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Jens Hedström has been President of the Board of Swedish Industry and Commerce for Better Regulation (NNR) since 2006. The NNR is an independent, non-partisan political organization whose members include 15 Swedish business organizations and trade associations. It works to minimize the amount of information that business has to report to government and for a more business-friendly regulatory environment in Sweden and the EU. In his role as president, he is responsible for coordinating the Swedish business community’s activities on better regulation and acts as advisor to the Swedish government on its ongoing project (2006-2010) to reduce administrative burdens on business. He also chairs the BUSINESSEUROPE Better Regulation Working Group. Mr. Hedström started his career as a Senior Advisor on SME issues, deregulation, public procurement and international affairs and in 2001 became Director of SME and Trade Policy at the Confederation of Swedish Enterprise. He holds an LLM from Uppsala University.



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