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Norion Bank AB (publ) receives approval on ownership assessments regarding the offer to shareholders in Consensus Asset Management AB (publ)

On 21 November 2025, Norion Bank AB (publ) ("Norion Bank") announced a recommended public tender offer to the shareholders of Consensus Asset Management AB (publ) ("Consensus") to tender any and all shares in Consensus to Norion Bank against a cash consideration of SEK 22.50 per Class A share and Class B share, respectively (the "Offer"). The acceptance period for the Offer commenced on 2 January 2026 and expires on 31 March 2026.

The completion of the Offer is conditional upon, *inter alia*, Norion Bank obtaining all necessary approvals, permits, decisions and other actions from authorities or similar, including decisions on ownership assessments from the Swedish Financial Supervisory Authority (Sw. *Finansinspektionen*) (the "SFSA"). Today, Norion Bank has obtained the necessary approval from the SFSA regarding the ownership assessment process conducted in relation to the Offer. The condition regarding regulatory approvals is thereby fulfilled.

The acceptance period for the Offer expires on 31 March 2026 at 17:00 CEST. Provided that the remaining conditions for the Offer have then been fulfilled or waived, settlement is expected to commence on or around 7 April 2026 to the shareholders in Consensus who have accepted the Offer no later than 17:00 CEST on 31 March 2026.

Information about the Offer is available at: <https://www.norionbank.se/en-SE/investor-relations-en/public-offer-consensus>

The information in this press release was submitted for publication by Norion Bank in accordance with the Swedish Corporate Governance Board's Takeover rules for certain trading platforms, on 26 March 2026, at 09.30 (CET).

Important information

The Offer, pursuant to the terms and conditions presented in this press release, is not being made to persons whose participation in the Offer requires that an additional offer document is prepared or registration effected or that any other measures are taken in addition to those required under Swedish law and regulations or otherwise contemplated in connection with the Offer.

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Any purported tender of shares in the Offer resulting directly or indirectly from a violation of these restrictions will be invalid and any purported tender of shares made by a person located in Australia, Belarus, Hong Kong, Japan, Canada, New Zealand, Russia, Singapore, South Africa or the United States or any agent, fiduciary or other intermediary acting on a non-discretionary basis for a principal giving instructions from or within any of these jurisdictions will be invalid and will not be accepted. Each person who holds shares and participates in the Offer will certify to not being from, located or resident in or participating in the Offer from Australia, Belarus, Hong Kong, Japan, Canada, New Zealand, Russia, Singapore, South Africa or the United States and not acting on a non-discretionary basis for a principal in any of these jurisdictions, or that is located in or giving order to participate in the Offer from any of these jurisdictions. Norion Bank will not deliver any consideration relating to the Offer to Australia, Belarus, Hong Kong, Japan, Canada, New Zealand, Russia, Singapore, South Africa or the United States.

Banks, brokers, dealers and other nominees holding shares for persons in Australia, Belarus, Hong Kong, Japan, Canada, New Zealand, Russia, Singapore, South Africa or the United States must not forward this press release, or any other document related to the Offer, to such persons.

The “United States” in this section means the United States of America (its territories and possessions, any state of the United States, and the District of Columbia).

The Offer, the information and documents contained in this press release are not being made, and have not been approved, by an authorized person for the purposes of section 21 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000, as amended (the “**FSMA**”). The communication of the information and documents contained in this press release to persons in the United Kingdom is exempt from the restrictions on financial promotions in section 21 of the FSMA on the basis that it is a communication by or on behalf of a body corporate which relates to a transaction to acquire shares in a body corporate and the object of the transaction may reasonably be regarded as being the acquisition of day to day control of the affairs of that body corporate within article 62 (Sale of body corporate) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Financial Promotion) Order 2005.

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Information in this press release relating to future events or circumstances, including information regarding future results, growth and other projections as well as benefits of the Offer, are forward-looking information. Such information may generally, but not always, be identified by the use of words such as “anticipates”, “expects”, “believes”, or similar expressions.

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About Norion Bank

Norion Bank Group is a business-oriented Nordic financing bank. The Group's brands – Norion Bank, Walley and Collector – offer customized financing solutions that meet distinct needs in three customer segments: medium-sized corporates and real estate companies, merchants, and private individuals. As a specialist in financing solutions, Norion Bank Group is a leading complement to traditional large banks, with a vision of being the leading Nordic financing bank in its chosen segments.

Norion Bank offers corporate and real estate loans, as well as factoring for medium-sized corporates. The Walley brand offers flexible payment and checkout solutions to merchants and private individuals. The Collector brand offers personal loans and credit cards to private customers, as well as savings accounts to private individuals and companies. Norion Bank Group was founded in 1999 and has offices in Gothenburg, Stockholm, Helsingborg, Oslo and Helsinki. Business is conducted through Norion Bank AB (public), which is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm.

Attachments

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