

Notification of Major Interests in Shares

April 16, 2007

TR-1(i): Notification of Major Interests in Shares
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1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached(ii)	Reuters Group PLC
2. Reason for the notification	
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights	<input type="checkbox"/>
An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached	<input type="checkbox"/>
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify): New Exemption DTR 5.1.3(4) & DTR 5.1.5(1)	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation(iii)	The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.)(iv)	Goldman, Sachs & Co.
5. Date of the transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different) (v)	11/04/2007
6. Date on which issuer notified	13/04/2007
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:	4%
8. Notified details:	

A. Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the Triggering transaction (vi)	
	Number of shares	Number of voting Rights (viii)
US76132M1027	87,408 (14,568 ADR)	0.01%
GB0002369139	52,471,812	4.15%

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (vii)

Class/type of shares if possible using ISIN CODE	Number of shares	Number of voting rights (ix)	% of voting rights
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	Direct	Indirect	Direct (x)	Indirect (xi)	Direct	Indirect
	39			152,580 (25,430 ADR)		0.00%
				48,466,773	0.00%	3.83%

B. Financial Instruments				
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (xii)				
Type of Financial Instrument	Expiration Date (xiii)	Exercise/Coversation Period/Date (xiv)	Number of Voting Rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted	% of Voting Rights
n/a				

Total (A+B)	
Number of Voting Rights	% of Voting Rights
48,619,392	3.84%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable (xv):
<p>The interest in 39 shares arose from a beneficial interest held by Goldman, Sachs & Co. ("GS&Co."), a direct subsidiary of GS Inc. These shares are, or will be, registered in the name of Goldman Sachs Securities (Nominees), Limited ("GSSN").</p> <p>The interest in 48,466,773 shares arose from an interest held by Goldman, Sachs & Co., a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of GS Inc, acting as custodian for its customers. These shares are, or will be, registered in the name of Goldman Sachs Securities (Nominees), Limited.</p> <p>The interest in 29,634 shares arose from an interest held by Goldman, Sachs & Co., a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of GS Inc, acting as discretionary manager, of 4,939 American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs"). These ADRs are, or will be, held at the Depository Trust Company of New York ("DTC").</p> <p>The interest in 122,946 shares arose from an interest held by Goldman, Sachs & Co., a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of GS Inc, acting as custodian for its customers, of 20,491 American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs"). These ADRs are, or will be, held at the Depository Trust Company of New York ("DTC").</p>

Proxy Voting:	
10. Name of the proxy holder:	
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease/acquire to hold:	
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease/acquire to hold voting rights:	

13. Additional information:	General email contact: shareholderdisclosures@gs.com
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