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Sobi's rights issue fully subscribed

Swedish Orphan Biovitrum's (Sobi) rights issue with preferential rights for the company's shareholders has been fully subscribed and the underwriting commitments do not need to be utilized. The subscription period of the rights issue ended on May 26, 2011. Approximately 99.9 per cent of the offered shares have been subscribed for with subscription rights and an additional 0.1 per cent have been subscribed for without subscription rights. In total, applications for non-preferential subscription have been received corresponding to approximately 81% of the total number of new shares. The subscription price was SEK 12 per new share and Sobi's shareholders were entitled to subscribe for one new share for each four existing shares held.

The shares that were subscribed for without subscription rights have been allocated according to the principles outlined in the prospectus that was published on May 5, 2011. Notification regarding allocation of shares that have been subscribed for without subscription rights will be distributed to those who have been allocated shares around June 1, 2011.

The rights issue provides Sobi with proceeds of approximately SEK 637 million before transaction costs. Pursuant to the rights issue Sobi's share capital will increase by SEK 29,105,800 to approximately SEK 146,664,000. The number of shares will increase by 53,045,319 common shares to a total of 267,295,132 shares¹.

The rights issue is expected to be registered with the Swedish Companies Registration Office around June 8, 2011 and trading in the new shares on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm is expected to start on June 10, 2011.

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About Swedish Orphan Biovitrum (Sobi)

Sobi is a leading European specialty pharmaceutical company. The company is focused on providing and developing specialty pharmaceuticals for patients with rare diseases and significant medical needs. The portfolio comprises about 60 marketed products, as well as projects in late clinical phase. Key therapeutic areas are hematological diseases, autoimmune diseases, hereditary metabolic disorders and therapeutic oncology. In 2010 Sobi had revenues of SEK 1.9 B and approximately 500 employees. The share (STO: SOBI) is listed on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm. For more information please visit www.sobi.com.

¹ Whereof 2,068,534 share of class C that are held by the company.

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