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New head of business area Allgon Systems

Lars Jehrlander has been appointed head of business area Allgon Systems. He will start his new position on October 2nd, 2000. Lars will be part of Allgon's management team.

Lars has 20 years of experience from the telecom-industry. For the past 10 years he has held several management positions within the Ericsson group, both in Sweden and abroad. His latest position was as Vice President for the mobile communication business at Ericsson in Brazil.

Lars holds a Master of Science Degree from the University of Linköping .

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Allgon's business concept is to develop, manufacture and market radio-based solutions and other products for wireless telephony and data communications. Allgon's product range consists of antenna systems for infrastructure in mobile telephone networks; filters, combiners and similar products for base stations; repeater networks; microwave equipment; mobile telephone antennas; wireless local networks and Bluetooth products. Allgon's invoiced sales amounted to SEK 2,136 million in 1999. The number of employees at the end of 1999 amounted to 1,249. Allgon was founded in 1946.

Allgon Systems is one of four business areas within the Allgon-group. Allgon Systems accounted for 54% of sales in 1999.