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## Alfa Laval receives SEK 100 million power order from the Middle East

**Alfa Laval – a world leader in heat transfer, centrifugal separation and fluid handling – has received an order for crude oil treatment at a gas turbine power plant in Saudi Arabia. The order value is about 100 MSEK. Delivery is scheduled for 2008.**

The order is for the Rabigh Power plants expansion project which consists of 16 gas turbines generating an extra 960 MWe of capacity. The order includes separators, plate heat exchangers and crude oil booster pumps.

“This order confirms that the activity level within Energy and Environment is increasing,” says Lars Renström, CEO and President of the Alfa Laval Group. “It is important to notice that Alfa Laval’s well established local service organization in Saudi Arabia is a key factor when a customer places the order.”

**Did you know that** a power plant in Saudi Arabia with an installed capacity of 960 MWe produces electricity enough to support more than 1 million people with their total daily need? This production capacity will ease the load on generating utilities facing an annual demand increase of 7% due to rapidly expanding population and industrial base.

### About Alfa Laval

Alfa Laval is a leading global provider of specialized products and engineering solutions based on its key technologies of heat transfer, separation and fluid handling.

The company’s equipment, systems and services are dedicated to assisting customers in optimizing the performance of their processes. The solutions help them to heat, cool, separate and transport products in industries that produce food and beverages, chemicals and petrochemicals, pharmaceuticals, starch, sugar and ethanol.

Alfa Laval’s products are also used in power plants, aboard ships, in the mechanical engineering industry, in the mining industry and for wastewater treatment, as well as for comfort climate and refrigeration applications.

Alfa Laval’s worldwide organization works closely with customers in nearly 100 countries to help them stay ahead in the global arena.

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Alfa Laval is listed on the Nordic Exchange, Nordic Large Cap, and, in 2007, posted annual sales of about SEK 25 billion (approx. 2.7 billion euros). The company has some 11,500 employees.

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