

## Guidelines for remuneration to senior executives

Adopted by the Annual General Meeting 2026.

### **The guidelines' promotion of Castellum's business strategy, long-term interests and sustainability**

An overall objective of the operations of Castellum is to create long-term and sustainable value for shareholders and other stakeholders through profitable development in accordance with the company's business strategy. In short, the company's business strategy is that Castellum shall own, develop and manage commercial properties (for further information about Castellum's business strategy, please see <https://www.castellum.com/about-castellum/strategy-and-value-creation/>). Castellum shall uphold such remuneration levels and terms of employment necessary to recruit and maintain a competent Executive Management with capacity to achieve established objectives, implement the business strategy and to safeguard Castellum's long-term interest, including its sustainability work. The Board of Directors considers and evaluates the remuneration as a whole, consisting of fixed remuneration, pension terms, variable remuneration and non-monetary benefits. The overall principles in respect of the remuneration to the senior executives in Castellum shall be terms adjusted to the conditions of the market and competitiveness and these guidelines enable to offer the senior executives such remuneration.

### **Preparation of matters regarding remuneration to senior executives**

Castellum has a People Committee which consists of at least two Board members. The members of the People Committee shall be independent of the company and the Executive Management. In relation to the Board of Directors, the People Committee shall have a preparatory function in respect of principles for remuneration, remuneration and other terms of employment regarding senior executives. Consequently, the People Committee shall prepare proposals in respect of guidelines for remuneration to senior executives, which the Board of Directors shall present to, and which shall then be resolved upon by the Annual General Meeting. The People Committee shall also evaluate the application of the guidelines resolved upon by the Annual General Meeting. Further, the People Committee shall, within the scope of the guidelines resolved upon by the Annual General Meeting, prepare proposals regarding remuneration to the CEO and other senior executives. The People Committee shall annually evaluate the CEO's performance. Further, the People Committee shall observe and evaluate programs for variable remuneration to senior executives which are on-going or finished during the year as well as Castellum's current remuneration structure and remuneration levels. Furthermore, the People Committee shall annually prepare a remuneration report which shall be submitted to the Annual General Meeting for approval. The CEO or other senior executives who are part of the Executive Management shall not participate in the People Committee's and the Board of Directors' processing of and resolutions regarding remuneration-related matters in so far as they are affected by such matters.

### **The senior executives and kinds of remuneration to which the remuneration guidelines apply**

The guidelines apply to senior executives who are part of the Executive Management of Castellum. The guidelines are applicable to remuneration agreed, and amendments to remuneration already agreed, after adoption of the guidelines by the Annual General Meeting 2026.

### **Fixed remuneration**

A fixed salary shall be paid for work performed in a satisfactory manner. The fixed salary shall be based on market level conditions, and shall be determined with regard to competence, area of responsibility and performance.

### **Pension terms**

Senior executives shall be entitled to pension benefits consisting of retirement pension and premium exemption, that shall be premium defined, and health insurance, that shall be benefit defined. Variable remuneration shall not be pension qualifying income, unless required by mandatory collective agreement provisions applicable for the senior executives at the payment date (in which case necessary adjustment shall be made of the variable remuneration so that cost neutrality is achieved for the company). The pension benefits for senior executives shall not exceed 30 per cent of the annual remuneration (fixed and variable, respectively), including payment for vacation.

### **Variable remuneration**

In addition to the fixed salary, variable remuneration may be offered in order to reward achievements clearly aligned with Castellum's goals. Such variable remuneration shall aim to create long-term value within the group, by contributing to Castellum's business strategy and long-term interests, including its sustainability work. As part of the variable remuneration, cash variable remuneration may be paid in extraordinary circumstances, provided that such arrangements are made only at an individual level, as compensation for extraordinary work efforts. Decisions on such remuneration shall be made by the Board of Directors based on the recommendation of the People Committee. Total variable remuneration per year may not exceed 25 per cent of the fixed annual remuneration.

These guidelines do not apply to any remuneration resolved or approved by the General Meeting. Castellum currently has two ongoing long-term share-based incentive programs in the form of performance share programs, which have been adopted by the Annual General Meeting. For more information about these programs, see <https://www.castellum.com/investors/corporate-governance/remuneration/>.

### **Non-monetary benefits**

The senior executives' non-monetary benefits may include, *inter alia*, medical insurance. For the CEO, premiums and other costs relating to such benefits may amount to not more than 2 per cent of the fixed annual remuneration. For other senior executives, premiums and other costs relating to such benefits may, in total, amount to not more than 5 per cent of the total fixed annual remuneration.

### **Termination of employment and severance pay**

The notice period shall, upon termination by the company, not exceed six months in respect of the CEO, and twelve months in respect of any other senior executive of the company. The notice period shall, upon termination by the CEO or by any other senior executive of the company, be six months. During the notice period full salary will be paid and other benefits will be

provided to the employee, with deduction for salary and other remuneration received from another employment or business during the notice period. Such deduction shall not be made in respect of the CEO. A severance pay, corresponding to six fixed monthly salaries, shall be paid to the CEO upon termination by the company. Such severance pay shall not be reduced due to other income received by the CEO.

### **Salary and employment conditions for employees**

In the preparation of the Board of Directors' proposal for these remuneration guidelines, salary and employment conditions for employees of the company have been taken into account by including information on the employees' total income, the components of the remuneration and increase and growth rate over time, in the People Committee's and the Board of Directors' basis of decision when evaluating whether the guidelines and the limitations set out herein are reasonable.

### **Deviation from the guidelines for specific reasons in particular cases**

The Board of Directors may temporarily resolve to deviate from the guidelines, in whole or in part, if in a specific case there is special cause for the deviation and a deviation is necessary to serve the Castellum's long-term interests, including its sustainability work. As set out above, the People Committee's tasks include preparing the Board of Directors' resolutions in remuneration-related matters. This includes any resolutions to deviate from the guidelines.