

Group Communications

ATLAS COPCO'S FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR 2001

The Atlas Copco Group will issue financial information on the following dates next year:

2001 February 12 Q4 - Preliminary report on 2000 result

April 26 Q1 – first quarter results

July 19 Q2– second quarter results

October 23 Q3– third quarter results

2002 February 14 Q4 - Preliminary report on 2001 result

Atlas Copco is an international group of industrial companies with its head office in Stockholm, Sweden. In 1999, the Group had revenues of approximately \$4.2 billion (USD), with 97 percent of revenues outside Sweden, and over 26,000 employees. Atlas Copco companies develop, manufacture, and market electric and pneumatic tools, compressed air equipment, construction and mining equipment, assembly systems, and offer related service and equipment rental.

Additional information about Atlas Copco is available at the Group's web site, **www.atlascopco-group.com**.

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