SIGNET GROUP PLC Form 6-K May 09, 2007

#### 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 May 09, 2007

## **SIGNET GROUP plc**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

## 15 Golden Square London W1F 9JG 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 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): 82-

TR-1: notification of major interests in shares

Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer
of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: Signet Group plc

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

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

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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

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

Schroders plc

- 4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.)
- 5. Date of the transaction and date on which the

threshold is crossed or reached: 04/05/07

6. Date on which issuer notified: 08/05/07

- 7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: 5%
- 8. Notified details:

#### A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type Situation previous to the Resulting situation after the triggering of shares Triggering transaction transaction

if possible

using the Number of Number of Voting Number Number of voting % of voting ISIN CODE Shares Rights viii of rights ix rights

shares

Direct Direct Indirect xi Direct Indirect

x

GB00B1HTFP68 84,279,263 84,279,263 N/A N/A 94,334,944 N/A 5.534% Ordinary

B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction xii

Type of Expiration Exercise/ Number of voting rights that may % of financial date xiii Conversion be acquired if the instrument is voting exercised/ converted. rights

xiv

Total (A+B)

Number of voting rights % of voting rights

94,334,944 5.534%

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

Schroder Investment Management Limited 39,887,739 2.34%

Schroder Investment Management North America Limited 43,624,561 2.56%

Schroders (CI) Limited 82,899 0.005%

Schroder Investment Management (Hong Kong) Limited 280,120 0.016%

Schroder & Co Bank AG 10,459,625 0.613%

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#### Proxy Voting:

- 10. Name of the proxy holder:
- 11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:
- 12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:
- 13. Additional information: The shares referred to in section 9 are held in

portfolios managed by those firms on a

discretionary basis for clients under investment

management agreements.

- 14. Contact name:
- 15. Contact telephone number:

Identity of the notifier

Full name: Mark Andrew Jenkins - Group Company Secretary

Contact address: Signet Group plc, 15 Golden Square, London, W1F 9JG

Phone number: 0870 90 90 301

#### **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: May 09, 2007