Press release

The Swedish Corporate Governance Board presents gender distribution statistics for the boards of listed companies

• The proportion of female members elected to the boards of Swedish limited companies by shareholders' meetings remains steady at 36 per cent, showing no significant change compared with the previous year.

• For large companies, the proportion of women is 39.8 per cent, unchanged from the previous year.

• The proportion of female employee representatives on boards is 27.5 per cent, a decrease of 0.1 percentage points from the previous year. For large companies, however, the proportion of female employee representatives on boards increased by 0.3 percentage points to 25.3 per cent.

• Of newly elected board members, 43.6 per cent are women, an increase of 1.5 percentage points from the previous year.

Once a year, the Swedish Corporate Governance Board conducts a survey of gender balance on the boards of listed companies. This year's statistics show the gender balance as of 24 June 2024. The basic data, which have been produced by Fristedt Consulting AB on behalf of the Board, are available on the Board's website, www.bolagsstyrning.se.

The survey covers only Swedish limited liability companies whose shares are admitted to trading on a Swedish regulated market, (Nasdaq Stockholm and NGM Main Regulated), as it is these companies that must comply with Swedish company law.

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