SIGNET GROUP PLC Form 6-K August 11, 2006

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 August 11, 2006

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.

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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

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Signet Group plc ("Signet")

Rule 2.10 Announcement

In accordance with Rule 2.10 of the City Code on Takeovers and Mergers, Signet confirms that its current issued share capital comprises 1,735,801,545 ordinary shares of 0.5 pence each.

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The International Securities Identification Number for Signet's ordinary shares is GB0000403740.

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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: August 11, 2006