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Press Release --- Intrum Justitia is obligated to release the following information in accordance with the Securities and Clearing Operations Act and/or the Financial Instruments Trading Act. The information was provided for public release on Thursday, January 31, 2008 at 5:00 p.m. CET.

Share capital increase as a result of employee stock option exercise pursuant to Intrum Justitia's Employee Stock Option Program

Intrum Justitia's Employee Stock Option Program 2003/2009, which was approved by the Annual General Meeting in 2003 and provides 20 Group employees in senior positions an opportunity to acquire new shares at a strike price of SEK 54.60 per share during the period July 1, 2007–May 30, 2009 is, as earlier informed, currently in its exercise phase.

As a consequence of exercise of allocated employee stock options, the share capital of Intrum Justitia has during January 2008 increased from SEK 1,581,797.02 to SEK 1,582,629.02, corresponding to an increase of 41,600 new shares, with the same number of votes. The share capital increase with a total of SEK 832, which corresponds to the stock subscription, has been registered by Bolagsverket (the Swedish Companies Registration Office) on January 15 and January 29, 2008. The total of the shares and voting rights in the company amounts herewith to 79,131,451.

Information on the Employee Stock Option Program is available in Intrum Justitia's Annual Report 2006 on page 61, note 27, and in the latest Interim Report dated November 8, 2007.

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