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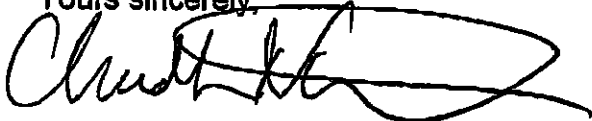
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Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

We hereby confirm that SMALLCAP World Fund, Inc., 333 South Hope Street, Los Angeles, California 90071, USA purchased 41,600 shares of Hemtex AB listed on OM-Stockholm Exchange on 18 January 2007. After the transaction, SMALLCAP World Fund, Inc. owns 1,435,000 shares, representing 5.12% of the outstanding shares of Hemtex AB.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Gina Martinez or Vivien Tan at (213) 452-0469 or send a fax message to (213) 486-9698. Alternatively, you may contact us via E-mail at [GRGroup@capgroup.com](mailto:GRGroup@capgroup.com).

Yours sincerely,



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