

CEO letter: Update regarding the recent events.

The past few days have been both confusing and stressful. We were all taken by surprise when Brighter's founder and Chairperson, Truls Sjöstedt, was taken into custody earlier this week. He has now, as of today, been set free. Although the preliminary investigation is not yet closed – he would like to stress that he is confident that the authorities' actions are based on a mistake.

Since we have had very limited information about the matter throughout the process, it has been a tough challenge to inform and communicate with team members, partners, customers and shareholders. We still have limited information, since everyone involved is legally prohibited from disclosing information about the situation.

The allegations are, of course, severe and I take this very seriously. Responsibility, transparency and professionalism are very important pillars being a publicly listed company in the healthtech industry. However, at this stage, it is still too early to draw any conclusions based on the information available today.

I welcome a well-functioning securities market, and support the work our authorities are doing to maintain that. Hopefully, we will see this matter closed shortly – allowing us to focus fully on our mission to improve the quality of life for people around the world. I look forward now, along with the rest of the leadership team and Board of Directors, to be able to put our energy where it is needed.

Brighter is, as you know, in a very exciting phase with lots of things going on in different parts of the world. The work continues and no matter the outcome of this, I believe the future is Bright(er).

Best regards,
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CEO Brighter AB (publ)

