

Redemption of SEK 5.00 per share

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The earnings trend for IAR Systems Group AB remains strong and, in order to transfer capital to shareholders in a shareholder-friendly manner and to maintain an appropriate capital structure, the Company's Board of Directors has proposed that the Annual General Meeting, AGM, approve a redemption totaling SEK 5.00 per share to replace the previously announced proposal of a dividend totaling SEK 5.00 per share.

Proposed share redemption procedure in brief

- · Following approval of the shareholders at the AGM on April 24, 2014, each IAR share (A-shares as well as B-shares) is split into two shares (a 2:1 share split), one of which is designated as a redemption share.
- · The redemption share is then automatically redeemed for a cash redemption price of SEK 5.00.
- · The procedure is automatic. No shareholder action is required.
- The final day of trading in IAS shares before the share split, including the entitlement to redemption shares, is May 5, 2014.
- · The record date for the share split and entitlement to redemption shares is May 8, 2014.
- \cdot Trading in redemption shares will take place between May 13 and May 27, 2014.
- · The record date for redemption shares is June 2, 2014.
- · Payment of the redemption amount is expected to take place on June 5, 2014.

Information brochure and additional details

As of March 27, 2014, at the latest, the complete Board proposal and an information brochure describing the redemption procedure in greater detail will be available on the Company's website, www.iar.com, and a limited number of printed versions will be available at IAR Systems Group AB, Strandbodgatan 1, 750 23 Uppsala. Shareholders requiring further information about the redemption procedure may contact Remium at +46 8 454 3200 during normal business hours. The information brochure will also be available on Remium's website, www.remium.com.

About IAR Systems

IAR Systems was founded in 1983 and is one of the world's leading providers of software for programming of processors in embedded systems. The software is used by over 19,000 companies to program processors that control products in areas including industrial automation, medical devices, consumer electronics and the automotive industry.

IAR Systems provides value to organizations that develop embedded systems. With our tools and services, the development of embedded systems is rapid, efficient and reliable – enabling our customers around the globe to deliver better products faster to their markets.

IAR Systems is listed on NASDAQ OMX with the ticker IAR.

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