in the number of employees was due to increased operations.



#### **NET SALES BY QUARTER (SEK MIL.)**



#### **OPERATING PROFIT BY QUARTER (SEK MIL.)**



| SEKMIL.                 | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales               | 831             | 832             | 3,173           | 2,922           |
| Operating profit (EBIT) | 85              | 57              | 256             | 192             |
| Operating margin, %     | 10.2            | 6.9             | 8.1             | 6.6             |



**New fire safety for old wooden buildings on Norway's Sørland coast.** When Aust-Agder and Vest-Agder had to fireproof their old wooden properties in Kristiansand, Risør and Mandal, their requirements were to find a certified supplier with the right skills to carry out the work. The company chose Bravida, which has now installed thermal imaging cameras to monitor the buildings and transmit images direct to the emergency centre. Bravida is also providing operation and servicing of the camera system.



#### OPERATIONS IN DENMARK

The weak economic conditions of recent years have had an impact on the construction market and, subsequently, the installation market. However, the construction market has stabilised over the past year through increased new construction and renovation of public-sector buildings such as hospitals, universities, schools and investments in infrastructure, as well as increased new construction and renovation of housing. Bravida's market is stable within both installation and servicing. Bravida Denmark largely has public-sector customers. Under 2015, just over 40 percent of net sales related to public-sector construction, 20 percent of total net sales related to care projects and 17 percent related to infrastructure projects. Bravida Denmark's sales grew by 10 percent in the fourth quarter to SEK 553 million (502).

Operating profit rose to SEK 34 million (31), which equates to an operating mar-

gin of 6.1 percent (6.3). Order intake grew by 19 percent in the fourth quarter to SEK 571 million (481). The order backlog at the end of 2015 was SEK 1,432 million (1,534).

Bravida Denmark received two large orders in the fourth quarter. An order worth around SEK 113 million was received for the new-build and renovation of Viborg Hospital and an order for SEK 53 million was received for the newbuild of a conference hotel in southern Denmark.

Net sales for January – December increased by 18 percent to SEK 2,116 million (1.792).

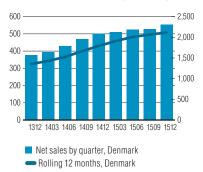
Operating profit for the January – December period amounted to SEK 108 million (94), an increase of 15 percent. The operating margin was 5.1 percent (5.2).

The increase in sales volumes was due to a number of installation projects in the infrastructure, healthcare and education sectors. Order intake for the period January – December was SEK 2,014 million (2,020).

The average number of employees in 2015 was 1,446 (1,340). The rise in the number of employees was due to increased operations.



#### **NET SALES BY QUARTER (SEK MIL.)**



#### **OPERATING PROFIT BY QUARTER (SEK MIL.)**



| SEKMIL.                 | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales               | 553             | 502             | 2,116           | 1,792           |
| Operating profit (EBIT) | 34              | 31              | 108             | 94              |
| Operating margin, %     | 6.1             | 6.3             | 5.1             | 5.2             |



**University College Lillebælt in Odense** is creating a new campus using its old buildings. The interior of the buildings is being stripped out and entirely remodelled to provide space for the new Odense Campus. Bravida is providing the heating and plumbing, HVAC and CTS installations.



#### OPERATIONS IN FINLAND

According to the latest industry confidence indicators, the Finnish construction market has improved, albeit from a low level. The number of building permits granted has increased in recent months.

The second quarter of 2015 saw the establishment of Bravida Finland through acquisitions. As of 1 June 2015, Bravida Finland acquired the installation and servicing division of Peko Group, which is based in Tampere, central Finland, and in Helsinki. On 31 July Bravida Finland acquired Halmesvaara OY, including subsidiaries, which operates in the Helsinki region. The acquired businesses have combined annual sales of SEK 830 million and 430 employees. The acquired businesses were integrated in the autumn of 2015 and comprise two regions, Installation and Servicing. Bravida Finland implemented Group-wide reporting and

purchasing systems in the fourth quarter.

Bravida Finland's net sales in the fourth quarter amounted to SEK 187 million (0) and operating profit was SEK 6 million (-3), which results in an operating margin of 3.0 percent. Order intake was SEK 165 million and the order backlog amounted to SEK 367 million.

Net sales for the June – December period were SEK 358 million. Operating income for the period was SEK 0 million and the operating margin was 0 percent. Order intake amounted to SEK 355 million.

Bravida Finland has entered into a number of servicing assignments with companies including Fortum, Sponda and Valio.

The average number of employees for June – December was 387.



| SEKMIL.                 | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales               | 187             | _               | 358             | _               |
| Operating profit (EBIT) | 6               | -3              | 0               | -3              |
| Operating margin, %     | 3.0             | -               | 0               | -               |



**Aalto University in Espoo** is being renovated in several stages and Bravida is carrying out installation work in one of the university buildings. The current phase is estimated to be completed by October 2016 and covers an area of around 3,000 square metres. Bravida is carrying out the installation of electrical, heating and plumbing, HVAC, automation and cooling systems. The renovated areas will provide space for research work at the university.



#### CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT AND STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME, SUMMARY

| SEK MIL.  | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales   | 3,919           | 3,389           | 14,206          | 12,000          |
| Production costs  | -3,272          | -2,796          | -12,081         | -10,173         |
| Gross profit/loss   | 647             | 593             | 2,124           | 1,827           |
| Selling and administrative expenses                                       | -372            | -345            | -1,342          | -1,123          |
| Operating profit/loss   | 275             | 248             | 782             | 705             |
| Net financial items   | -46             | -75             | -227            | -279            |
| Revaluation of currency and interest hedges                               | -156            | 42              | -133            | 15              |
| Profit/loss before tax  | 74              | 216             | 422             | 440             |
| Tax on profit/loss for the period   | -18             | -58             | -135            | -120            |
| Profit/loss for the period  | 56              | 158             | 287             | 320             |
| Other comprehensive income  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Items transferred or that can be transferred to profit or loss            |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Differences arising from the translation of foreign operations the period | -46             | -19             | -89             | 28              |
| Change in hedging reserve   | 156             | -20             | 171             | -100            |
| Items that cannot be transferred to profit or loss                        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Revaluation of defined-benefit pensions                                   | 148             | -166            | 248             | -166            |
| Tax attributable to items in other comprehensive income                   | -67             | 41              | -92             | 59              |
| Comprehensive income for the period                                       | 247             | -6              | 525             | 140             |
| Comprehensive income for the period attributable to:                      |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Equity holders of the parent  | 246             | -8              | 519             | 133             |
| Non-controlling interests   | 1               | 3               | 5               | 6               |
| Comprehensive income for the period                                       | 247             | -6              | 525             | 140             |
| Earnings per share for the period, SEK                                    | 0.28            | 0.78            | 1.42            | 1,59            |
| Order   |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Orderintake   | 3,886           | 3,353           | 14,249          | 12,149          |
| Order backlog   | 7,092           | 6,580           | 7,092           | 6,580           |
| Number of shares in parent company, after reversed split*                 | 201,566,598     | 201,566,598     | 201,566,598     | 201,566,598     |

<sup>\*</sup> In the third quarter of 2015, a reverse 1:2 split of the company's shares was carried out, following which there are 201,566,598 shares. Earnings per share from previous periods have been recalculated in this interim report.



#### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET, SUMMARY

| SEK MIL.                              | 31 Dec 2015 | 31 Dec 2014 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Goodwill                              | 7,211       | 6,940       |
| Other non-current assets              | 219         | 386         |
| Total non-current assets              | 7,429       | 7,326       |
| Trade receivables                     | 2,165       | 1,969       |
| Income accrued but not invoiced       | 813         | 655         |
| Other current assets                  | 415         | 287         |
| Cash and cash equivalents             | 573         | 828         |
| Total current assets                  | 3,965       | 3,739       |
| Total assets                          | 11,395      | 11,064      |
| Equity                                | 3,555       | 3,306       |
| Non-current liabilities               | 2,877       | 3,862       |
| Trade payables                        | 1,399       | 1,030       |
| Income invoiced but not accrued       | 1,287       | 1,200       |
| Current liabilities                   | 2,277       | 1,666       |
| Total liabilities                     | 7,840       | 7,758       |
| Total equity and liabilities          | 11,395      | 11,064      |
| Of which interest-bearing liabilities | 3,005       | 3,447       |
| Equity attributable to:               |             |             |
| Equity holders of the parent          | 3,543       | 3,293       |
| Non-controlling interests             | 11          | 13          |
| Total equity                          | 3,555       | 3,306       |

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

| SEK MIL.                            | 31 Dec 2015 | 31 Dec 2014 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Consolidated equity                 |             |             |
| Opening balance                     | 3,306       | 3,701       |
| Comprehensive income for the period | 525         | 140         |
| Dividend                            | -277        | -500        |
| Net group contribution paid         | -           | -35         |
| Cost shareholder programme          | 1           | _           |
| Closing balance                     | 3,555       | 3,306       |



#### CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT, SUMMARY

| SEK MIL.  | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Cash flow from operating activities                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Profit/loss before tax                              | 74              | 216             | 422             | 440             |
| Adjustment for non-cash items                       | 309             | 26              | 278             | 46              |
| Income taxes paid                                   | -7              | -3              | -10             | -5              |
| Changes in working capital                          | 319             | 255             | 150             | 179             |
| Cash flow from operating activities                 | 694             | 494             | 841             | 659             |
| Investing activities                                |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Acquisition of subsidiaries and businesses          | -34             | -71             | -235            | -122            |
| Other   | -24             | -3              | -27             | -15             |
| Cash flow from investing activities                 | -58             | -74             | -262            | -136            |
| Financing activities                                |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Loans to Group companies                            | 54              | 45              | _               | _               |
| Repayment of loan                                   | -3,441          | _               | -3,441          | _               |
| New loan  | 3,002           | _               | 3,002           | _               |
| Payment in connection with refinancing              | -46             | _               | -46             | _               |
| Change in utilisation of overdraft facility         | -               | _               | -6              | _               |
| Dividend paid                                       | _               | _               | -277            | -500            |
| Group contributions paid                            | -               | -45             | _               | -45             |
| Cash flow from financing activities                 | -431            | _               | -767            | -545            |
| Cash flow for the period                            | 205             | 420             | -189            | -22             |
| Cash and cash equivalents at start of year          | 408             | 423             | 828             | 838             |
| Translation difference in cash and cash equivalents | -41             | -14             | -66             | 12              |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period          | 573             | 828             | 573             | 828             |

| <b>OPER</b> | ATING | СЛСН | <b>FLOW</b> |
|-------------|-------|------|-------------|
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| SEK MIL.                             | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Operating profit/loss                | 275             | 248             | 782             | 705             |
| Depreciation and amortisation        | 6               | 4               | 21              | 15              |
| Other adjustments for non-cash items | 83              | 47              | 62              | 31              |
| Capital expenditure                  | -24             | -3              | -27             | -15             |
| Changes in working capital           | 319             | 255             | 150             | 179             |
| Operating cash flow                  | 658             | 550             | 988             | 915             |

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Number of shares

| SEK MIL.                            | Oct-Dec<br>2015 | Oct-Dec<br>2014 | Jan-Dec<br>2015 | Jan-Dec<br>2014 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net sales                           | 41              | 25              | 71              | 52              |
| Selling and administrative expenses | -24             | -15             | -103            | -52             |
| Operating profit/loss               | 17              | 11              | -32             | 0               |
| Net financial items                 | 9               | -123            | -111            | -284            |
| Profit/loss before tax              | 26              | -112            | -143            | -284            |
| Net Group contribution              | 490             | 528             | 490             | 528             |
| Transfer to/from untaxed reserves   | -78             | _               | -78             | _               |
| Profit/loss before tax              | 438             | 416             | 269             | 244             |
| Tax on profit/loss for the period   | -61             | -54             | -81             | -54             |
| Profit/loss for the period          | 377             | 363             | 188             | 190             |

| SEK MIL.  | 31 Dec<br>2015 | 31 De<br>201 |
|---|----------------|--------------|
| Shares in subsidiaries                          | 7.341          | 7,34         |
| Deferred tax asset                              | -              | 7,01         |
| Total non-current assets                        | 7,341          | 7,349        |
| Receivables from Group companies                | 1,897          | 1,962        |
| Current receivables                             | 45             | .,002        |
| Total current receivables                       | 1,942          | 1,965        |
| Cash and bank balances                          | 456            | 746          |
| Total current assets                            | 2,397          | 2,711        |
| Total assets                                    | 9,739          | 10,060       |
| Restricted equity                               | 4              | 4            |
| Non-restricted equity                           | 4,595          | 4,682        |
| Equity  | 4,599          | 4,686        |
| Untaxed reserves                                | 78             | -            |
| Provisions                                      | _              | 6            |
| Liabilities to credit institutions              | 2,700          | -            |
| Bond loan                                       | _              | 3,44         |
| Total non-current liabilities                   | 2,700          | 3,441        |
| Short-term loans                                | 300            | -            |
| Liabilities to Group companies                  | 1,920          | 1,874        |
| Current liabilities                             | 142            | 53           |
| Total current liabilities                       | 2,362          | 1,927        |
| Total equity and liabilities                    | 9,739          | 10,060       |
| Of which interest-bearing liabilities           | 3,000          | 3,44         |
| Pledged assets and contingent liabilities       |                |              |
| Pledged assets                                  | _              | 7,34         |
| Contingent liabilities                          | 1,056          | 1,052        |
| Total pledged assets and contingent liabilities | 1,056          | 8,393        |



## Quarterly data

| PROFIT/LOSS IN SEK MIL.   | Oct-Dec<br>2015   | Juli-Sept<br>2015                               | April-June<br>2015                              | Jan-Mars<br>2015                                | Oct-Dec<br>2014                                  | Jan-Dec<br>2015                                  | Jan-Dec<br>2014                                  |
|---|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| Net sales   | 3,919   | 3,302   | 3,660   | 3,325   | 3,389  | 14,206   | 12,000   |
| Production costs  | -3,272  | -2,821  | -3,135  | -2,854  | -2,796   | -12,081  | -10,173  |
| Gross profit/loss   | 647   | 481   | 525   | 471   | 593  | 2,124  | 1,827  |
| Administrative and selling expenses   | -372  | -312  | -339  | -318  | -345   | -1,342   | -1,123   |
| Operating profit /loss  | 275   | 168   | 187   | 153   | 248  | 782  | 705  |
| Adjustment of costs of a specific nature  | 33  | 27  | 17  | 20  | 33   | 96   | 54   |
| Operating profit/loss after adjustment of costs of a  |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| specific nature   | 308   | 195   | 203   | 172   | 282  | 878  | 759  |
| Net financial items   | -202  | -32   | -58   | -68   | -32  | -360   | -265   |
| Profit/Loss after financial items (EBT)   | 74  | 136   | 129   | 84  | 216  | 422  | 440  |
| Tax   | -18   | -28   | -68   | -22   | -58  | -135   | -120   |
| Profit/loss for the period  | 56  | 109   | 61  | 62  | 158  | 287  | 320  |
|   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| BALANCE SHEET IN SEK MIL.   | 31 Dec<br>2015  | 30 Sep<br>2015                                  | 30 June<br>2015                                 | 31 Mar<br>2015                                  | 31 Dec<br>2014                                   | 31 Dec<br>2015                                   | 31 Dec<br>2014                                   |
| Goodwill  | 7,211   | 7,185   | 7,120   | 7,016   | 6,940  | 7,211  | 6,940  |
| Other non-current assets  | 219   | 313   | 342   | 367   | 386  | 219  | 386  |
| Current assets  | 3,393   | 3,536   | 3,334   | 3,005   | 2,911  | 3,393  | 3,911  |
| Cash and cash equivalents   | 573   | 408   | 715   | 991   | 828  | 573  | 828  |
| Total assets  | 11,395  | 11,443  | 11,512  | 11,379  | 11,064   | 11,395   | 11,064   |
| Equity  | 3,555   | 3,306   | 3,152   | 3,357   | 3,306  | 3,555  | 3,306  |
| Borrowings  | 2,700   | 3,420   | 3,374   | 3,390   | 3,441  | 2,700  | 3,441  |
| Other non-current liabilities   | 177   | 330   | 407   | 424   | 421  | 177  | 421  |
| Current liabilities   | 4,962   | 4,389   | 4,579   | 4,209   | 3,896  | 4,962  | 3,896  |
| Total equity and liabilities  | 11,395  | 11,443  | 11,512  | 11,379  | 11,064   | 11,395   | 11,064   |
|   |   |   | -   |   |  |  |  |
| CASH FLOWS IN SEK MIL.  | Oct-Dec<br>2015   | Juli-Sept<br>2015                               | April-June<br>2015                              | Jan-Mars<br>2015                                | Oct-Dec<br>2014                                  | Jan-Dec<br>2015                                  | Jan-Dec<br>2014                                  |
| Cash flow from operating activities   | 694   | -201  | 59  | 289   | 494  | 841  | 659  |
| Cash flow from investing activities   | -58   | -95   | -44   | -65   | -74  | -262   | -136   |
| Cash flow from financing activities   | -431  | -1  | -279  | -57   | _  | -767   | -545   |
| Cash flow for the period  | 205   | -296  | -264  | 167   | 420  | -189   | -22  |
|   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| KEY FIGURES   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| Operating margin, %   | 7.0   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 4.6   | 7.3  | 5.5  | 5.9  |
| Adjusted operating margin, %  | 7.9   | 5.9   |   | 5.2   | 8.3  | 6.2  | 6.3  |
| Profit margin, %  | 1.9   | 4.1   | 3.5   | 2.5   | 6.4  | 3.0  | 3.7  |
| Return on equity,* %  | 8.4   | 12.1  | 10.4  | 10.8  | 9.1  | 8.4  | 9.1  |
| Net debt  | 2,433   | 2,972   | 2,675   | 2,437   | 2,595  | 2,433  | 2,595  |
| Net debt/EBITDA, LTM  | 2.7   | 3.4   |   | 3.0   | 3.3  | 2.7  | 3.3  |
| Cash conversion,* %   | 125   | 113   |   | 128   | 128  | 125  | 128  |
| Interest coverage ratio   | 4.3   | 2.7   |   | 1.9<br>29.5                                     | 3.3  | 2.5  | 2.2  |
|   |   | 00.0  |   |   | 29.9   | 31.2   | 29.9   |
| Equity/assets ratio, %  | 31.2  | 28.9  | 27.4  |   |  |  | 40 440   |
| Equity/assets ratio, %<br>Order intake  | 31.2<br>3,886   | 3,458   | 3,669   | 3,236   | 3,353  | 14,249   |  |
| Equity/assets ratio, %<br>Order intake<br>Order backlog   | 31.2<br>3,886<br>7,092                                  | 3,458<br>7,099                                  | 3,669<br>6,875                                  | 3,236<br>6,502                                  | 3,353<br>6,580                                   | 14,249<br>7,092                                  | 6,580  |
| Equity/assets ratio, %<br>Order intake<br>Order backlog<br>Average no. of employees   | 31.2<br>3,886<br>7,092<br>9,359                         | 3,458<br>7,099<br>9,374                         | 3,669<br>6,875<br>8,874                         | 3,236<br>6,502<br>8,798                         | 3,353<br>6,580<br>8,213                          | 14,249<br>7,092<br>9,359                         | 6,580<br>8,213                                   |
| Equity/assets ratio, % Order intake Order backlog Average no. of employees Net sales per employee   | 31.2<br>3,886<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>0.419                | 3,458<br>7,099<br>9,374<br>0.352                | 3,669<br>6,875<br>8,874<br>0.412                | 3,236<br>6,502<br>8,798<br>0.378                | 3,353<br>6,580<br>8,213<br>0.413                 | 14,249<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>1.518                | 6,580<br>8,213<br>1.461                          |
| Equity/assets ratio, % Order intake Order backlog Average no. of employees Net sales per employee Administrative expenses as % of sales                               | 31.2<br>3,886<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>0.419<br>9.5         | 3,458<br>7,099<br>9,374<br>0.352<br>9.5         | 3,669<br>6,875<br>8,874<br>0.412<br>9.3         | 3,236<br>6,502<br>8,798<br>0.378<br>9.6         | 3,353<br>6,580<br>8,213<br>0.413<br>10.2         | 14,249<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>1.518<br>9.4         | 6,580<br>8,213<br>1.461<br>9.4                   |
| Equity/assets ratio, % Order intake Order backlog Average no. of employees Net sales per employee Administrative expenses as % of sales Working capital as % of sales | 31.2<br>3,886<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>0.419<br>9.5<br>-7.9 | 3,458<br>7,099<br>9,374<br>0.352<br>9.5<br>-5.7 | 3,669<br>6,875<br>8,874<br>0.412<br>9.3<br>-8.5 | 3,236<br>6,502<br>8,798<br>0.378<br>9.6<br>-8.6 | 3,353<br>6,580<br>8,213<br>0.413<br>10.2<br>-7.1 | 14,249<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>1.518<br>9.4<br>-7.9 | 12,149<br>6,580<br>8,213<br>1.461<br>9.4<br>-7.1 |
| Equity/assets ratio, % Order intake Order backlog Average no. of employees Net sales per employee Administrative expenses as % of sales                               | 31.2<br>3,886<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>0.419<br>9.5         | 3,458<br>7,099<br>9,374<br>0.352<br>9.5         | 3,669<br>6,875<br>8,874<br>0.412<br>9.3<br>-8.5 | 3,236<br>6,502<br>8,798<br>0.378<br>9.6         | 3,353<br>6,580<br>8,213<br>0.413<br>10.2         | 14,249<br>7,092<br>9,359<br>1.518<br>9.4         | 6,580<br>8,213<br>1.461<br>9.4                   |



# **NOTES**

#### NOTE 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

This interim report for the group has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Reporting and appropriate sections of Chapter 9, Interim Reporting, of the Swedish Annual Accounts Act. The parts of the interim report that relate to the parent company have been prepared in accordance with Section 9, Interim Reporting, of the Swedish Annual Accounts Act.

Unless otherwise stated, the accounting principles and calculation methods that have been used in the interim report correspond to those applied in preparing the most recent annual report, except notified changes regarding allocation of costs and segment classification. New and amended IFRS standards and interpretations from the IFRS Interpretations Committee that apply from 1 January 2015 have no significant effect on Bravida Holding AB's financial reporting.

## NEW POLICY FOR ALLOCATION OF COSTS WITH EFFECT FROM 1 JANUARY 2015

Previously, all costs for personnel that were not directly connected with production were handled as selling and administrative expenses. With effect from 1 January 2015, direct and indirect costs for indirect production person-

nel, including cost accountants, service managers etc., have been allocated to production costs. Previous periods have been recalculated so as to be comparable.

#### CHANGE TO SEGMENT CLASSIFICATION

With effect from 2015, Bravida's segments are countries, i.e. Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Finland. The previous segment classification involved divisions corresponding to their geographical markets, with Sweden divided into three different geographical markets.

NOTE 2. BUSINESS COMBINATIONS (see page 4 regarding acquisitions)

Bravida made the following acquisitions during the period January to December 2015 (in some transactions will part of the purchase sum be paid in arrear):

| Acquired unit                             | Country | Туре                   | Month of acquisition | Percentage of votes | No. of employees | Estimated<br>annual sales<br>in SEK MIL. |
|---|---------|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|--|
| Heating and plumbing business, Västerås   | Sweden  | Company                | January              | 100%                | 6                | 7  |
| Electrical business, Nyköping             | Sweden  | Company                | January              | 75%                 | 39               | 211                                      |
| Electrical business, Skellefteå           | Sweden  | Company                | February             | 100%                | 11               | 15                                       |
| Electrical business, Östersund            | Sweden  | Company                | March                | 100%                | 22               | 27                                       |
| Heating and plumbing business, Stockholm  |         |                        |                      |                     |                  |  |
| remaining 30% minority holding            | Sweden  | Company                | March                | 30%                 |                  |  |
| Heating and plumbing business, Gothenburg | Sweden  | Company                | April                | 100%                | 45               | 87                                       |
| Operations in Finland                     | Finland | Company                | June                 | 100%                | 320              | 620                                      |
| Electrical business, Malmö                | Sweden  | Company                | June                 | 100%                | 20               | 40                                       |
| Business in Finland                       | Finland | Company                | July                 | 100%                | 110              | 210                                      |
|   |         | Assets and             |                      |                     |                  |  |
| Heating and plumbing business, Sundsvall  | Sweden  | liabilities            | July                 | 100%                | 9                | 12                                       |
| Electrical business, Klippan              | Sweden  | Company                | July                 | 100%                | 16               | 20                                       |
| HVAC business, Tromsö                     | Norway  | Company                | October              | 100%                | 32               | 70                                       |
| Security, Linköping                       | Sweden  | Company                | November             | 100%                | 5                | 10                                       |
| Cooling, Luleå                            | Sweden  | Company                | November             | 100%                | 50               | 73                                       |
| Electrical business, Falun                | Sweden  | Company                | December             | 100%                | 9                | 20                                       |
| Electrical business, Långshyttan          | Sweden  | Company                | December             | 100%                | 40               | 40                                       |
| Electrical business, Randers              | Denmark | Assets and liabilities | December             | 100%                | 13               | 16                                       |



#### NOTE 2. ACQUISITION OF OPERATIONS, CONT

#### Effects of acquisitions in 2015

Acquisitions have the following effects on consolidated assets and liabilities

|   | Fair value recognised in the Group<br>SEK MIL. |
|---|--|
| Intangible assets                           | 2.359  |
| Other non-current assets                    | 14,216   |
| Other current assets                        | 491,629  |
| Cash and cash equivalents                   | 70,369   |
| Provisions                                  | -18,933  |
| Non-current liabilities                     | -9,937   |
| Current liabilities                         | -496,813                                       |
| Sum net identifiable assets and liabilities | 52,890   |
| Consolidated goodwill                       | 318,946  |
| Aquisition price                            | 371,836  |
| Cash and cash equivalents (acquired)        | 70,369   |
| Net effect on cash and cash equivalents     | 301,467  |
| Calculation of cost                         |  |
| Cash consideration paid                     | 279,536  |
| Consideration recognised as a liability     | 92,300   |
| Aquisition price                            | 371,836  |

#### **NOTE 3.** FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Currency and interest hedges have been valued by an external party using the cash flow model, which is based on observable data for the currency and fixed-income markets.

The fair value of interest rate hedges are calculated using market value on the basis of listed prices. Based on the input data used, valuation can be classified as follows:

- Level 1 refers to fully observable data, unadjusted listed prices on an active market for identical assets and liabilities to which the company has access at the time of valuation.
- Level 2 refers to observable data, other than the listed prices of level 1, which is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3 refers to non-observable data for assets or liabilities. An asset or liability is included in its entirety in one of the three levels, based on the lowest level of input data that is material to the valuation.

Currency and interest hedges of the Group and the parent company are in level 2.



Stockholm, 19 February 2016 Bravida Holding AB

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CEO and Group President

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#### **2016 FINANCIAL REPORTING DATES**

| Interim report for first quarter of 2016 | 28 April 2016   |
|--|-----------------|
| Annual General Meeting                   | 3 May 2016      |
| Interim report for second quarter 2016   | 22 July 2016    |
| Interim report for third quarter of 2016 | 28 October 2016 |

The 2015 Annual Report will be available at Bravidagroup.com from week 15. The Annual General Meeting will be held on 3 May at 3 p.m. CET at 7A Konferens, Odengatan 65, Stockholm.



# **DEFINITIONS**

## FINANCIAL DEFINITIONS

#### OPERATING MARGIN

Operating profit in percentage of net

#### **PROFIT MARGIN**

Profit/loss after financial items as a percentage of net sales.

#### **EQUITY/ASSETS RATIO**

Equity plus, in the parent company, the equity share of untaxed reserves, as a percentage of total assets at year-end.

#### INTEREST COVERAGE RATIO

Profit/loss after financial items, plus interest charges, divided by interest expenses.

#### **NET SALES**

Net sales are recorded in accordance with the principle of revenue recognition of work in progress. These revenues are recognised in proportion to the degree of completion of projects.

#### ORDER INTAKE

The value of projects received and changes to existing projects during the period in question.

#### ORDER BACKLOG

The value of remaining, not yet accrued, project revenues from orders on hand at the end of the period.

#### **OPERATING CASH FLOW**

Operating profit/loss adjusted for noncash items, investments in machinery and equipment and changes in working capital.

#### **CASH CONVERSION**

EBITDA LTM +/- change in working capital and investments in equipment in percentage of EBIT LTM.

## OPERATIONAL DEFINITIONS

#### INSTALLATION/CONTRACTING

The installation and refurbishment of technical systems in properties, facilities and infrastructure.

#### **SERVICING**

The operation, maintenance and minor refurbishment of installations in properties, facilities and infrastructure.

#### NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

Calculated as the average number of employees during the year, taking account of the percentage of full-time employment.

#### ELECTRICAL

Power supply, lighting, heating, control and surveillance systems.
Telecom and other low-voltage instal-

Telecom and other low-voltage installations. Fire and intruder alarm systems and products, access control systems, CCTV and integrated security systems.

#### **HEATING & PLUMBING**

Water, waste water, heating, sanitation, cooling and sprinkler systems. District heating and cooling.
Industrial piping with expertise in all types of pipe welding. Energy saving

through integrated energy systems.

#### HVAC

Comfort ventilation and comfort cooling through air treatment, air conditioning and climate control. Commercial cooling in freezer and cold rooms. Process ventilation control systems. Energy audits and energy saving through integrated energy systems. heat pumps. etc.



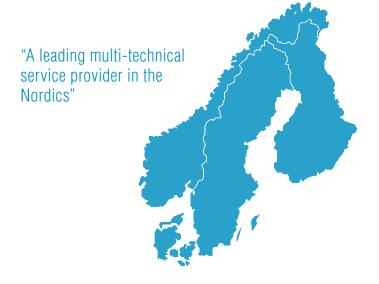
# **BRAVIDA OVERVIEW**

# WE BRING BUILDINGS TO LIFE

Bravida is a leading multi-technical service provider in the Nordics, with around 9,000 employees and annual sales of around SEK 14,000 million. Bravida provides specialist services and integrated solutions in the installation and servicing of three main areas of technology: electrical, heating & plumbing and HVAC (heating, ventilation and air conditioning). It also offers modern facility management services, fire and security systems technology, sprinkler systems, cooling and project management services for the construction and property industries.

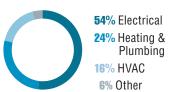
Bravida is present in 140 locations around the the Nordic region, offering everything from integrated solutions with turnkey management, through long-term service agreement to smaller-scale contracting and servicing. It has both private and public sector customers.

Bravida's shares are listed on Nasdao Stockholm since October 16 2015.



#### **BREAKDOWN OF INCOME IN 2015**

# TECHNICAL AREA PERCENTAGE OF BRAVIDA'S SALES



# INSTALLATION/SERVICING PERCENTAGE OF BRAVIDA'S SALES



#### **INCOME BY GEOGRAPHICAL MARKET IN 2015**

#### TECHNICAL AREA

|         | Servicing | Installation | Electrical | Heating & plumbing | HVAC | Specialist areas |
|---------|-----------|--------------|------------|--------------------|------|------------------|
| Sweden  | 45%       | 55%          | 45%        | 28%                | 19%  | 8%               |
| Norway  | 51%       | 49%          | 74%        | 15%                | 3%   | 8%               |
| Denmark | 44%       | 56%          | 56%        | 23%                | 21%  | _                |
| Finland | 24%       | 76%          | 32%        | 35%                | 22%  | 11%              |

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