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Gunnebo awarded service contract worth MSEK 8 a year by Royal Bank of Scotland

Chubb Safes UK Ltd – a wholly owned company within the Gunnebo group of security companies – has been engaged as a main supplier of services relating to security products at the Royal Bank of Scotland.

Following its merger with NatWest Bank, Royal Bank of Scotland, with 2,324 branches, is one of the largest banks in Great Britain. The agreement will ensure that all the branches can obtain service within four hours at any time of day or night throughout all days of the week. The contract represents an annual turnover of some MSEK 8 and covers physical security solutions including automated deposit and withdrawal units, service boxes, safety deposit boxes, bank vaults and vault doors.

“We have stated explicitly that our strategy is to increase the service content of our security business,” says Jay Wright, MD Chubb Safes UK Ltd. “The service competence and organisation we have built up to provide service for the Royal Bank of Scotland, puts us in a good position to win more service contracts of this type.”

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Today, Gunnebo is an international fast growing security group with currently some 8 300 employees in 95 companies, located in 30 countries. The Group has sales to a further hundred markets via agents and distributors. Annual turnover amounts to some MSEK 6 700. Gunnebo has entire disposal of the four world leading brand names within security; Chubb Safes, Fichet-Bauché, Rosengrens and Garny.

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