**PRESS RELEASE**

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**FlexLink is a member of Swedish Labtech**

***Automation plays an increasing role in the capacity and quality assurance of processing in clinical laboratories today. It is also a growing opportunity for FlexLink to offer its bespoke production logistics solutions to the industry and FlexLink is now a member of Swedish Labtech.***

The increasing demands from clinical laboratories on capacity to meet new diagnosis are driving the development towards increasing automation of the handling of specimen, from the pre-analytic to the analytic and post-analytic processes. The industry bespoke production logistics solutions from FlexLink enable a high and quality assured capacity and a catalyst for efficiency as a driver for a low cost per analysis.

FlexLink has joined Swedish Labtech, the local laboratory industry organization in Sweden.

Patrick Djerf, Sales Manager at FlexLink Systems and responsible for FlexLink’s sales in Scandinavia comments “We are currently involved with customers such as hospital laboratories and this membership is a way to find other opportunities and network with relevant labs, suppliers and partners. Production logistics is a new topic on this organization’s agenda and we will make a presentation called "How to increase efficiency in a lab and shorten the time to test result", on a seminar in April.”

For further information

Swedish Labtech: <http://www.swedishlabtech.se/>
FlexLink in Lab automation: <http://www.flexlink.com/en/industries/labautomation/>

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*FlexLink is part of the Coesia Group consisting of 14 companies specialized in automated machinery and industrial process solutions. In 2012, the Coesia Group had a turnover of 1,370 M€ (pro-forma) and 5,500 employees.*