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Sectra strengthens its presence in Norway

Sectra Norge AS signs a contract of NOK 4.5 million (approx. 576,000 USD; 549,000 EUR) with Namdal Hospital in Namsos, Norway. The contract comprises a Picture Archiving and Communication System (PACS) for the extension of the digital radiology department at the hospital to become a film free operation.

"I'm very satisfied with the choice, as an already established cooperation can proceed in the new millenium", says Department director Claes-Göran Lönnroth, MD. Lönnroth also foresees an extended cooperation between the hospitals in the region, as the new digital department will be connected to the regional health network.

"We are especially happy to be awarded this contract, as it shows that good relations and creative cooperation create trust between vendor and customer", says Managing Director of Sectra Norge AS, Åge Sjøfjell.

Sectra Norge AS has delivered similar projects to Vestfold Central Hospital in Tønsberg, and a large Teleradiology installation in Nordland Fylke.



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About Sectra

Sectra AB is an IT company that grew out of research at the Linköping Institute of Technology. Since the mid-1980s, the Company has successfully conducted development and sales of high technology IT and telecommunications products. Today, the business includes products in the expanding fields of medical imaging systems, secure communication systems and digital radio systems. Sectra collaborates with customers in each of these markets to develop commercially robust, user-friendly products embodying high technical quality. Sectra has been listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange's O-list since March 3, 1999.

Sectra Norge AS is a fully-owned subsidiary of the Swedish company Sectra Imtec AB which comprises the medical imaging part of Sectra. Internationally, Sectra PACS is marketed and sold through different partners. Among these Philips Medical Systems is the largest. In cooperation with Philips Medical Systems, Sectra has provided PACS to facilities such as Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology and Riverside County Regional Medical Center in the US, Klinikum Deggendorf in Germany and Carolus den Bosch Hospital in the Netherlands. Sectra Imtec has subsidiaries in Norway, Finland, Germany, and the USA.

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