



**Press Release August 30, 2000**

## **Ledstiernan**

- **invests MSEK 7.5 in new company**
- **preliminary agreement with Spanish incubator**

### **CCNox**

Ledstiernan has today approved a new investment of MSEK 7.5 in CCNox, an IT security company. CCNox is a newly started consulting firm, specialising in security for fixed and mobile Internet. The company designs and constructs secure e-commerce solutions, secure web-sites, firewalls, etc.

Ledstiernan has acquired 44 per cent of the shares in the company for MSEK 7.5. CCNox's founders, Martin Riit and associates, will together retain the remaining 56 per cent.

### **Pinta2**

Ledstiernan has today signed a preliminary agreement with Pinta2, a Madrid-based incubator company. As an incubator, Pinta2 provides support for new enterprises in the very early start-up phases. Pinta2 is engaged in Ledstiernan's area of main focus, mobile telecommunication, in Spanish-speaking countries, primarily Spain. With more than 20 million cell phone users, Spain has a cell phone penetration of over 50 per cent.

Pinta2 was founded by Svante Börjesson and Fredrik Groth.

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