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Nordic region's leading venture capital company accelerates pace of investment:

SEK 200 M in investments in May and June

Since May, Emerging Technologies has carried out some ten investments with a total value of approximately SEK 200 M in network economy companies. Several of these investments have been made in the wireless communications segment.

Emerging Technologies' investments include the following:

- Brain Dock, which develops and markets e-commerce solutions for the mobile sector,
- Purple Technologies, which sells software to the wireless software industry,
- *Civista*, which will construct and integrate customized mobile platforms,
- Pocit Labs, which manufactures solutions for wireless terminals,
- *Todos Data Systems*, which manufactures products including smart-card terminals and ISDN products for home use, and
- Adventuro, a portal for adventure sports and adventure travel.

"We are maintaining a high rate of investment and see many interesting investment opportunities in a market which we believe will virtually explode in the next few years. Mobile development is proceeding very rapidly, both in terms of market penetration and technological progress. As a result of our geographic base and the breadth and depth of our network, we have excellent conditions for achieving a leading position in this segment," says Peter Sandberg, ET's CEO.

Investments have also been made in existing portfolio companies, such as the portal *Oppido*, and the e-commerce company *Dressmart*.

Emerging Technologies AB is northern Europe's leading venture capital company within the network economy, with strong focus on the Internet, mobile applications and infrastructure.

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