Form 8.1/8.3

Lodge with a RIS or Newstrack, if appropriate, and the Takeover Panel. Use separate form for each class of securities in which dealings have been made.

Date of Disclosure 10 March 2003

DISCLOSURE UNDER RULES 8.1(a), 8.1(b)(i) and 8.3 OF THE CITY CODE ON TAKEOVERS AND MERGER

Date of Dealing 7 March 2003

Dealing in SIX CONTINENTS

(1)Class of security (eg ordinary shares) ORD GBP0.28

(2)Amount bought	Amount sold	Price per unit
1,194	0	6.0838
2,509	0	6.0450
2,645	0	6.0750
0	94	6.0608
0	125	6.1150
0	139	6.0975
0	140	6.0750
0	143	6.0908
0	144	6.1100
0	162	6.0780
0	165	6.1058
0	169	6.0500
0	180	6.0780
0	193	6.0508
0	218	5.8685
0	227	6.0975
0	241	6.0758
0	268	6.0330
0	281	6.0958
0	283	6.0808
0	291	6.0885
0	291	6.0758
0	319	6.1030
0	330	6.0500
0	391	6.0930
0	2,000	5.9950
0	2,390	6.0950

(3)Resultant total of the same class owned or controlled 33,138,687

(and percentage of class) (3.82 %)

- (4) Party making disclosure Barclays PLC
- (5) **EITHER** (a) Name of purchaser/vendor (Note 1)
 - (b) If dealing for discretionary client(s), name of fund management organisation

Barclays PLC

(6) Reason for disclo (a) associate of	osure (Note 2) (i) offeror (Note 3) (ii) offeree	NO NO	
Specify which categor	ory or categories of ass	sociate (1-8 overleaf)	
(b) Rule 8.3 (i.e dis securities dealt in)	sclosure because of ow	nership or control of 1% or more of the class of relevant YES	
Signed, for and on behalf of the party named in (4) above			
(Also print name of s Geoff Smith	signatory)		

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