

Notification of Major Interest in Shares

October 4, 2007

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

REUTERS GROUP PLC

2. Reason for the notification:

- 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
- An event changing the breakdown of voting rights
- Other (please specify):

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

Deutsche Bank AG

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

Deutsche Bank AG
Abbey Life Assurance Company Ltd

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

2 October 2007

6. Date on which issuer notified:

3 October 2007

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

Aggregate direct and financial instruments 3%

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

| Class/type of shares | 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 | |
| | | | Direct | Indirect | Direct | Indirect | Direct | Indirect |
| ORD - GB0002369139 | N/A | N/A | 36,701,220 | 36,701,220 | | 2.91% | | |

B: Financial Instruments

| Resulting situation after the triggering transaction | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date | Exercise / Conversion Period / Date | Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised / converted | Percentage of voting rights |
| Call Option | March 2008 | | 1,531,863 | 0.12% |
| Call Option | December 2007 | | 40,000 | 0.00% |

Total (A+B)

| Number of voting rights | Percentage of voting rights |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 38,273,083 | 3.03% |

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

N/A

Proxy Voting

10. Name of the proxy holder:

N/A

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

N/A

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

N/A