

AVESTAPOLARIT: JANUARY - JUNE 2001 FINANCIAL RESULTS - TELECONFERENCE

Mr Ossi Virolainen, CEO and Mr Ian Cooper, CFO will be hosting a conference call on **Thursday**, **2 August 2001** to present and discuss AvestaPolarit's Q2/2001 Financial Results which we estimate to be ready to release at about **1.00 pm Helsinki time on that day**.

You are cordially invited to participate in this event. The details are as follows:

Date: Thursday, 2 August 2001

Time: 9.00 am US (East Coast) time

2.00 pm UK time

3.00 pm Central European time

4.00 pm Helsinki time

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The teleconference, including a Q&A session, will last approximately 45 minutes.

A copy of the financial results announcement will be sent to you as soon as it is released. Furthermore, a slide presentation of the results will be available at "www.avestapolarit.com/Investor Information/Company Presentations".

If you are unable to participate or have to leave before the end of the call, there will be an instant replay service immediately after the call has ended which will be available until the evening of Friday, 3 August 2001. The telephone number for this service is:

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