Fingerprint Cards AB (publ) publishes final outcome in the rights issue

The final outcome in Fingerprint Cards AB’s (publ) (“Fingerprints” or the “Company”) SEK 181.8 million rights issue of B-shares (“B-shares”) (the “Fully Guaranteed Rights Issue”) shows that 98,112,180 B-shares, corresponding to approximately 64.8 per cent of the B-shares offered, have been subscribed for with support of subscription rights. In addition, applications to subscribe for 11,539,586 B-shares without the support of subscription rights have been received, corresponding to approximately 7.6 per cent of the B-shares offered. The Fully Guaranteed Rights Issue is subscribed to approximately 72.4 per cent in total and thus approximately 27.6 per cent of the Fully Guaranteed Rights Issue has been subscribed by those who have entered into guarantee commitments.

The final outcome in Fingerprints’s SEK 3.4 million rights issue of A-shares (together with the Fully Guaranteed Rights Issue, the “Rights Issue”) shows that no A-shares have been subscribed for with the support of subscription rights or without the support of subscription rights.

Through the Rights Issue, Fingerprints will receive approximately SEK 181.8 million before deduction for transaction costs.

In total, 151,497,352 B-shares will be issued in the Rights Issue. Following registration of the Rights Issue with the Swedish Companies Registration Office, the Company’s share capital will increase by approximately SEK 6,596,574 to approximately SEK 25,080,052. The number of B-shares in the Company will increase with 151,497,352 to 568,115,071. The number of votes will increase with 151,497,352 to 646,865,071. The Rights Issue entails a total dilution effect of approximately 26 per cent.

Allotment of shares subscribed for without support of subscription rights will be made in accordance with the principles which are included in the prospectus published by the Company on 23 August 2023. Confirmation of the allotment to the persons subscribing for shares without the support of subscription rights will be provided by means of a settlement note to be distributed to each subscriber on or around 13 September 2023. Subscribed for and allotted shares shall be paid for in accordance with the instructions on the settlement note to be sent to the subscriber. Nominee registered shareholders will receive notice of the allotment in accordance with the procedures of the respective nominee.

The last day of trading in paid subscribed B-shares (BTA) is 14 September 2023. Shares subscribed for with the support of subscription rights, are expected to be registered with the Swedish Companies Registration Office on or around 15 September 2023 and shares subscribed for without the support of subscription rights will be registered with the Swedish Companies Registration Office on or around 19 September 2023. Expected first day of trading in the new B-shares is expected to be 20 September 2023.

Advisers

Carnegie Investment Bank AB (publ) acts as Sole Global Coordinator and Bookrunner. Gernandt & Danielsson Advokatbyrå KB is legal adviser to the Company.
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