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Form 6-K  
August 02, 2007

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549

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FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

July 2007

Barclays PLC and  
Barclays Bank PLC  
(Names of Registrants)

1 Churchill Place  
London E14 5HP  
England  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F  Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes  No

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):

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This Report is a joint Report on Form 6-K filed by Barclays PLC and Barclays Bank PLC. All of the issued ordinary share capital of Barclays Bank PLC is owned by Barclays PLC.

This Report comprises:

Information given to The London Stock Exchange and furnished pursuant to General Instruction B to the General Instructions to Form 6-K.

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### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each of the registrants has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

BARCLAYS PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: August 1, 2007

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Deputy Secretary

BARCLAYS BANK PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: August 1, 2007

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Joint Secretary

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Exhibit No. 1

3 July 2007

Director/PDMR Shareholding: Disclosure and Transparency Rules 3.1.4R(1) (a) and 3.1.4R(1) (b)

The independent trustee of the Barclays Group (ESAS) Employees' Benefit Trust (the "ESAS Trust") notified the Company on 29 June 2007 that it had on 29 June 2007 exercised its discretion and released a total of 641,766 ordinary shares in Barclays PLC to participants in the Executive Share Award Scheme ("ESAS"). The shares were released following provisional allocations made by the trustee over Barclays PLC ordinary shares to participants in the ESAS. Of these shares, the following were released to directors and PDMRs of Barclays PLC:

Director/PDMR	Shares released to Director	Shares sold on behalf of director to satisfy withholding liabilities	Price per share (pence)	Shares retained by Director /PDMR
Mr F F Seegers	641,766	263,520	686.194	378,246

The revised total shareholding following this transaction is as follows:

Director	Beneficial Holding
Mr F F Seegers	383,859

Exhibit No. 2

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name: Barclays Bank PLC  
 Series 146  
 GBP 65,000,000 Floating Rate Notes due 2009  
 ISIN Code: XS0194177944  
 Interest Rate: 5.956880%  
 Base Rate: 5.946880%  
 Interest Period: 25-Jun-07 to 24-Sep-07  
 Day Count Method: Acutal/365 (Fixed)  
 Number of Days in Period: 91  
 Payment Date: 24-Sep-07

Denomination:	Coupon:
----- 10,000.00	----- GBP 148.51

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Exhibit No. 3

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name: Barclays Bank Plc  
Series 134  
EUR 100,000,000 Fixed/Floating Rate Notes due June,  
2018  
ISIN Code: XS0194177944  
Interest Rate: 3.005000%  
Base Rate: 4.275000%  
Interest Period: 27-Jun-06 to 27-Jun-07  
Day Count Method: 30/360  
Number of Days in Period: 360  
Payment Date: 27-Jun-07

Denomination:	Coupon:
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100,000.00	EUR 3,005.00

Exhibit No. 4

Barclays Bank PLC

BARCLAYS - Series 6828- ISIN XS0263490871 - Maturity Date 23  
OCTOBER 2008- EUR 4,795,000.

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for EUR 110,000 on 12  
JUNE 2007 and EUR 20,000 on 12 JUNE 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be EUR 4,635,000.

Exhibit No. 5

Barclays Bank PLC

BARCLAYS - Series 6671 - ISIN XS0260572481 - Maturity Date 16 July  
2007 - GBP 4,000,000.

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for GBP 2,300,000 on  
3 JULY 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be GBP 1,700,000.

Please amend your records accordingly.

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Exhibit No. 6

Barclays Bank PLC

BARCLAYS - Series 7349 - ISIN XS0271613670 - Maturity Date 23

OCTOBER 2009 - USD 9,580,000.

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for USD 150,000 on 27 JUNE 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be USD 9,430,000.

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 7

10 July 2007

Director/PDMR shareholding: Disclosure and Transparency Rules 3.1.4R(1) (a) and 3.1.4R(1) (b)

The trustee of the Barclays Group Sharepurchase Plan ("the Plan"), an HM Revenue and Customs approved all-employee share plan, informed Barclays PLC ("the Company") on 10 July 2007 that it had on 9 July 2007 purchased, and now held as bare trustee of the Plan, the following ordinary shares in the capital of the Company for the following director who is a Person Discharging Managerial Responsibility (PDMRs) at a price of 720.50p per share:

Director/PDMR	Number of Shares
Mr C G Lucas	291

The Plan includes Matching Shares provided by the Company on a 1:1 basis up to the first GBP600 per annum invested by the participant under the Plan. The number of shares purchased on 9 July 2007 for the director/PDMR above includes any Matching Shares.

The revised total shareholding for the director following these transactions is as follows:

Director	Beneficial Holding	Non Beneficial Holding
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Mr C G Lucas 2,291

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Exhibit No. 8

Barclays Bank Plc

BARCLAYS - Series 7199 - ISIN XS0269320767 - Maturity Date 3 APRIL 2008 - EUR 7,931,000.

Please be advised that the following issue has been repurchased for EUR 50,000 on 28 JUNE 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be EUR 7,881,000.

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 9

Barclays Bank Plc

BARCLAYS - Series 7199 - ISIN XS0269320767 - Maturity Daye 3 APRIL 2008 - EUR 7,961,000.

Please be advised that the following issue has been repurchased for EUR 30,000 on 4 JUNE 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be EUR 7,931,000.

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 10

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name:	Barclays Bank PLC Series no 86 EUR 100,000,000 Subordinated Floating Rate Notes due March, 2021
ISIN Code:	XS0128504421
Interest Rate:	4.625000%
Base Rate:	4.168000%
Interest Period:	22-Jun-07 to 24-Sep-07
Day Count Method:	Actual/360
Number of Days in Period:	94
Payment Date:	24-Sep-07
Denomination:	Coupon:
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10,000.00 EUR 120.75

Exhibit No. 11

Barclays Bank Plc

BARCLAYS - Series 7199 - ISIN XS0269320767 - Maturity Date 3 April

2008 - EUR 7,981,000

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for EUR 20,000 on 18 June 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be EUR 7,961,000.

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 12

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name: Barclays Bank PLC  
Series 11  
GBP 300,000,000 Floating Rate Subordinated Notes due  
2012  
ISIN Code: XS0074095679  
Interest Rate: 7.037500%  
Base Rate: 5.837500%  
Interest Period: 12-Jun-07 to 12-Sep-07  
Day Count Method: Actual/Actual  
Number of Days in Period: 92  
Payment Date: 12-Sep-07

Denomination:	Coupon:
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10,000.00	GBP 177.38
100,000.00	GBP 1,773.84

Exhibit No. 13

Barclays Bank PLC

BARCLAYS - Series 6820 - ISIN XS0263768078 - Maturity Date 8 February

2008 - EUR 9,650,000.

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for EUR 5,000,000 on 18 JUNE 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be EUR 4,650,000.

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Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 14

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name: Barclays Bank Plc  
Series 143  
EUR 50,000,000 Floating Rate Notes Due 2023  
ISIN Code: XS0183122398  
Interest Rate: 4.509000%  
Base Rate: 4.159000%  
Interest Period: 25-Jun-07 to 24-Sep-07  
Day Count Method: Actual/360  
Number of Days in Period: 91  
Payment Date: 24-Sep-07

Denomination: Coupon:  
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10,000.00 EUR 113.96

Bank of New York  
Rate Fix Desk Telephone 44 1202 689580  
Corporate Trust Services Facsimilie 44 1202 689601

Exhibit No. 15

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name: Barclays Bank Plc  
Series 145  
GBP 45,000,000 Floating Rate Notes Due 2009  
ISIN Code: XS0188531247  
Interest Rate: 5.890000%  
Base Rate: 5.850000%  
Interest Period: 18-Jun-07 to 17-Sep-07  
Day Count Method: Actual/365 (Fixed)  
Number of Days in Period: 91  
Payment Date: 17-Sep-07

Denomination: Coupon:  
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10,000.00 GBP 146.85

Bank of New York  
Rate Fix Desk Telephone 44 1202 689580  
Corporate Trust Services Facsimilie 44 1202 689601



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Exhibit No. 16

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name: Barclays Bank Plc  
Series 132  
EUR 40,000,000 Floating Rate Subordinated Notes due  
2018  
ISIN Code: XS0170401623  
Interest Rate: 4.724000%  
Base Rate: 4.284000%  
Interest Period: 19-Jun-07 to 19-Dec-07  
Day Count Method: Actual/360  
Number of Days in Period:183  
Payment Date: 19-Sep-07  
  
Denomination: Coupon:  
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100,000.00 EUR 2,401.37

Bank of New York  
Rate Fix Desk Telephone 44 1202 689580  
Corporate Trust Services Facsimilie 44 1202 689601

Exhibit No. 17

BARCLAYS PLC

Notification of Major Interests in Shares

TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:

Barclays PLC

2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:

Deutsche Bank AG

4. Full name of shareholders(s) (if different from 3.):

N/A

5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:

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6 July 2007

6. Date on which the issuer notified:

11 July 2007 (received 16 July 2007)

7. Thresholds(s) that is/are crossed or reached:

Above 3%

8. Notified Details:

8. A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares

Ord GBP 25p (ISIN CODE: GB0031348658)

Situation previous to the Triggering transaction

Number of shares	Number of Voting Rights
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N/A	N/A
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Resulting situation after the triggering transaction:

Number of shares	Number of Voting Rights	% of voting rights
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Direct	Direct	Direct
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172,418,158	172,418,158	2.63%
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8B: Financial Instruments

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
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Call option	July 2007 OTC	2,300,000	0.04
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Call option	August 2007 OTC	177,600	0.00
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Call option	September 2007 OTC	700,000	0.01
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Call option	December 2007 OTC	1,000,000	0.02
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Call option	December 2009 OTC	2,500,000	0.04
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Call option	July 2007	3,530,000	0.05
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Call option	December 2007	6,035,823	0.09
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Call option	December 2008	10,303,799	0.16
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TOTAL (A+B)

Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
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198,965,380	3.04%
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9.Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

Not disclosed

Proxy Voting:

10.Name of proxy holder:

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Not disclosed

11.Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:

Not disclosed

12.Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:

Not disclosed

13.Additional information:

Notification using shares in issue figure of 6,545,752,906

Contact name for enquiries:

Lawrence Dickinson  
Company Secretary  
020 7116 8099  
16 July 2007

Exhibit No. 18

Barclays Bank PLC

RATE FIX NOTICE

Issue Name:	Barclays Bank Plc Series Series 135 JPY 5,500,000,000.00 Floating Rate Step Up Callable Notes due 2013	
ISIN Code:	XS0171509366	
Interest Rate:	1.040000%	
Base Rate:	0.760000%	
Interest Period:	3-Jul-07 to 3-Oct-07	
Day Count Method:	Actual/360	
Number of Days in Period:	92	
Payment Date:	03-Oct-2007	
Denomination:	Coupon:	
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1,000,000.00	JPY	2,657.00

Exhibit No. 19

Barclays Bank PLC

BARCLAYS - Series 7349 - ISIN XS0271613670 - Maturity Date 23 OCTOBER 2009 - USD  
9,430,000

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for USD 100,000 on 18  
JULY 2007.

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The outstanding balance will therefore be USD 9,330,000.

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 20

BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

Information provided on this form must be typed or printed electronically.

To: The FSA

Date: \_\_20 July\_\_\_\_2007\_\_

Name of applicant: Barclays PLC

Name of scheme: Barclays Incentive Share Option Plan

Period of return: From:01.01.07 To:30.06.07

Balance under scheme from previous return: 3,742,928 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return:10,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 10.04.07

Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period: 8,161,664 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period 5,581,264 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission

600,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 06.10.99
750,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 09.11.01
2,340,300 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 29.04.02
2,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 10.07.03
2,500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 22.07.04
2,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 04.11.04
500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 16.08.05
2,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 31.08.05
5,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 28.11.05
14,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 06.03.06
2,500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 09.08.06
10,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 27.10.06

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Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period 6,545,102,018

Name of contact: Marie Smith  
Address of contact: 1 Churchill Place, London E14 5HP  
Telephone number of contact: 020 7116 2907

SIGNED BY \_\_\_\_\_

Director/company secretary/suitably experienced employee/duly authorised officer,

for and on behalf of

Barclays PLC\_\_\_\_\_

Name of applicant

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Exhibit No. 21

BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

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To: The FSA

Date: 20 July 2007

Name of applicant: Barclays PLC  
Name of scheme: Woolwich SAYE Share Option Scheme  
Period of return: From:01.01.07 To:30.06.07  
Balance under scheme from previous return: 808,581 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: 0

Number of securities

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issued/allotted under  
scheme during period: 0

Balance under scheme  
not yet issued/  
allotted at end of period 808,581 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Number and class of  
securities originally  
listed and the date of  
admission 500,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 26.10.00  
1,822,748 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 29.04.02

Total number of  
securities in issue at  
the end of the period 6,545,102,018

Name of contact: Marie Smith  
Address of contact: 1 Churchill Place, London E14 5HP  
Telephone number of contact: 020 7116 2907

SIGNED BY \_\_\_\_\_

Director/company secretary/suitably experienced employee/duly authorised  
officer,

for and on behalf of

Barclays PLC\_\_\_\_\_

Name of applicant

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Exhibit No. 22

BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

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To: The FSA

Date: 20 July 2007

Name of applicant: Barclays PLC  
Name of scheme: Renewed 1986 Executive Share Option Scheme  
Period of return: From:01.01.07 To:30.06.07

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Balance under scheme  
from previous return: 875,274 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

The amount by which the  
block scheme has been  
increased, if the scheme  
has been increased since  
the date of the last  
return: 500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 10.04.07

Number of securities issued/  
allotted under scheme  
during period: 237,794 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Balance under scheme not  
yet issued/allotted at  
end of period 1,137,480 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Number and class of  
securities originally  
listed and the date of  
admission

600,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 06.10.99
750,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 09.11.01
2,340,300 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 29.04.02
2,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 12.11.03
500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 31.08.05
1,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 28.11.05
700,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 06.03.06

Total number of securities  
in issue at the end of the  
period 6,545,102,018

Name of contact: Marie Smith  
Address of contact: 1 Churchill Place, London E14 5HP  
Telephone number of contact: 020 7116 2907

SIGNED BY \_\_\_\_\_

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Exhibit No. 23

BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

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To: The FSA

Date: \_\_20 July 2007\_\_

Name of applicant: Barclays PLC  
Name of scheme: Woolwich Executive Share Option Plan (ESOP)  
Period of return: From:01.01.07 To:30.06.07  
Balance under scheme from previous return: 562,652 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each  
The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: 0  
Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period: 128,036 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each  
Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period 434,616 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission  
600,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 06.10.99  
750,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 09.11.01  
2,340,300 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 29.04.02  
2,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 10.07.03  
5,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 12.11.03  
500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 31.08.05  
500,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 28.11.05  
250,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 06.03.06

Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period 6,545,102,018

Name of contact: Marie Smith  
Address of contact: 1 Churchill Place, London E14 5HP  
Telephone number of contact: 020 7116 2907

SIGNED BY \_\_\_\_\_

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Barclays PLC

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Exhibit No. 24

BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

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To: The FSA

Date: 20 July 2007

Name of applicant: Barclays PLC

Name of scheme: Renewed 1981 & 1991 SAYE Share Option Scheme

Period of return: From:01.01.07 To:30.06.07

Balance under scheme from previous return: 7,964,894 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return:

0

Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period: 1,876,503 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period 6,088,391 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each

Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission

9,000,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 26.10.00
9,000,000 Ordinary Shares of GBP1 on 09.11.01
7,334,244 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 29.04.02
20,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 05.11.02
25,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 10.07.03
3,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 22.09.03
25,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 22.07.04
25,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 28.10.05
20,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 0.25p each on 27.10.06

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Total number of  
securities in issue at  
the end of the period            6,545,102,018

Name of contact:                    Marie Smith  
Address of contact:                1 Churchill Place, London E14 5HP  
Telephone number of contact:020 7116 2907

SIGNED BY \_\_\_\_\_

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officer,

for and on behalf of

\_\_\_\_\_  
Barclays PLC

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Exhibit No.    25

BARCLAYS PLC

23rd July 2007

Shareholders are advised that Absa Group Limited, in which we have a  
shareholding of over 57%, and Absa Bank Limited today issued the Trading  
Statement set out below.

ABSA GROUP LIMITED  
(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa)  
(Registration number: 1986/003934/06)  
ISIN: ZAE000067237  
JSE share code: ASA  
Issuer code: AMAGB

(Absa Group, Absa or the Group) (Absa Group together with the Absa Group of  
companies)

ABSA GROUP TRADING STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2007

In terms of paragraph 3.4 (b) of the Listings Requirements of the JSE Limited  
(the JSE Listings Requirements), an issuer is required to publish a trading  
statement as soon as it becomes apparent that headline earnings per share and/or  
earnings per share for the next period to be reported on are expected, with a  
reasonable degree of certainty, to differ by at least twenty per cent (20%) from

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those of the previous corresponding period.

Shareholders are advised that the Group's headline earnings per share and earnings per share for the six months ended 30 June 2007 are expected to increase by between twenty-two per cent (22%) and twenty-seven per cent (27%) compared with the six months ended 30 June 2006.

Shareholders are advised that the forecasted financial results on which this trading statement is based have not been reviewed or reported on by Absa's auditors in accordance with paragraphs 3.4(b)(vi)(1)(aa) or 3.4(b)(vi)(1)(bb) of the JSE Listings Requirements.

The Group's results for the six months ended 30 June 2007 will be released on Sens on 2 August 2007.

Johannesburg  
23 July 2007

### Enquiries

Eric Wasserman  
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ABSA BANK LIMITED  
(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa)  
(Registration number: 1986/004794/06)  
ISIN: ZAE000079810  
JSE share code: ABSP  
(Absa Bank) (a wholly owned subsidiary of Absa Group Limited)

ABSA BANK TRADING STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2007

In terms of paragraph 3.4 (b) of the Listings Requirements of the JSE Limited (the JSE Listings Requirements), an issuer is required to publish a trading statement as soon as it becomes apparent that headline earnings per share and/or earnings per share for the next period to be reported on are expected, with a reasonable degree of certainty, to differ by at least twenty per cent (20%) from those of the previous corresponding period.

Shareholders are advised that Absa Bank's headline earnings per share and earnings per share for the six months ended 30 June 2007 are expected to increase by between twenty-two per cent (22%) and twenty-seven per cent (27%) compared with the six months ended 30 June 2006.

Shareholders are advised that the forecasted financial results on which this trading statement is based have not been reviewed or reported on by Absa Bank's auditors in accordance with paragraphs 3.4(b)(vi)(1)(aa) or 3.4(b)(vi)(1)(bb) of the JSE Listings Requirements.

Absa Bank's results for the six months ended 30 June 2007 will be released on

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Sens on 2 August 2007.

Johannesburg  
23 July 2007

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### Forward Looking Statements

This document contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the US Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended and Section 27A of the US Securities Act of 1933, as amended, with respect to certain of the plans, current goals and expectations of Absa Group Limited (Absa) relating to its future financial condition and performance. These forward-looking statements can be identified by the fact that they do not relate only to historical or current facts. Forward-looking statements sometimes use words such as "aim", "anticipate", "target", "expect", "estimate", "intend", "plan", "objective", "believe", or other words of similar meaning. Examples of forward-looking statements include, among others, statements regarding Absa's future financial position, income growth, impairment charges, business strategy, projected levels of growth in the banking and financial markets, projected costs, estimates of capital expenditures, and plans and objectives for future operation.

By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty because they relate to future events and circumstances including, but not limited to, the further development of standards and interpretations under International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) applicable to past, current and future periods, evolving practices with regard to the interpretation and application of standards under IFRS and pending tax elections with regard to certain subsidiaries, as well as South African domestic and global economic and business conditions, market related risks such as changes in interest rates and exchange rates, the policies and actions of government and regulatory authorities, changes in legislation, the outcome of pending and future litigation, the impact of competition, and Absa's ability to increase earnings per share from acquisitions, which may be affected, among other things, by the ability to realise expected synergies, integrate businesses, and costs associated with the acquisition and integration - a number of which factors are beyond Absa's

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control. As a result, Absa's actual future results may differ materially from the plans, goals, and expectations set forth in Absa's forward-looking statements.

Any forward-looking statements made by or on behalf of Absa speak only as of the date they are made. Absa does not undertake to update forward-looking statements to reflect any changes in its expectations with regard thereto or any changes in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based. The reader should, however, consult any additional disclosures that Absa has made or may make in documents it has filed or may file with South African regulatory authorities including its most recent annual report.

Exhibit No. 26

Barclays Bank Plc

BARCLAYS - Series 7325 - ISIN XS0271073206 - Maturity Date 30 OCTOBER 2008 - USD  
10,850,000

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for USD 1,250,000 on 12 July 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be USD 9,600,000

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 27

### BARCLAYS PLC

#### Notification of Major Interests in Shares

##### TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:

Barclays PLC

2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:

Deutsche Bank AG

4. Full name of shareholders(s) (if different from 3.):

N/A

5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:

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9 July 2007

6. Date on which the issuer notified:

12 July 2007 (received 23 July 2007)

7. Thresholds(s) that is/are crossed or reached:

Below 3%

8. Notified Details:

8. A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares

Ord GBP 25p (ISIN CODE: GB0031348658)

Situation previous to the Triggering transaction

Number of shares	Number of Voting Rights
172,418,158	172,418,158

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction:

Number of shares	Number of Voting Rights	% of voting rights
Direct	Direct	Direct
Below 3%	Below 3%	Below 3%

8B: Financial Instruments

Not disclosed

TOTAL (A+B)

Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
Below 3%	Below 3%

9.Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

Not disclosed

Proxy Voting:

10.Name of proxy holder:

Not disclosed

11.Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:

Not disclosed

12.Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:

Not disclosed

13.Additional information:

Notification using shares in issue figure of 6,545,752,906

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23 July 2007

Exhibit No. 28

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name:	RATE FIX NOTICE Barclays Bank Plc Series Series 123 GBP 100,000,000.00 Floating Rate Notes
ISIN Code:	XS0152775564
Interest Rate:	6.030000%
Base Rate:	6.010000%
Interest Period:	16-Jul-07 to 16-Oct-07
Day Count Method:	Actual/Actual
Number of Days in Period:	92
Payment Date:	16-Oct-2007
Denomination:	Coupon:
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10,000.00	GBP 151.99

Exhibit No. 29

Barclays Bank PLC

Issue Name:	RATE FIX NOTICE Barclays Bank Plc Series Series 157 EUR 1,250,000,000.00 Callable Floating Rate Subordinated Notes
ISIN Code:	XS0240949791
Interest Rate:	4.396000%
Base Rate:	4.221000%
Interest Period:	20-Jul-07 to 22-Oct-07
Day Count Method:	Actual/360
Number of Days in Period:	94
Payment Date:	22-Oct-2007
Denomination:	Coupon:
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50,000.00	EUR 573.92

Exhibit No. 30

Barclays Bank PLC

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RATE FIX NOTICE  
Issue Name: Barclays Bank Plc  
USD 600,000,000.00 Undated Floating Rate  
Primary Capital Notes  
ISIN Code: GB0000779529  
Interest Rate: 5.562500%  
Base Rate: 5.312500%  
Interest Period: 18-Jul-07 to 18-Jan-08  
Day Count Method: Actual/360  
Number of Days in Period: 184  
Payment Date: 18-Jan-2008  
Denomination: Coupon:  
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10,000.00 USD 284.31  
100,000.00 USD 2,843.10

Exhibit No. 31

Barclays PLC

BARCLAYS - Series 5413 - ISIN XS0240983030 - Maturity Date 23 JULY 2007 - EUR  
6,000,000.

Please be advised the following issue has been repurchased for EUR 2,500,000 on  
17 JULY 2007.

The outstanding balance will therefore be EUR 3,500,000

Please amend your records accordingly.

Exhibit No. 32

31 July 2007

Barclays PLC - Voting Rights and Capital

In conformity with the Disclosure and Transparency Rules, Barclays PLC's issued  
share capital consists of 6,545,671,873 ordinary shares with voting rights and  
875,000 staff shares with voting rights as at 30 July 2007. There are no  
ordinary shares held in Treasury.

Therefore, the total number of voting rights in Barclays PLC is 6,546,546,873.

The above figure (6,546,546,873) may be used by shareholders as the denominator  
for the calculations by which they will determine if they are required to notify  
their interest in, or a change to their interest in, Barclays PLC under the  
FSA's Disclosure and Transparency Rules.