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### Protect Data appoints Chief Financial Officer

**STOCKHOLM, Sweden, November 8, 2005** – Protect Data today announced the appointment of Lotta Jarleryd as Chief Financial Officer. She currently holds a senior management position with Ernst & Young Transaction Advisory Services, and will join Protect Data on December 12, 2005. Lotta Jarleryd holds a B.Sc. in Business Administration and Economics from Stockholm University and a degree in journalism. She also has professional experience as an authorized public accountant for Coopers & Lybrand, and as group controller for Observer, a company listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange.

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#### About Protect Data

Protect Data, through its wholly owned Pointsec subsidiary, is a global leader and the provider of the de facto standard for enterprise security software for mobile users. The company is also a leader in the Nordic Digital Identity market, based on products for securing business transactions on the Internet. Protect Data AB was founded in 1988 and is publicly traded on the Stockholm Stock Exchange (PROT) since 1997. The company is headquartered in Stockholm, Sweden, with Pointsec offices in Europe, Australia, the Middle East, Asia, and the United States. For further company information, please visit [www.protectdata.com](http://www.protectdata.com).