Remuneration report 2021

Introduction

This report describes how the guidelines for executive remuneration of Bufab AB (publ), adopted by the annual general meeting 2021, were implemented in 2021. The report also provides information on remuneration to the CEO and a summary of the company's outstanding share-related and share price-related incentive plans. The report has been prepared in accordance with the Swedish Companies Act and the *Remuneration Rules* issued by the Swedish Corporate Governance Board.

Further information on executive remuneration is available in note 6 (Employees, personnel expenses and fees paid to directors and auditors) on pages 65-67 in the annual report 2021. Information on the work of the remuneration committee in 2021 is set out in the corporate governance report available on page 92 in the annual report 2021.

Remuneration of the board of directors is not covered by this report. Such remuneration is resolved annually by the annual general meeting and disclosed in note 6 on page 66-67 in the annual report 2021.

Key developments 2021

The CEO summarizes the company's overall performance in his statement on page 4-5 in the annual report 2021.

The company's remuneration guidelines: scope, purpose and deviations

A prerequisite for the successful implementation of the company's business strategy and safeguarding of its long-term interests, including its sustainability, is that the company can recruit and retain qualified personnel. To this end, the company must offer competitive remuneration. The company's remuneration guidelines enable the company to offer executives a competitive total remuneration. Under the remuneration guidelines, executive remuneration shall be on market terms and may consist of the following components: fixed cash salary, variable cash remuneration, pension benefits, other benefits and in special cases additional variable cash remuneration. The variable cash remuneration shall be linked to predetermined and measurable criteria which can be financial or non-financial. The criteria shall primarily relate to the company's results and may be individual. Furthermore, the criteria shall relate to the overall progress of the Bufab group, although criteria related to specific business areas may occur. The criteria shall be designed to contribute to the company's business strategy and long-term interests.

The guidelines in summary are found on page 47 in the annual report 2021. The complete guidelines are available at https://www.bufab.com/investors/corporate-governance/general-meetings/arsstamma-2021. The remuneration guidelines, adopted by the annual general meeting 2021, have been fully implemented. No deviations from the guidelines have been decided and no derogations from the procedure for implementation of the guidelines have been made. The auditor's report regarding the company's compliance with the guidelines is available on https://www.bufab.com/investors/corporate-governance/general-meetings/arsstamma-2021. No remuneration has been reclaimed. In addition to remuneration covered by the remuneration guidelines, the annual general meetings of the company have resolved to implement long-term share-related incentive plans.

Table 1 – Total CEO remuneration in 2021 (mSEK)*

Name of director (position)	Time of employment	1. Fixed renumeration		2. Variable 3. Extraordinar renumeration item		4. Pension expense	5. Total renumeration	6. Proportion of fixed and variable renumeration*****
		Base salary**	Other benefits***	One-year****				
Jörgen Rosengren (CEO)	January - August	3,5	0,1	1,8	0,3	0,9	6,6	54% / 46%
Johan Lindqvist (CEO)	September - December	1,3	0,0	-	-	0,3	1,6	100% / 0%
Total		4,8	0,1	1,8	0,3	1,2	8,2	79% / 21%

^{*} The table reports remuneration earned in 2021. Multi-year variable remuneration is not paid.

Application of performance criteria

The performance measures for the CEO's variable remuneration have been selected to deliver the company's strategy and to encourage behaviour which is in the long-term interest of the company. In the selection of performance measures, the strategic objectives and short-term and long-term business priorities for 2021 have been taken into account.

Performance of the CEO in the reported financial year: variable cash remuneration

Name of director (position)	Time of employment	1. Description of the criteria related to the remuneration component	2. Relative weighting of the performance criteria	3. a) Measured perfrmance and b) actual award/renumeration outcome
Jörgen Rosengren	January - August	1. Growth in Bufab Groups earnings per share	80%	a) 76%
(CEO)		2021 vs 2020		b) 1,6 mSEK
		2. Bufabs organic net sales growth 2020 vs 2019	10%	a) 0%
				b) 0,0 mSEK
		3. Bufabs Net Working Capital development	10%	a) 100%
				b) 0,2 mSEK

Long term share-based incentive programs

The company has implemented four share option programs (2017/2020, 2018/2021, 2019/2023 and 2020/2023) for the executive management and other key employees within the group. Participants in the programs have been given the opportunity to invest in call options at a price corresponding to the market value, which has been determined through a Black & Scholes valuation. Each call option entitles to the acquisition of one share in the company for a period of approximately six months, which for each program begins three years after the implementation of the program. The purchase price for shares corresponds to 115 per cent of the volume-weighted average price for the company's share on Nasdaq Stockholm during five trading days in connection with the implementation of each program. The redemption period in the call option program 2017/2020 was during May-November 2020 and the redemption in the call option program 2018/2021 was during May-November 2021, which means that the program has ended. Further information about the call option programs can be found in Note 75-76 in the annual report for 2021.

^{**} Paid and expensed base salary including holiday pay.

^{***} Health insurance, car benefit.

^{****} Variable remuneration paid in 2021 for 2020 amounts to SEK 1,8 million. Expensed variable remuneration in 2021, which will be settled in 2022, amounts to SEK 2,4 million.

^{*****} Pension expense (column 4), which in its entirety relates to Base salary and is premium defined, has been reported entirely as fixed remuneration.

Jörgen Rosengren (January – September)

During the autumn 2021, the call option program 2018/2021 ended and in connection thereto, the Jörgen Rosengren acquired 17 327 shares in the company at an acquisition price of SEK 133.90. As of August 31, 2021, Jörgen held a total of 78,000 call options in the company, distributed over the following programs;

Incentive program	Allocation period	Exercise period	The call options acquisition price	Redemptionsprice, share	Holding of call options, December
					31, 2021
Incentive program	11 May 2020	15 May 2023 -	12,12	90,20	39 000
2020-2023		15 November 2023			
Incentive program	15 August 2019	15 Augusti 2022 -	9,04	109,96	39 000
2019-2023		15 February 2023			
Total					78 000

Johan Lindqvist (October – December)

Johan Lindqvist has not carried out any transactions within the framework of the company's call option program during his tenure as CEO, but as of December 31, 2021 Johan held a total of 46,500 call options in the company, distributed over the following programs;

Incentive program	Allocation period	Exercise period	The call options acquisition price	Redemptionsprice, share Holding o	f call options, December
					31, 2021
Incentive program	11 Maj 2021	15 May 2024 -	45,98	261,25	7 500
2021-2024		15 November 2024			
Incentive program	11 May 2020	15 May 2023 -	12,12	90,20	19 500
2020-2023		15 November 2023			
Incentive program	15 August 2019	15 Augusti 2022 -	9,04	109,96	19 500
2019-2023		15 February 2023			
Total					46 500

Comparative information on the change of remuneration and company performance

Remuneration and company performance during the last reported financial year (RFY) (mSEK)

	RFY 2021 vs RFY 2020	RFY 2021	RFY 2020	
CEO remuneration	0%	8,20 *	5,60	**
Group operating profit (EBITA)	0%	695	482	
Average remuneration on a full time equivalent basis of employees* of the	0%	0,54	0,52	
group's Swedish companies * lörgen Rosengren for the period ian-	sent 2022 and Johan Lindqvist for the	neriod okt-dec 20°	22	

^{**} Jörgen Rosengren för hela året.or the full year.