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Ascom wins substantial frame agreement with the South-Eastern Norway Regional Health Authority

Based on a public procurement, Ascom and the South-Eastern Norway Regional Health Authority have signed a frame agreement to deliver software solutions of the Ascom Healthcare Platform to all hospital trusts in the largest healthcare region of Norway.

The frame agreement with the South-Eastern Norway Regional Health Authority (https://www.helse-sorost.no/south-eastern-norway-regional-health-authority) is a pure software and professional service contract and has a duration of six years. It comprises delivering the Ascom Healthcare Platform by implementing a messaging and integration platform through the entire region with 11 hospital trusts and 33 hospitals. To provide the best customer support, Ascom will deliver consulting and training as well as maintenance services.

Ascom's healthcare suites with mobile applications to smartphones will facilitate workflows for the care staff and smoothen the care experience. The Ascom Healthcare Platform connects devices, systems, information and care teams, creating digital clinical information flow that turns fragmented data into accessible information to support clinicians across points of care: from the bedside, to intensive care units, to operating rooms and more.

The South-Eastern Norway Regional Health Authority is the largest of the four regional health authorities in Norway and serves 2.9 million people including the Norwegian capital Oslo. The Regional Health Authority employs approximately 80,000 people.

Jeannine Pilloud, Ascom CEO, says: "This frame agreement is an important strategic win and further evidence that we are slowly reaping the fruits of our efforts in aligning Ascom to a service provider with not only hardware but also with an increasing share of software business. Like the substantial win in Wales that we announced in Fall 2020, this frame agreement will further strengthen Ascom's standing in the healthcare workflow solutions market."

About Ascom

Ascom is a global solutions provider focused on healthcare ICT and mobile workflow solutions. The vision of Ascom is to close digital information gaps allowing for the best possible decisions — anytime and anywhere. Ascom's mission is to provide mission-critical, real-time solutions for highly mobile, ad hoc, and time-sensitive environments. Ascom uses its unique product and solutions portfolio and software architecture capabilities to devise integration and mobilization solutions that provide truly smooth, complete, and efficient workflows for healthcare as well as for industry and retail sectors.

Ascom is headquartered in Baar (Switzerland), has operating businesses in 18 countries and employs around 1,300 people worldwide. Ascom registered shares (ASCN) are listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange in Zurich.

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