

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

- 1) Name of company
Edinburgh High Income Trust plc
- 2) Name of shareholder having a major interest
Aberdeen Asset Managers Limited
- 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 on behalf of Aberdeen Preferred Income Trust plc
- 4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them
State Street Nominees Ltd for XCC8 - 831,000
- 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
300,000
- 8) Percentage of issued class
0.95%
- 9) Class of security
Ordinary lp
- 10) Date of transaction
19/8/02
- 11) Date company informed
20/8/02
- 12) Total holding following this notification
831,000
- 13) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification
2.63%

14) Any additional information
n/a

15) Name of contact and telephone number for queries
Amanda Fraser

16) Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for
making this notification

Date of notification 20/8/02