# **DTCC** *Important Notice*The Depository Trust Company

B #:	21591-25					
Date:	March 21, 2025					
То:	All Participants					
Category:	Tax Relief, Distributions					
From:	International Services					
Attention:	Operations, Reorg & Dividend Managers, Partners & Cashiers					
	<u>Tax Relief</u> – Country: SWEDEN					
	<u>Security:</u> VOLVO AB					
Subject:	<u>CUSIP:</u> 928854108					
	<b><u>Record Date</u></b> : 04/04/2025					
	<b>Payable Date</b> : 04/24/2025					
	CA Web Instruction Deadline: 04/09/2025 8:00 PM ET					
	<b>Quick Refund Instruction Deadline:</b> 05/12/2025 8:00 PM ET					

Participants can use DTC's Corporate Actions Web (CA Web) service to certify all, or a portion of their position entitled to the applicable withholding tax rate. Participants are urged to consult TaxInfo respectively before certifying their instructions over the CA Web.

Important: Prior to certifying tax withholding instructions, participants are urged to read, understand, and comply with the information in the Legal Conditions category found on TaxInfo on the CA Web.

Questions regarding this Important Notice may be directed to GlobeTax 212-747-9100.

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**VOLVO AB** has announced a cash dividend and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A acts as one of the Depositaries for the Depositary Receipt ("DR") program.

A participant can use DTC's Corporate Actions Web ("CA Web") instructions tab to certify that all or a portion of his/her position is subject to the applicable withholding tax rate. Use of these instruction methods will permit entitlement amounts to be paid through DTC. By making submissions of such certification, the submitter represents and warrants that it has the required authority to make; that the party for which the submission is made is eligible therefore, and that the submitter will indemnify, as applicable, Globe Tax Services, Inc., the relevant Depositary custodian, and any other person acting, directly or indirectly, in reliance thereon, including for any loss, liability or expense which may arise in connection with any such representation and submission, including for any inaccuracy therein.

On **DR** pay date, all record date holders will have the opportunity to receive their full treaty benefits as outlined in the "Eligibility Matrix." Holders not certified at the favorable or exempt withholding tax rates through CA Web will receive the dividend net of the full Swedish statutory withholding tax rate of 30.0% with the possibility to reclaim through the standard long form process.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

- UK tax resident individuals and IRAs are no longer eligible for At-Source/ Quick Refund tax treaty benefits. Eligibility available only for Long Form.
- Scanned copies of long form claim documentation are acceptable. Original documents are no longer required upon submission. The Swedish Tax Authority reserves the right to request original documents as needed and therefore should be kept on file. However, exception applies for Switzerland domicile beneficial owners. Please see the ESP Eligibility Matrix for further details.
- <u>Quick Refund Only</u>: If a beneficiary was previously paid at a favorable rate and is submitting a second claim to further reduce their tax liability in Sweden, then they should be disclosed on GlobeTax's ESP system but not elected for on DTC's CA Web. The payment will be made at the same time as the quick refund adjustment at DTC but will be made by GlobeTax directly to the DTC Participant either through ACH (if you are enrolled in the ACH service) or by check.

DIVIDEND EVENT MATRIX							
ISSUE	CUSIP#	UNDERLYING ISIN	DR RECORD DATE	ORD PAY DATE	DR PAY DATE	RATIO (DR to ORD)	ORD RATE
VOLVO AB	928854108	SE0000115446	APRIL 04, 2025	APRIL 09, 2025	APRIL 24, 2025	1:1	18.50 SEK

FEES & DEADLINES								
FILING METHOD	ВАТСН	PAYMENT METHOD	SHARE MINIMUM (DRs)	CUSTODIAL FEE	DSC FEE		MINIMUM FEE PER BENEFICIAL OWNER	FINAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE (ESP)
RELIEF AT SOURCE	PAYMENT ON PAY DATE	DTC	N/A	N/A	FAVORABLE UP TO \$0.0055 PER DR	EXEMPT UP TO \$0.008 PER DR	\$0	APRIL 09, 2025 8:00 P.M. EST
QUICK REFUND	POST-RAS PROCESS; ONGOING THROUGH DEADLINE	DTC	N/A	N/A	UP TO \$0.01 PER DR		\$0	MAY 12, 2025 8:00 P.M. EST
LONG FORM	POST-CA WEB PROCESS; ONGOING	CHECK OR ACH	N/A	N/A	UP TO \$0.0105 PER DR		\$125.00	OCTOBER 31, 2030

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# **ELIGIBILITY MATRIX**

Note: All information related to eligibility and documentation requirements can be found on the <u>ESP</u> site by visiting the relevant event and viewing the Eligibility Matrix. If you need access to ESP, please complete the <u>New User Registration</u> form, and our team of market experts would be pleased to help you get set up.

For each Country's general Eligibility Matrix, please see ESP's Reference Guide.



JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Citibank, N.A., BNY, and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas offers ESP powered by GlobeTax, an electronic withholding tax submission system. This system allows for the secure and simplified transfer of beneficial owner level data from the Participant to GlobeTax and creates applicable documentation on the Participants' behalf.

Submit the data online through the web site below, print out the documents on letterhead, sign them, and mail them to GlobeTax, along with the necessary required documents.

These claims should be submitted through the following website. <u>https://ESP.GlobeTax.com</u>

Please contact us via the <u>ESP Service Desk</u> at 212-747-9100 if you have any questions about this process.

CONTACT DETAILS				
DOMESTIC PHONE (U.S.)	1-800-929-5484			
DOMESTIC FAX (U.S.)	1-800-929-9986			
INTERNATIONAL PHONE	1-212-747-9100			
INTERNATIONAL FAX	1-212-747-0029			
GROUP EMAIL	SWEDENESP@GLOBETAX.COM			
COMPANY	GLOBE TAX SERVICES, INC.			
STREET ADDRESS	ONE NEW YORK PLAZA, 34 <sup>TH</sup> FLOOR			
CITY/STATE/ZIP	NEW YORK, NY 10004			

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)					
AT SOURCE QUESTIONS					
Once I submit an At Source claim via ESP, how long will it take to be paid?	Payment will be made on DR Pay Date.				
Will I be paid through DTC for claims submitted through the At Source process?	Yes.				
Does the At Source process have a minimum position requirement per beneficial owner?	No.				
What happens if the participant does not make a CA Web Election within the specified CA Web Election window?	All shares will be withheld at the 30% tax rate.				
What happens if the participant makes Exempt or Favorable elections through DTC but fails to supply the required documentation to GlobeTax by the deadline indicated in the "Fee & Deadlines" section?	All unsupported shares will be moved to the 30% unfavorable rate category. You will have an opportunity to file through the DTC Quick Refund and Non-DTC long form process if this transpires. DTCC may impose a fee to enable the movement of shares back to the 30% rate.				
Is this process free of charge?	<b>No.</b> This Tax Relief At Source assistance service is wholly voluntary and discretionary and outside the terms and conditions of any applicable deposit agreement. JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., BNY, Citibank, N.A., and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas undertakes no duty or obligation to provide this service and may reject or decline any or all proposed electing participants or holders in their sole discretion. Fees will be charged for this service of up to \$0.008 per Depositary Receipt with no minimum, and any other charges, fees or expenses payable by or due to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., BNY, Citibank, N.A., Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas or their agents, including the custodian or to tax authorities or regulators. Fees paid to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., BNY, Citibank, N.A. and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas may be shared with their agents.				
QUICK REFUND/ LONG FORM QUESTIONS					
Will I be paid through DTC for claims submitted through the Quick Refund process?	Yes, Quick Refund payment will be made through DTC.				
Does the process have a minimum position requirement per beneficial owner?	No. There is a minimum fee of \$125 per beneficial owner for standard Long Form claims.				
Is this process free of charge?	<b>No.</b> Quick Refund / Long Form assistance service is wholly voluntary and discretionary and outside the terms and conditions of any applicable deposit agreement. JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., BNY, Citibank, N.A., and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas undertakes no duty or obligation to provide this service, and may reject or decline any or all proposed electing participants or holders in its sole discretion. Fees will be charged for this service of up to \$0.0105 per Depositary Receipt for Quick Refund and Long Form (with a minimum of \$125 for Long Form) and any other charges, fees or expenses payable by or due to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., BNY, Citibank, N.A., Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, or its agents, including the custodian or to tax authorities or regulators. Fees paid to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., BNY, Citibank, N.A., and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas may be shared with its agents.				

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