

SIGNET GROUP PLC
Form 6-K
January 06, 2006

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Special Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of
The Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

For the date of January 06, 2006

SIGNET GROUP plc
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Zenith House
The Hyde
London NW9 6EW
England
(Address of principal executive office)

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

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): 82-

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NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Name of company
SIGNET GROUP plc
2. Name of shareholder having a major interest
CAPITAL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED, AFFILIATE OF THE CAPITAL GROUP COMPANIES INC
("CG")
3. Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18
NON BENEFICIAL INTEREST. PLEASE SEE LETTER BELOW FROM CG.
4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them
PLEASE SEE LETTER BELOW.
5. Number of shares / amount of stock acquired
N/A
6. Percentage of issued class
N/A
7. Number of shares / amount of stock disposed
NOT STATED
8. Percentage of issued class
N/A
9. Class of security
0.5p ORDINARY SHARES
10. Date of transaction
NOT STATED.
11. Date company informed
6 JANUARY 2006
12. Total holding following this notification
SEE BELOW.
13. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification
SEE BELOW.
14. Any additional information
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15. Name of contact and telephone number for queries
MARK JENKINS 0870 9090301
16. Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Date of notification
06.01.06

LETTER FROM THE CAPITAL GROUP COMPANIES, INC.

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As of 4 January 2006

Signet Group plc

	No. of Shares	P Ou
The Capital Group Companies, Inc. ("CG") holdings	208,012,849	
Holdings by CG Management Companies and Funds:		
Capital Guardian Trust Company	15,641,209	
Capital International Limited	171,146,104	
Capital International S.A.	2,297,910	
Capital International, Inc	18,927,626	

Schedule A

Schedule of holdings in Signet Group plc

As of 4 January 2006

Capital Guardian Trust Company

Registered Name

State Street Nominees Limited

Bank of New York Nominees

Chase Nominees Limited

Midland Bank plc

Nortrust Nominees

RBSTB Nominees Ltd

TOTAL

Loc

1

Schedule B

Capital International Limited

Registered Name

State Street Nominees Limited

Bank of New York Nominees

Northern Trust

Chase Nominees Limited

Midland Bank plc

Loc

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Barclays Bank

Citibank London

Morgan Guaranty

Nortrust Nominees

State Street Bank & Trust Co

Citibank

Deutsche Bank AG

HSBC Bank plc

Mellon Bank N.A.

Northern Trust AVFC

KAS UK

Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited

Bank One London

TOTAL

2

1

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Schedule B

Capital International S.A.

Chase Nominees

Midland Bank plc

Royal Bank of Scotland

Lloyds Bank

TOTAL

Schedule B

Capital International Inc.

State Street Nominees Limited

Bank of New York Nominees

Northern Trust

Chase Nominees Limited

Midland Bank plc

Nortrust Nominees

State Street Bank & Trust Co

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Citibank

Citibank NA

HSBC Bank plc

JP Morgan Chase Bank

TOTAL

1

SIGNATURES

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.

SIGNET GROUP plc

By: /s/ Walker Boyd

Name: Walker Boyd

Title: Group Finance Director

Date: January 06, 2006