

## Notification of transactions of directors, persons discharging managerial responsibility or connected persons

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On 15 March 2006, Reuters Group PLC (the "Company") made a number of grants of Discretionary Share Plan (DSOP) Options and Long Term Incentive Plan (LTIP) Share Awards to persons discharging managerial responsibilities. Below are details of the grants made:

First Name	Last Name	LTIP Number of Shares subject to Share Award	DSOP Number Of Options
Anne	Bowerman	18,208	-
Thomas	Glocer	500,000	625,000
David	Grigson	200,000	250,000
Christopher	Hagman	107,000	71,000
Geert	Linnebank	73,000	49,000
Rosemary	Martin	61,000	41,000
Susan	Taylor- Martin	49,000	33,000
Simon	Walker	60,000	40,000
Devin	Wenig	250,000	325,000

The LTIP's performance is assessed by reference to the Company's relative total shareholder return (TSR) measured against the FTSE 100 over the performance period. For awards made in 2006 and subsequently, this criterion will apply to determine the vesting for 50% of the initial award. The remaining proportion of the award will be determined by the Company's achievement of preset Profit Before Tax (PBT) growth achieved over the three year performance period.

In order to vest, DSOPs require a minimum level of 6% a year growth in Earning Per Share (EPS) for half the options to vest; 9% a year will be required for all options to vest. Executive directors will only be permitted to exercise 50% of the vested options after the initial three year period. The remaining options will only be exercisable, in two equal tranches, one and two years later. The DSOPs were granted with an option price of £3.93.

Following the grants detailed above persons discharging managerial responsibilities at the Company hold the following share options and share awards in relation to the Company's ordinary 25p shares:

First Name	Last Name	LTIP Number of Shares subject to Share Plan	DSOP Number Of Options	Other Share Award Plans
Anne	Bowerman	32,992	63,963	8,586

Thomas	Glocer	3,602,024	7,871,929	
David	Grigson	826,967	1,839,261	
Christopher	Hagman	364,408	724,880	
Geert	Linnebank	272,322	540,964	
Rosemary	Martin	239,751	418,385	
Susan	Taylor-Martin	122,060	256,999	
Simon	Walker	256,337	337,571	
Devin	Wenig	858,514	1,833,671	

No one person's holding exceeds 1% of the issued share capital of the Company.

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