



BRIDGING THE GAP: C Spencer will build the new bridge to the same specification as the one at the Glasgow Science Centre (above).

C Spencer wins Swede bridge job on internet

C Spencer has won an export order thanks to the internet.

A consortium of Swedish property developers wanted a moving bridge at the Port of Vasteras; the clients carried out web research on moving bridge designs and came across C Spencer's work on the 128m-span Glasgow Science Centre Bridge.

Following initial discussions in Glasgow between Spencer and the consortium – where the client inspected the operational bridge – the contractor's northern civils

team has successfully concluded negotiations.

Spencer will provide a pedestrian link between a residential waterside development and Vasteras town centre. The bridge will have a 90m-span. The two lifting spans will provide a 35m-wide opening for shipping.

The contractor will provide design management and the selection of the hydraulic and M&E components in the UK, and act as consultant for the erection of the bridge in Sweden.