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HL Display AB (publ) applies for delisting and convenes an extraordinary general meeting

At the request of Ratos AB (publ) ("Ratos"), the board of HL Display AB (publ) ("HL Display") has today resolved to apply for delisting of the company's shares that are listed on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm ("NASDAQ OMX"). At the request of Ratos, the board of HL Display has also resolved to convene an extraordinary general meeting to be held on September 23, 2010 for the purposes of electing a new board.

Following completion of Ratos public offer to the shareholders of HL Display, Ratos controls approximately 98.7% of the capital and 99.4% of the votes in HL Display. Ratos has also announced its intention to request a squeeze-out of the HL Display shares that are not held by Ratos.

The last day of trading in the company's shares on NASDAQ OMX will be announced as soon as the company has received confirmation from NASDAQ OMX.

Nacka Strand August 25, 2010

The Board of HL Display AB (publ)

Further information

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HL Display is Europe's leading merchandising company. With more than 50 years experience, the company is experts at displaying products in stores in a way that increases sales and makes the store work more efficient, at the same time as providing end consumers with all the information required to make a purchasing decision. HL Display aims primarily at three customer segments: retail food, retail non-food and brand manufacturers.

HL Display' innovations have a proven record of establishing new standards on the market, all over the world. The company is represented on 46 markets in Western and Eastern Europe and in Asia with head office in Nacka, Stockholm. Net sales amounted to MSEK 1,360 in 2009. The HL Display share is quoted on the Nasdaq OMX Stockholm Small Cap list.

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