



## **Svea Bank AB invests SEK 0.5 million in Diagonal Bio AB through the exercise of warrants of series TO 2**

**Svea Bank AB has informed Diagonal Bio AB ("Diagonal Bio" or the "Company") that Svea Bank AB has exercised all held warrants of series TO 2. Svea Bank AB held a total of 51,822,216 warrants of series TO 2, and has thus invested an additional approximately SEK 0.5 million in the Company through the exercise of warrants.**

"We are very pleased to learn that Svea Bank AB has exercised the held warrants. This demonstrates continued confidence in our business model, strategy, and future potential. We see this as a strong endorsement of the progress we have made and the opportunities that lie ahead" - Karin Wehlin, CEO of Diagonal Bio AB (publ)

Svea Bank AB participated in Diagonal Bio's directed issue of units, which was conducted in connection with the Company's rights issue of units in January/February 2025, and has informed Diagonal Bio that all held warrants have been exercised for subscription of new shares. The total value of the subscription is SEK 518,222.16.

Warrants of series TO 2 can be exercised for subscription of shares until 18 June 2025. The warrants are traded until 16 June 2025. Complete terms and instructions for warrants of series TO 2 are available on the Company's website ([www.diagonalbio.com](http://www.diagonalbio.com)). An information folder containing information about the warrant exercise is available on Diagonal Bio's and Aqurat Fondkommission AB's ([www.aqurat.se](http://www.aqurat.se)) respective websites.

### **Advisors**

Navia Corporate Finance AB is the financial advisor in connection with the exercise of warrants of series TO 2. Setterwalls Advokatbyrå AB is the legal advisor to Diagonal Bio and Aqurat Fondkommission AB is the issuing agent.

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## **About Diagonal Bio**

Diagonal Bio AB was founded in 2020 and is a Swedish biotechnology company with headquarters and offices in Lund. The Company develops the PANVIRAL® platform to detect and diagnose small sections of pathogen genomes, for example viruses, bacteria and fungi. The Company was founded with the goal of reducing human suffering by revolutionising global diagnostics of pathogen-borne diseases with proprietary technology. Diagonal Bio's patented technology can also be used for the less regulated market segments via LAMPLify®.

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Since Diagonal Bio conducts essential services according to the FDI-act certain investments in the TO 2 may require review by the ISP. Diagonal Bio will, no later than in connection with the publication of the memorandum, publish more information about this on Diagonal Bio's website, [www.diagonalbio.com](http://www.diagonalbio.com).