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### **Rottneros Packaging concludes transfer agreement**

Rottneros Packaging AB, a wholly-owned subsidiary in the Rottneros Group, develops, manufactures and sells food packaging based on cellulose fibre under the SilviPak brand. Rottneros has concluded an agreement with the Swiss packaging company SIG Combibloc concerning the assignment of intangible assets, mainly in the form of patents and patent applications.

Rottneros Packaging's business operation with food trays under the SilviPak brand is not covered by this agreement. This transaction will have a minor impact on Rottneros' income statement, but will improve the Group's cash flow. The parties have agreed to keep the financial details related to the agreement confidential.

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#### **NB**

This information is such that Rottneros must disclose in accordance with the Swedish Securities Markets Act and/or the Financial Instruments Trading Act. The information was submitted for publication on Friday 19 February at 10.00 CET.

Rottneros is an independent producer of market pulp. The Group comprises the parent company Rottneros AB, listed on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm, and its subsidiaries Rottneros Bruk AB and Vallviks Bruk AB with operations involving the production and sale of market pulp. The Group also includes the wood procurement company Rottneros Baltic SIA in Latvia and the sales company Rottneros S.A. in Belgium. The Rottneros Packaging AB division produces food packaging made from paper pulp. The Group has around 350 employees and had a turnover of approximately SEK 1.5 billion in the 2009 financial year.