Remuneration Report

Introduction

This report provides an outline of how AFRY AB's ("**AFRY**" or the "**Company**") guidelines for executive remuneration, adopted by the Annual General Meeting 2022, have been implemented in 2023. Further, the report provides details on the remuneration to the President and CEO and a summary of the Company's outstanding long-term incentive programmes. The report has been prepared in compliance with the Swedish Companies Act and the Remuneration Rules issued by the Swedish Stock Market Self-Regulation Committee.

Further information on remuneration to senior executives in accordance with Chapter 5, Sections 40-44 of the Swedish Annual Accounts Act can be found in note 6 (Employees and personnel costs) on pages 77-80 of the Annual Report 2023. Information on the work of the Remuneration Committee during 2023 can be found in the corporate governance report on page 44-45 of the Annual Report 2023.

Remuneration to the Board of Directors is not covered by this report. Such remuneration is resolved annually by the Annual General Meeting and is disclosed in note 6 on page 78 of the Annual Report 2023.

Key developments 2023

The President and CEO summarises the Company's performance in his statement on pages 4-5 of the Annual Report 2023.

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

A prerequisite for a 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 be able to offer competitive remuneration. The Company's remuneration guidelines enable the Company to offer executives a competitive total remuneration. According to the remuneration guidelines, executive remuneration shall be on market terms and may consist of the following components: fixed cash salary, variable cash remuneration (STI and LTI included), pension benefits and other customary benefits. The variable cash remuneration must mainly be tied to financial criteria. The criteria must be designed to contribute to the Company's business strategy and long-term interests. The Remuneration Committee monitors and evaluates programmes for remuneration to the President and CEO, both ongoing programmes has been reported to the Board of Directors and discussed at board meetings.

Based on the Remuneration Committee's evaluation of the President and CEO's remuneration, the Board of Directors has determined that the current remuneration structure and level of remuneration are appropriate within the relevant markets, remain competitive and promote the Company's business strategy, long-term interests and sustainability.

The remuneration guidelines, adopted by the Annual General Meeting 2022, can be found in note 6 on pages 78-80 of the Annual Report 2023. During 2023, the Company has complied with the

applicable remuneration guidelines adopted by the Annual General Meeting. No deviations from the guidelines have been made and no deviations have been made from the decision-making process to be applied to determine the remuneration according to the guidelines. No remuneration has been reclaimed.

The Auditor's report regarding the Company's compliance with the guidelines is available on the Company's website <u>www.afry.com/en/investor-relations/corporate-governance</u>. In addition to the remuneration covered by the remuneration guidelines, the Company's Annual General Meetings have decided to introduce long-term incentive programmes.

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Name of the executive (position)	Fixed remuneration		Variable remuneration					
	Base salary ²⁾	Other benefits ³⁾	STI One- year	LTI cash- based Multi- year	Extraordinary items	Pension expense	Total remuneration	Proportion of fixed and variable remuneration ⁴⁾
Jonas Gustavsson (CEO)	10.57	0.11	4.73	0.45	0	4.23	20.09	74 % fixed 26 % variable

Table 1 - Total remuneration of the President and CEO in 2023¹⁾ (MSEK)

1) With the exception of 3-year variable remuneration, the table shows remuneration earned during 2023. Multi-year variable remuneration is reported to the extent it has been subject to so-called vesting during 2023 and in that sense has been earned. For earned variable remuneration, see the section "*Application of performance criteria*" below.

2) Vacation pay included.

3) Company car.

4) Pension costs (column 4), which relate entirely to Basic salary and are defined contribution, have been fully recognised as fixed remuneration.

Long-term incentive programmes

The long-term incentive programmes that can be offered are share-related or share-price-related programmes and/or long-term cash-based programmes – all with a duration of three years. For all cash-based programmes there is a cap of maximum 80 percent of the annual fixed cash salary for the President and CEO, and 70 percent of the annual fixed cash salary for the other senior executives. Decisions on share-related and share-price-related programmes are made by the Annual General Meeting either through separate decisions or by indicating the essential conditions of the programme in the remuneration guidelines.

Outstanding and during the financial year 2023 concluded share-related and share-price-related incentive programmes

Convertible bond programmes 2019 and 2020

During 2023, the Company had two ongoing convertible bond programmes (2019 and 2020), whereof the 2019 programme ended 15 March 2023. Following the review of the Company's share and share-price-related incentive programmes conducted during 2021, it was resolved not to present any new convertible bond programmes from 2021.

In brief, the convertible bond programmes 2019-2020 are based on that a convertible bond may be converted into a number of shares, following expiration of a three-year vesting period (performance period) given the share price has risen above a pre-defined threshold, otherwise the convertible bond shall be repaid. The purpose of these programmes is to motivate and retain the participating employees by providing long-term incentives tied to the Company's share price that are paid out in AFRY shares to encourage the build-up of significant shareholding.

The President and CEO participated in the 2019 convertible bond programme which ended during 2023 with an investment level amounting to 6 MSEK. Additional information regarding the design of the convertible bond programme and the President and CEO's participation can be found on the Company's website <u>www.afry.com/en</u> and on page 80 of the Annual Report 2023.

The President and CEO's long-term share-price-related cash incentive programme ("CEO LTI 2021-2024")

According to the terms and conditions specified in the remuneration guidelines resolved on the Annual General Meeting 2021, the President and CEO is participating in a long-term share-price-related cash programme based on the share price development during the period April 2021 – March 2024 (inclusive). For the threshold value for allotment, the share price development has been determined to exceed 0 percent as a minimum level, and amount to 30 percent as a maximum level. Payment shall be made on a linear basis between the minimum level and the maximum level. If the maximum level is reached, and the President and CEO is still employed by AFRY, he is entitled to a payment of 7.5 MSEK (gross, before tax). The CEO LTI 2021-2024 is subject to so-called vesting during 2024.

Long-term cash programmes

The Annual General Meeting 2022 adopted a new cash-based long-term incentive programme. The new programme was the result of a review conducted by the Remuneration Committee in 2021 with the conclusion that the Company should offer a long-term performance-based incentive programme as part of the employees' total remuneration. The programmes aim to align participants' incentives and shareholders' interests through two strategically important financial performance conditions for AFRY, growth and EBITA margin. After a predetermined measurement period, the participant is entitled to a cash payment, depending on the degree of fulfilment of the performance conditions. For half of the amount paid to the participant, net after tax, the participant will acquire AFRY shares that he/she undertakes to keep for a predetermined period. The programme comprises of approximately 125 participants annually and is targeted for the President and CEO, the Group Executive Management, employees at director level and above who are reporting directly to the Group Executive Management, and a few nominations of key personnel and employees in key positions. The programmes adopted at the Annual General Meetings 2022 and 2023 are subject to so-called vesting in 2025 and 2026, respectively, and are described in detail in the notice to the respective Annual General Meetings on the Company's website, www.afry.com/en.

In addition to the long-term cash-based incentive programmes adopted at the Annual General Meetings in 2022 and 2023, the Company had two outstanding long-term cash-based incentive programmes during 2023, LTI 2020-2022 and LTI 2021-2023, adopted in accordance with the Company's remuneration guidelines. The programmes are offered to approximately 35 key employees withing three categories: the President and CEO, the Group Executive Management and other key employees. Performance is measured based on average growth and EBITA margin over three years (weighted 50/50) and payment to participants in the programmes takes place after year three, conditional upon the participants still being employed by the Company. Vested amount is calculated on the average annual salary during the measurement period. LTI 2020-2022 was paid during 2023, and LTI 2021-2023 is subject to so-called vesting in 2024.

The President and CEO participates in all outstanding long-term cash programmes.

Application of performance criteria

The performance criteria for the President and CEO's variable remuneration have been selected to realize the Company's strategy and to encourage actions that are in the long-term interest of the Company. When selecting performance criteria, strategic goals as well as short- and long-term business priorities for the year 2023 have been considered. Below is a description of the variable remuneration expensed in 2023, as also disclosed in note 6 of the Annual Report.

Table 2a- President and CEO's performance during the reported financial year: variable short-term cash remuneration.

Name of the executive (position)	Programme name	Description of the criteria related to the remuneration component	Relative weighting of performance criteria	Actual award/compensation outcome MSEK and measured performance
	STI 2023	EBITA 2023	25 %	1.33 MSEK (83.69 %)
Jonas Gustavsson (CEO)		EBITA margin 2023	50 %	1.42 MSEK (44.83 %)
		Growth 2023	25 %	1.98 MSEK (125.00 %)

Table 2b- President and CEO's performance during the reported financial year: variable long-term cash remuneration.

Name of the executive (position)	Programme name	Description of the criteria related to the remuneration component	Relative weighting of performance criteria	Actual award/compensation outcome MSEK and measured performance	
Jonas Gustavsson (CEO)	LTI 2020-2022	Average EBITA margin 2020- 2022	50%	0.45 (18.33 %)	
		Average growth 2020-2022	50%	0 (0 %)	

Comparative information on the change of remuneration and **Company performance**

Table 3- Changes in remuneration and the Company's performance over the last five financial years (RR) (MSEK)

Annual change	RR-3 vs RR-4	RR-2 vs RR-3	RR-1 vs RR-2	RR vs RR-1	RR 2023		
		Renumeratio	n to the CEO ⁵⁾		•		
Annual fixed base salary	+0.51 (+5.6 %)	+0.25 (+2.6 %)	+0.30 (+3.0 %)	+0.36 (+3.5 %)	10.57		
-		The Company's	s Performance ⁶⁾		•		
The Company's result EBITA	-95 (-5.5 %)	+77 (+4.7 %)	+174 (+10.2 %)	+146 (+7.74 %)	2,032 MSEK		
The Company's result EBITA margin	-0.1 %-units	-0.1 %-units	-0.5 %-units	-0.5 %-units	7.5 %		
The Company's result organic growth	-12.4 %-units	+12.4 %-units	+2.8%-units	+2.1%-units	10.2 %		
Average remune	ration based on the nu	mber of full-time equiv	alent employees (exclu	uding group manageme	ent) in the parent		
company ⁷⁾							
Employees in the Company	+0.02 (+2.1 %)	+0.01 (+1.8 %)	+0.03 (+5.5 %)	+0.01 (+1.8 %)	0.59		

5) Remuneration includes fixed remuneration, i.e., base salary, holiday pay included. 6) Adjusted for items affecting comparability. For a definition of the performance criteria, please see the Annual and sustainability report 2022, mainly section "Alternative performance measures".

7) Data as of 31 December 2023 for permanent employees.