

Eson Pac

New owner for Märkas AB

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In line with Eson Pac AB's strategy to focus on Pharma, its subsidiary Märkas AB has been divested to the industrial group Volati, as of September 22nd.

Volati has acquired all shares in Märkas AB from Eson Pac. The acquisition is a supplementary acquisition to Volati's business area Industry and the Ettiketto business unit.

In 2018 Märkas AB was launched as its own separate business unit. With the aim to run the business area for smart label solutions, as a subsidiary of Eson Pac. The divestment of Märkas AB is a natural step for Eson Pac to reach a dedicated focus to provide solutions for the Pharma Industry.

- We are very confident in handing over Märkas AB to Volati. It provides an opportunity for this business area to grow further with a well-respected and professional player. This divestment follows the Eson Pac strategy and is an important step to further refining our focus for the pharmaceutical industry, as well as consolidating our product portfolio, says Mårten Frostne, CEO for Eson Pac.

The ownership of the shares for Märkas AB will be taken over by Volati as of September 22nd, 2020.

More information found in below link:

<https://www.volati.se/en/investors/press-releases.aspx?releaselidentifier=297570C66A3CD9F0>

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About Eson Pac Eson Pac are experts in providing solutions for the pharma packaging supply chain. We have global, regional & local customers within the Pharmaceutical industry. Eson Pac was founded in 1967 and holds its head office in Veddige, Sweden. We care for approximately 350 coworkers, divided over our production plants in Veddige, Södertälje, Åstorp and Tåstrup in Denmark. In 2019, Eson Pac had a turnover of 764 MSEK. For more information: www.esonpac.com

About Märkas AB Märkas is a specialist in complete solutions for labels and application equipment. Our head office is located in Åstorp, Sweden and from there we deliver products to around 50 countries around the world. In addition to our head office in Åstorp, we have sales offices in Södertälje, Sundsvall, Gothenburg and Norway. We have a turnover of approximately 165 MSEK, and 75 employees, all working to create communication that sticks – both on surfaces and in your mind. We are curious, innovative, pro-active, reliable and passionate. We dare to stand out and to be different, without compromising either competence, accuracy or flexibility. Our customers are both local and global brands in the engineering, commerce, automotive, food and logistics industries.

About Volati Volati is a Swedish industrial group formed in 2003, which is organized in four business areas: Trading, Consumer, Akademibokhandeln and Industry. Volati acquires mainly companies with proven business models, leading market positions and strong cash flows at reasonable valuations and develops these with an emphasis on long-term value creation. Volati's strategy is to build on the identity and entrepreneurial spirit of the companies, adding leadership, expertise, processes and financial resources. Volati has operations in 16 countries, over 2,000 employees and an annual turnover of approximately 7 billion SEK. Volati's ordinary shares and preference shares are listed on Nasdaq Stockholm. For more information: www.volati.se

