



HiQ signs framework agreement with leading security supplier

HiQ has signed a framework agreement with ASSA ABLOY, a leading supplier of locks and door opening solutions. The rolling agreement covers services such as systems development, quality assurance and project management within product development at ASSA ABLOY.

"It is always pleasing to sign framework agreements because it demonstrates that clients have confidence in us. HiQ and ASSA ABLOY have a common interest in using what are known as agile methods, and with our 150 certified Scrum masters HiQ has substantial knowledge to impart. We enjoy helping our clients to perform to the best of their ability, so we are delighted to have now signed a framework agreement with ASSA ABLOY," says Bo Ringdahl, Managing Director of HiQ Stockholm.

HiQ enjoys a strong position in manufacturing industry and provides services to a large number of leading players. The new agreement with ASSA ABLOY will enable HiQ to increase its presence in this segment further.

"In our industry there are high requirements of reliability, technical expertise and fast results. At HiQ we work on projects in which we solve advanced technical challenges close to our clients under great time pressure. We have managed and supported a variety of projects for nearly a decade and consider ourselves experts in the field. We are looking forward to taking on new challenges together and providing this client with HiQ's expertise," summarises Bo Ringdahl, Managing Director of HiQ Stockholm.

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