Press release



STORA
Corporate Communications
S-791 80 FALUN, Sweden

Telephone

+46-23 78 00 00

Direct +46-23 78 21 62

Telefax Fax back +46-23 253 29 +46-23 127 69

December 10, 1998

Management change in STORA ENSO's division Magazine Papers

Horst Thaler, President of Stora Publication Paper, has for personal reasons decided not to take up his new position as President of STORA ENSO Magazine Papers. He will, however, continue to fulfil a number of important tasks on behalf of STORA ENSO.

Temporarily, Kai Korhonen, incoming President of STORA ENSO Newsprint division will also take over responsibility for STORA ENSO Magazine division. It is intended that a solution be found within a few weeks.

For further information, please contact

- Björn Hägglund, President and CEO, STORA. Tel: +46-(0)70 528 27 85