



PRESS RELEASE
December 14, 2009

WORLD'S FIRST 4G/LTE NETWORK GOES LIVE TODAY IN STOCKHOLM

- World's first and largest commercial 4G service launched by TeliaSonera and Ericsson in Stockholm
- Commercial launch ahead of original plan, largest deployment to date
- Speeds make it possible to send and receive HD video

TeliaSonera's mobile broadband commercial network in Stockholm is now the fastest and largest in the world. Carl-Henric Svanberg, President and CEO of Ericsson (NASDAQ:ERIC) is excited about this historical moment. "The new era of mobile broadband has just begun today. With LTE, so-called 4G, your mobile broadband experience is moving to unequalled levels. The LTE speed gives you an absolutely effortless feeling of broadband access."

LTE, the next generation mobile communication technology, is designed for transferring huge amounts of data in a most cost and energy efficient way, optimizing use of frequency band and realizing fiber-like access speed over the air. With decreased latency, consumers can now enjoy whatever service is available online: HD video, network games, you name it - effortlessly on the move.

Kenneth Karlberg, President and Head of Mobility Services, TeliaSonera says: "We are very proud to be the first operator in the world to offer our customers 4G services. Thanks to the successful cooperation with Ericsson we can offer 4G to our customers in Stockholm earlier than originally planned."

Downtown Stockholm is covered with the Ericsson LTE network, making it the largest LTE deployment to date. TeliaSonera's customers are the first to have access to the LTE service by commercially available Samsung LTE dongles.

Ericsson has completed commercialization of its LTE products and larger production is ready for further deployment. Interoperability is tested thoroughly with many different devices in different operators' networks.



NOTES TO EDITORS:

About the end-to-end LTE network:

Ericsson provides TeliaSonera with an LTE system (4G), including LTE Radio Base stations, which are part of the new RBS6000 series, an Evolved Packet Core network, a mobile backhaul solution including SmartEdge 1200 routers, the latest EDA multi-access aggregation switch and an Operation and Management System. The LTE system is based on 3GPP standards for Long Term Evolution (LTE) radio technology and Evolved Packet Core (EPC) technology.

Photo of Ericsson managements

www.ericsson.com/ericsson/press/photos/management.shtml

Photo of products: RBS6000 and Evolved Packet Core

www.ericsson.com/ericsson/press/photos/network_products.shtml

Contract announcement: Ericsson to build commercial 4G network for Telia Sonera

www.ericsson.com/thecompany/press/releases/2009/01/1282289

Ericsson LTE Achievement List

www.ericsson.com/ericsson/press/facts_figures/lte_achievement.shtml

Ericsson and Samsung cooperate for world's first LTE interoperability

www.ericsson.com/thecompany/press/releases/2009/10/1349710

Photo of Samsung modem

www.ericsson.com/ericsson/press/photos/lte_samsung.shtml

World's first commercial 4G/LTE site unveiled in Sweden by Ericsson and TeliaSonera

www.ericsson.com/thecompany/press/releases/2009/05/1317187

YouTube: LTE site launched in Stockholm

www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q6eSZvLT3nM&feature=related

Broadcast room

www.ericsson.com/ericsson/press/broadcastroom/index.shtml

LTE White paper

www.ericsson.com/technology/whitepapers/index.shtml



PRESS RELEASE

December 14, 2009

Ericsson is the world's leading provider of technology and services to telecom operators. Ericsson is the leader in 2G, 3G and 4G mobile technologies, and provides support for networks with over 1 billion subscribers and has a leading position in managed services. The company's portfolio comprises of mobile and fixed network infrastructure, telecom services, software, broadband and multimedia solutions for operators, enterprises and the media industry. The Sony Ericsson and ST-Ericsson joint ventures provide consumers with feature-rich personal mobile devices.

Ericsson is advancing its vision of "to be the prime driver in an all-communicating world" through innovation, technology, and sustainable business solutions. Working in 175 countries, more than 75,000 employees generated revenue of SEK 209 billion (USD 32.2 billion) in 2008. Founded in 1876 with the headquarters in Stockholm, Sweden, Ericsson is listed on OMX NASDAQ, Stockholm and NASDAQ New York.

www.ericsson.com

www.twitter.com/ericssonpress

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT

Ericsson Corporate Public & Media Relations

Phone: +46 10 719 69 92

E-mail: media.relations@ericsson.com

Ericsson Investor Relations

Phone: +46 10 719 00 00

E-mail: investor.relations@ericsson.com