

BARCLAYS BANK PLC /ENG/  
Form 6-K  
July 25, 2008

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

July, 2008

**Barclays PLC and  
Barclays Bank PLC**  
(Names of Registrants)

**1 Churchill Place  
London E14 5HP  
England**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports  
under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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):

This Report is a joint Report on Form 6-K filed by Barclays PLC and Barclays  
Bank PLC. All of the issued ordinary share capital of Barclays Bank PLC is  
owned by Barclays PLC.

This Report comprises:

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Information given to The London Stock Exchange and furnished pursuant to  
General Instruction B to the General Instructions to Form 6-K.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Holding(s) in Company 24 July 2008

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each of the registrants has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

BARCLAYS PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: July 24, 2008

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Deputy Secretary

BARCLAYS BANK PLC  
(Registrant)

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Date: July 24, 2008

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Joint Secretary

BARCLAYS PLC

Notification of Major Interests in Shares

**TR-1: Notifications of Major Interests in Shares**

**1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing** BARCLAYS PLC  
**shares to which voting rights are attached:**

**2. Reason for notification** (yes/no)

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

**YES**

An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the  
acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached

**NO**

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights

**NO**

Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Full name of person(s) subject to** Qatar Investment Authority  
**notification obligation:**

**4. Full name of shareholder(s)** (if Qatar Holding LLC  
different from 3):

**5. Date of transaction** (and date on 22 JULY 200 8  
which the threshold is crossed or reached  
if different):

**6. Date on which issuer notified:** 23 JULY 200 8

**7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or** 6%  
**reached:**



**8: Notified Details****A: Voting rights attached to shares**

**Qatar Holding LLC has acquired beneficial ownership of 522,755,622 ordinary shares in Barclays plc representing 6.42% of Barclays plc 's total issued share capital.**

Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction	Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
		Number of shares	Number of voting rights	Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights	
Ordinary shares of 25 pence each		522,755,622				
			Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect
			522,755,622	N/a	6.42 %	N/a

**B: Financial Instruments****Resulting situation after the triggering transaction**

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/ conversion period/date	No. of voting rights that may be acquired (if the instrument exercised/converted)	Percentage of voting rights
N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a

**Total (A+B)**

**Number of voting rights**  
522,755,622

**Percentage of voting rights**  
6.42 %



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

Qatar Holding LLC is a wholly owned subsidiary of Qatar Investment Authority (“QIA”) and acts under QIA’s direction and control.

**Proxy Voting:** N/a

**10. Name of 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:**

This notification has been prepared using the total voting rights figure of 8,144,337,814 in existence after the completion of the firm placing and placing and open offer by the Issuer , as set out in the prospectus dated 25 June 2008.

Contact name for enquiries:

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24 July 2008