

BARCLAYS PLC  
Form 6-K  
August 01, 2008

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

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

August, 2008

**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 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

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

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:

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

EXHIBIT INDEX

Holding(s) in Company 01 August 2008

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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 01, 2008

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Deputy Secretary

BARCLAYS BANK PLC  
(Registrant)

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Date: August 01, 2008

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Joint Secretary

**TR-1: Notifications 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 notification**  
(yes/no)

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached

**YES**

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights

Other (please specify):

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

**Appleby  
Trust  
(Jersey)  
Limited  
in its  
capacity as  
trustee  
of the**

**Barclays  
Group  
(ESAS)  
Employees'  
Benefit  
Trust**

**Barclays  
Group  
(PSP)  
Employees'  
Benefit  
Trust  
and the  
Barclays  
Group  
(Canada)  
Employees'  
Benefit  
Trust**

**4. Full name of shareholder(s)**  
(if different from 3)

:

**Greenwood  
Nominees  
Limited  
- acting as  
custodian**

**5. Date of transaction**

(and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different):

**31 July  
2008**

**6. Date on which issuer notified**

:

**1 August  
2008**

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

**3  
.0  
0  
%**

**8: Notified Details**

**A: Voting rights attached to shares**

Class/type of shares If possible use ISIN code	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction		
	Number of shares	Number of voting rights	Number of shares	Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
		212,579,807		Direct	Indirect
				Indirect	Direct
					Indirect

GB0031348658	212,579,807	212,579,807	212,579,807	2.61 %
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**B: Financial Instruments**

**Resulting situation after the triggering transaction**

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/ conversion period/date	No. of voting rights that may be acquired (if the instrument exercised/converted)	Percentage of voting rights
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**Total (A+B)**

<b>Number of voting rights</b>	<b>Percentage of voting rights</b>
212,579,807	2.61 %

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

**Proxy Voting:**

**10. Name of proxy holder:**

**11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold**  
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**12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:**

**13. Additional information** It is our normal practice to abstain from voting in relation to our holding  
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**Contact name for enquiries:**

**Lawrence**

**Dickinson  
Company Secretary  
020 7116 8099  
1 August 2008**