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Billerud receives award for best IR

Billerud was commended for its work on investor relations in IR Nordic Markets Sweden 2012. For the second year in a row, Billerud was presented with the Best Mid Cap Company award and the award for Best IRO at a Mid Cap, which was awarded to Billerud's IR manager Sophie Arnius.

IR Nordic Markets is the biggest study of IR in the Nordic region and was carried out by Regi for the 15th year in a row. In the study presented yesterday at IR Nordic Markets Awards Sweden 2012, assessments from analysts in the Nordic region and Europe formed the basis of the analysis of the financial communication of listed companies.

"I'm delighted with these two awards," said Sophie Arnius, IR manager. "They're proof that we've managed to maintain a high standard in our communication with the capital market, which is particularly pleasing because 2012 has been an intense year for Billerud on the acquisitions front."

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