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## **Press Release**

Stockholm, 3 July 2006

### **ABN AMRO hires new Equities Head of Sales in Stockholm**

ABN AMRO today announced the appointment of Sten Berggren as Equities Head of Sales in Stockholm, as the Bank continues to focus on combining its Nordic platform with the Bank's suite of international Equities products.

Sten Berggren joins from Enskilda Securities Sales in London. He has nine years' experience in Equities Research and Sales and is highly ranked in the latest Extel survey. Mr. Berggren will take up his new role in September.

David Woods, Country Executive for Sweden and Managing Director for ABN AMRO Securities (Nordic) SE, said: "Sten will strengthen our Nordic Equities product and play an important role in our Equities strategy of delivering more advanced products to our clients than in the past. Our unique position with the Bank's international Network enables us to import global markets products more easily than is possible for some of our competitors."

Today's appointment sends a strong signal about ABN AMRO's commitment to the region, which is one of ABN AMRO's core markets for equities products.

On 16 June, Alfred Berg's Nordic Equities franchise adopted the ABN AMRO name to give Nordic clients access to global markets, while retaining strong banking relationships within their own countries.

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#### Notes to Editors:

Netherlands-based ABN AMRO is a leading international bank with total assets of EUR 975.1 bln (as at 31 March 2006). It has over 3,500 branches in more than 60 countries and territories, and has a staff of about 105,000 full-time equivalents worldwide. ABN AMRO is listed on Euronext and the New York Stock Exchange.

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