

**SCHEDULE 10**

**NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES**

1. Name of company:  
Edinburgh Small Companies Trust plc
- 2) Name of shareholder having a major interest  
Aberdeen Asset Managers Ltd
- 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  
British Empire Securities Plc and discretionary clients
- 4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them  
Chase Nominees Ltd - 5,392,000, BNY Nominees Ltd - 570,000, Globenet Nominees Ltd - 1,348,000
- 5) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired  
1,000,000
- 6) Percentage of issued class  
1.48%
- 7) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed,  
0
- 8) Percentage of issued class  
N/A
- 9) Class of security  
Ordinary 25p shares
- 10) Date of transaction  
6.8.02
- 11) Date company informed  
7.8.02
- 12) Total holding following this notification  
7,310,000
- 13) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification  
10.85%
- 14) Any additional information  
None
- 15) Name of contact and telephone number for queries
- 16) Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Amanda Fraser  
Date of notification 7.8.02