

Bengt Modéer to take responsibility for Corporate Communications

Stockholm, Sweden, October 7, 2002 – Gambro AB (Stockholmsbörsen: GAMBaST, GAMBbST), a leading international medical technology and healthcare company, today announced that *Bengt Modéer* has been appointed Senior Vice President Corporate Communications and will take up his new responsibility as of today, October 7, 2002.

Presently Bengt Modéer is Senior Vice President Innovation Management within Gambro Strategic Development, GSD. He will, on a part-time basis, continue to work within GSD, including initiatives in the ongoing joint actions between the renal clinics and products operations.

Bengt Modéer will take over the responsibility for Corporate Communications after Janette Jennische, who has worked for Gambro on a temporary basis.

Bengt Modéer has held different leading positions in Gambro and Incentive. He was Senior Vice President R&D in the former development group Incentive, where he also was responsible for Corporate Communications and served as Company Secretary. For many years he was responsible for Corporate Communications in Gambro. Bengt Modéer holds an MSc and a Dr.Eng. degree at the Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm.

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Gambro is a global medical technology and healthcare company with leading positions in renal care - services and products - and blood component technology. Gambro Healthcare is one of the leading providers of kidney dialysis services in the world with more than 52,200 patients in 680 clinics worldwide. Gambro Renal Products comprises dialyzers, dialysis machines, blood lines and dialysis concentrates. Gambro BCT is the market leader in separation and handling of blood components. The group, with 2001 revenues of approximately SEK 27 billion (USD 2.7 billion), has 20,600 employees in some 40 countries.

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