## **Press release**

22 November 2021

# Nivika publishes prospectus and announces price for its initial public offering of the Company's Class B shares on Nasdaq Stockholm

On 16 November 2021, Nivika Fastigheter AB (publ) ("Nivika" or the "Company"), a fast-growing property company with focus on Småland, announced its intention to carry out a listing of its Class B shares on Nasdaq Stockholm. Today, Nivika publishes its prospectus and announces the price for the issue of the Company's Class B Shares (the "Offering") in connection with the planned listing of its Class B shares on Nasdaq Stockholm (the "Listing"). The expected first day of trading is 3 December 2021. Tredje AP-fonden (AP3), Swedbank Robur Fonder, Öhman Fonder and Weland AB have, subject to certain customary conditions, undertaken to acquire Class B shares in the Offering of a total amount of MSEK 600.

# The Offering in brief

- The final price in the Offering is SEK 85.50 per share, corresponding to a total market value of all issued shares of the Company of approximately MSEK 3,825 before completion of the Offering<sup>1</sup>.
- The Offering comprises 11,695,906 newly issued Class B shares, corresponding to approximately 20.7 percent of the total number of shares and 4.2 percent of the total number of votes in the Company following the completion of the Offering.
- The newly issued Class B shares are expected to provide the Company with proceeds of approximately MSEK 1,000 before transaction costs.
- In order to cover any over-allotments in relation to the Offering the Company has undertaken to issue additionally up to 1,754,385 Class B shares, corresponding to a maximum of 15 percent of the total number of shares in the Offering (the "Over-Allotment Option").
- Assuming that the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full, the Offering will comprise of 13,450,291 Class B shares, which represent approximately 23.1 percent of the total number of shares and 4.8 percent of the total number of votes in Nivika following the completion of the Offering.
- The total value of the Offering, based on the assumption that the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full, amounts to approximately MSEK 1,150.
- Tredje AP-fonden (AP3), Swedbank Robur Fonder, Öhman Fonder, and Weland AB have, subject to certain customary conditions, undertaken to acquire Class B shares in the Offering of a total amount of MSEK 600 at a pre-money market value of the Company's outstanding shares of up to approximately MSEK 3,825 corresponding to a share price of SEK 85.50<sup>1</sup>. These undertakings in total equal approximately 52 per cent of the Offering, including the Over-Allotment Option.
- The Offering is directed to the general public in Sweden and institutional investors in Sweden and internationally.
- The application period for the general public in Sweden is expected to be 23 November 1 December 2021.
- The application period for institutional investors is expected to be 23 November 2 December 2021.
- The expected first day of trading on Nasdaq Stockholm is 3 December 2021 and the Company's Class B shares will be traded under the trading symbol "NIVI B".
- A prospectus (in Swedish with an English translation), containing the Offering's complete terms and conditions, will be published today on Nivika's website (www.nivika.se), Danske Bank's website (www.danskebank.se/prospekt), SEB's website (www.seb.se) and Nordnet's website (www.nordnet.se).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Based on 44,734,964 shares outstanding in the Company, including set-off share issues relating to acquisitions that were entered into after the year end date 31 August 2021.

# Niclas Bergman, founder and CEO of Nivika, comments:

"Through an IPO on Nasdaq Stockholm we are taking the next step in Nivika's growth journey. The listing enables us to continue to deliver growth and create shareholder value. We have had a very exciting journey and I look forward to continuing that journey together with our competent employees and our new and former shareholders."

# **Background and reasons for the Offering**

The purpose of the Offering and Listing is to create prerequisites for continued good growth, primarily through an increased and more efficient long-term access to capital from the capital market. Nivika's Board of Directors and Management consider a listing to be a natural and important step in the Company's development and assess that the Listing will lead to an increased awareness of Nivika and its operations.

The Company intends to use the whole net issue proceeds from the Offering to finance continued growth through acquisitions and project development with new development of residential as well as commercial properties for long-term own ownership and management.

## **Prospectus and application**

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# **Preliminary timetable**

• Application period for the general public in Sweden

• Application period for the institutional investors

• First day of trading of Nivika's Class B shares

• Settlement date

23 November – 1 December 2021

23 November – 2 December 2021

3 December 2021

7 December 2021

## **About Nivika**

Nivika is a fast-growing property company with focus on long-term ownership, efficient new development and with an investment strategy with purpose of being flexible and adaptable towards the property market. The Company's main objectives are owning, managing, and developing properties. The Company primarily operates in Jönköping, Värnamo and Växjö and, to an increasing extent, also in western and southern Sweden, including Helsingborg, Halmstad and Varberg. Nivika is headquartered in Värnamo and was founded in year 2000 by the Company's current CEO respective a member of the Board of Directors, also the current principal owners<sup>2</sup>, spouses Niclas Bergman and Viktoria Bergman. As of 31 August 2021, Nivika owned properties valued at MSEK 6,910, of which residential properties and community and social properties composed approximately 35 percent of the property value. The remaining property value was attributable to commercial properties with emphasis on industrial and logistics and offices.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Through the company Värnanäs AB.



Växjö

Other

■ West Coast

Nivika's ambition is to continue to grow while maintaining current profitability. The Company considers itself to be in a good position for continuing its expansion within its geographical area, with a focus on residential properties and community and social properties. Nivika targets residential and community and social properties to account for 60 percent of the property value by the end of 2025.

#### **Advisors**

Danske Bank A/S, Danmark, Sverige Filial ("Danske Bank") and Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB ("SEB") are Joint Global Coordinators and Joint Bookrunners. Hannes Snellman Advokatbyrå AB is legal advisor to Nivika and Advokatfirman Hammarskiöld & Co AB is legal advisor to Danske Bank and SEB in connection with the Offering and Listing.

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