PEARSON PLC Form 6-K June 03, 2008

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

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

For the month of June, 2008

PEARSON plc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

N/A

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

80 Strand London, England WC2R 0RL 44-20-7010-2000

(Address of principal executive office)

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 X

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 X

This Report includes the following documents:

1. A press release from Pearson plc announcing Director/PDMR Shareholding

notification of transactions of directors, persons

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discharging managerial responsibility or connected persons
This form is intended for use by an
issuer
to make a
RIS
notification required by
DR
3.14R(1).
(1)
  An
issuer
making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the
shares
or debentures of the
issuer
should complete
boxes 1 to 16
, 23 and 24.
(2)
  An
issuer
making a notification in respect of a derivative relating the
shares
of the
issuer
should complete
boxes 1 to 4
, 6, 8, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
(3)
  An
making a notification in respect of options granted to a
director/person discharging managerial responsibilities
should complete
boxes 1 to 3
and 17 to 24.
(4)
  An
issuer
making a notification in respect of a
financial instrument
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relating to the

shares

of the

issuer

(other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.

Please complete all relevant boxes should in block capital letters.

1. Name of the

issuer

2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with

DR

3.1.4R(1)(a)

(ii) DR

3.1.4(R)(1)(b) a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 328) of the Companies Act 1985; or

• both (i) and (ii)

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BOTH (i) AND (ii)

3. Name of person discharging managerial

responsibilities/director

MARJORIE SCARDINO

4. State whether notification relates to a

person

connected with a

person discharging managerial responsibilities/director

named in 3 and identify the

connected person

N/A

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a6

holding of the

person

referred to in 3 or 4 above or in respect of a

non-beneficial interest

HOLDING

Description of

shares

(including

class

), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments relating

DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN THROUGH U.S.

to

shares

7. Name of registered shareholder(s) and, if more8. State the nature of the transaction

than one, the number of

shares

held by each of them

AMERICAN DEPOSITORY RECEIPTS (ADRs)

EMPLOYEE STOCK PURCHASE PLAN

MARJORIE SCARDINO

9 Number of

shares

, debentures or financial instruments relating to

shares

acquired

294

10. Percentage of issued

class

acquired (

treasury shares

of that

should not be taken into account when calculating

percentage)

0.00004%

11. Number of 12. Percentage of issued

3

shares

, debentures or financial instruments relating to

shares

disposed N/A

class

disposed (

treasury shares

of that class

should not be taken into account when calculating

percentage)

N/A

13. Price per

share

or value of transaction

1

3.6606

15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (any treasury shares

should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

399,661 0.04944% **19 MAY**

USA

16. Date issuer informed of transaction

14. Date and place of transaction

2 JUNE 2008

If a person discharging managerial responsibilities has been granted options by the issuer complete the following boxes

17. Date of grant

N/A

18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised

N/A

19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option

N/A

20. Description of

shares

or debentures involved (

class

and number)

N/A

21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that 22. Total number of

price is to be fixed at the time of exercise

N/A

or debentures over which options held following

notification

N/A

23. Any additional information

N/A

24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries:

JENNIFER BURTON, ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY, 020 7010 2256.

Name and signature of duly authorised officer of	
issuer	
responsible for making notification	
JENNIFER BURTON	
ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY	
Date of notification	
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3 JUNE 2008	

SIGNATURE

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

PEARSON plc

Date:03 June, 2008

By: /s/ STEPHEN JONES

Stephen Jones
Deputy Secretary