

Notification of Major Interests in Shares

May 8, 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. Goldman Sachs International Goldman Sachs Asset Management International Goldman Sachs Asset Management, L.P.
5. Date of the transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different) (v)	2 May 2007
6. Date on which issuer notified	4 May 2007
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:	5%
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)		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction		
	Number of shares	Number of voting Rights (viii)	Number of shares	Number of voting rights ix	% of voting rights

US76132M1027 GB0002369139	76,980 (12,830 ADRs)	0.01%	Direct	Direct (x)	Indirect (xi)	Direct	Indirect
	46,398,498	3.69%		27,342 (4,557 ADR's) 39	78,780 (13,130 ADRs) 63,341,973	0.00%	0.01% 5.03%

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

Total (A+B)	
Number of Voting Rights	% of Voting Rights
63,448,134	5.04%

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 47,068,768 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 45,000 shares arose from an interest held by Goldman Sachs International, a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of GS Inc, acting as discretionary manager. These shares are, or will be, registered in the name of Goldman Sachs Securities (Nominees), Limited.</p> <p>The interest in 16,228,205 shares arose from the interest held by Goldman Sachs Asset Management, a wholly owned subsidiary of GS Inc acting as discretionary manager. We believe that some of these shares are, or will be, registered in the name of GSSN.</p> <p>The interest in 49,146 shares arose from the interest held by GS&Co., a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of GS Inc, acting as custodian for its customers of 8,191 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 29,634 shares arose from the interest held by GS&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 27,342 shares arose from the interest held by GS&Co., a direct subsidiary of GS Inc, of 4,557 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:	n/a
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease/acquire to hold:	n/a
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease/acquire to hold voting rights:	n/a