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## **HiQ signs 3-year framework agreement with leading telecom supplier**

**HiQ is signing a 3-year framework agreement with Ericsson. The agreement relates to consulting services within research and development as well as technical documentation. It is a comprehensive framework agreement that covers all HiQ's subsidiaries.**

"We have been working with Ericsson – one of the world's leading players in telecoms – ever since HiQ started in 1995. We see the agreement as confirmation that both we and Ericsson are pleased with the cooperation. We are now looking forward to developing the business together from HiQ's Nordic offices," says Lars Stugemo, President of HiQ International.

The framework agreement relates to services within research and development, as well as technical documentation. HiQ currently has a number of projects ongoing with Ericsson, including the development of testing tools for measuring capacity in 3G systems and interoperability testing of terminals.

"HiQ are very experienced telecoms experts with many years' experience in this sector. We work with the leading suppliers and operators, we carry out assignments for end users and we also work on regulatory matters," says Stugemo.

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