



## Press Release

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### **BROSTRÖM CONTINUES TO FOCUS ON CORE BUSINESS**

By selling out all interests in Dry Bulk Shipping Broström continues to focus on its core business. The phase-out includes the two vessels THULELAND and COLUMBIALAND, which have been chartered for a long time, and also the 10 per cent share in the vessel NAN AN.

The phase-out is planned to be effected at mid-year.

As to the result the Dry Bulk Shipping has during the last years been a loss for Broström and the forecast projected for this year for Dry Bulk Shipping, including phase-out costs, will amount to SEK -19 million (for the whole year 1999 the loss was SEK 14 million).

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