

Semi-annual report: Advanced SolTech Sweden AB (publ.) January - June 2018

Advanced SolTech Sweden AB (publ.), ("ASAB") presents its semi-annual report for the period January-June 2018. The period's result amounted to 6,685 (-993) KSEK. ASAB is a subsidiary of SolTech Energy Sweden AB (publ.) that is 51% owned by SolTech Energy Sweden AB (publ.) and 49% owned by SolTech's Chinese partner Advanced Solar Power Hangzhou Inc. ("ASP"). The company's accounting records are therefore included the Concern's accounting records, which were duly rendered by the parent company on August 24, 2018.

ASAB's function within the SolTech concern is to finance the business operation in China, which is carried out by its fellow subsidiary Advanced SolTech Renewable Energy Hangzhou Co. Ltd. (ASRE).

The period's result after tax amounts to 6,685 KSEK, as compared with -993 KSEK reported for the same period the previous year. The primary reason for the result improvement lies in the effect of currency exchange on receivables outstanding in Euros where their reported value is accounted for at the exchange rate applicable on the closing day of the balance sheet, as opposed to previous accounting reports that used the acquisition cost method. Total balance sheet assets amounted to 222,294 (67,731) KSEK and the company's own assets to 11,891 (3,482) KSEK.

The next report will be presented in connection with SolTech Energy's press release of unaudited financial statements on February 21, 2019.

The period's result and the company's status:

- The period's result amounted to 6,685 (.993) KSEK.
- Net interest for the period amounted to 318 (70) KSEK.
- Cash flow amounted to 6,319 (-196) KSEK.
- Receivables for the foreign fellow subsidiary amounted to 193,545 (57,940) KSEK.
- Interest-bearing debt amounted to 191,549 (62,167) KSEK.
- Liquid funds at the period's close amounted to 6,853 (2,286) KSEK.

Interest to bond holders has been paid, in accord with the terms of the bonds, in January and July 2018

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Advanced SolTech Sweden AB (publ.) - ASAB

SolTech Energy Sweden AB (publ.) - parent company of the SolTech concern

SolTech's investment in China is carried out by a jointly owned company, Advanced SolTech Renewable Energy (Hangzhou) Co. Ltd (ASRE), where SolTech owns 51 percent and Advanced Solar Power Hangzhou Inc. (ASP) owns 49 percent. The business model consists of having ASRE finance, install, own, and periodically service solar energy installations mounted on the roofs of customer-owned facilities. The customer does not pay for the installed solar energy unit, but instead undersigns a long-term, 20-25 year contract to buy all the electricity and/or thermal heat the relevant unit produces. ASRE's current income comes from the sale of electricity to customers, along with various forms of subsidies per produced kWh. Focus is now concentrated on building a backlog of orders for 2018 and beyond, with the goal of obtaining an installed capacity of 605 MW (megawatts) by the close of 2021, which in 2022 will be set into full operation, generating current annual sales amounting to approximately 1 billion SEK (ca. 95 MEUR).