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Notification of Change in Shareholding

Metro International S.A. ("Metro International"), the international newspaper group, hereby announces in accordance with the "Law of 11 January 2008 on transparency requirements for issuers of securities", where Luxembourg is the home Member State (the "Transparency Law"), a change in shareholding.

Please be notified that Försäkringsaktiebolaget Avanza Pension on 16 June 2011, has changed its shareholdings in Metro International S.A. to a level below the threshold of 5 percent of total numbers of voting rights. Försäkringsaktiebolaget Avanza Pension's shareholding thereafter amounts to 13,152,897 SDRs representing the Class A share, equivalent to 4.97 percent of the total number of voting rights (17 May 2011 Avanza Pension's shareholding exceeded the threshold of 5 percent of total numbers of voting rights).

Försäkringsaktiebolaget Avanza Pension is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Avanza Bank Holding AB. It is the pension holders of Avanza Pension who has acquired the shareholdings in question.

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