

Press release

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Conversion of Class A shares in SCA

Conversion of Class A shares in SCA will be limited during the period until the distribution of Essity Aktiebolag (publ).

For practical reasons, requests for conversion during the period until the distribution of Essity Aktiebolag (publ) (previously SCA Hygiene AB), must be made no later than May 15, 2017, for the conversion to be registered before distribution.

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SCA is a leading global hygiene and forest products company that sustainably develops, produces and sells personal care, tissue and forest products. Through the recently acquired company BSN medical, the Group offer products within wound care, compression therapy and orthopedics. Sales are conducted in approximately 150 countries under many strong brands, including the leading global brands TENA and Tork, and other brands, such as Libero, Leukoplast, Libresse, Lotus, Nosotras, Saba, Tempo, Vinda and Zewa. As Europe's largest private forest owner, SCA places considerable emphasis on sustainable forest management. In 2016, the Group had approximately 46,000 employees and sales amounted to approximately SEK 117bn (EUR 12.4bn). SCA was founded in 1929, has its headquarters in Stockholm, Sweden, and is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm. SCA is dedicated to improving well-being through leading hygiene and health solutions. More information at www.sca.com.