Holding(s) in Company

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TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARESⁱ

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: ⁱⁱ			do Group Plc
2 Reason for the notification (please box or boxes):	se tick the	e appr	opriate
An acquisition or disposal of voting ri	ghts		х
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached			
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments			
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights			
Other (please specify):			
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation: ⁱⁱⁱ Morgan S (Institutional S Group and Wealth Mana		Securities Global	

4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.): ^{iv}	
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: ^V	06/01/2016
6. Date on which issuer notified:	08/01/2016
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: ^{vi, vii}	6%*

8. Notified details:							
A: Voting rights attached to shares ^{viii, ix}							
Class/type of Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number Number of of		Number of shares	Number of voting rights		% of voting righ	
	Shares	Voting Rights	Direct	Direct ^{Xi}	Indirect xii	Direct	Indire
GB00B3MBS747	12,817,158	12,817,158	13,109,438	13,109,438		2.22%	

B,: Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date ^{Xiii}	Exercise/ Conversion Period xiv	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of votin rights
Right of Recall over a securities lending agreement	n/a	n/a	10,438,550	1.77%

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments $^{XV, \ XVi}$

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date ^{XVII}	Exercise/ Conversion period ^{XViii}	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of votin rights ^{xix,}	
Equity	n/a	20-01-2016	n/a		Nominal	De
Swap	n/a	20-01-2010	n/a	399,210	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	30-03-2016	n/a	600,000	n/a	0.1
Equity Swap	n/a	05-09-2016	n/a	1,405,242	n/a	0.2
Equity Swap	n/a	15-12-2016	n/a	3,090,807	n/a	0.5
Equity Swap	n/a	23-01-2017	n/a	75,191	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	20-02-2017	n/a	1,100,000	n/a	0.1
Equity Swap	n/a	17-03-2017	n/a	2,421,478	n/a	0.4
Equity Swap	n/a	30-05-2017	n/a	4,400,000	n/a	0.7
Equity Swap	n/a	21-07-2017	n/a	52,566	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	04-09-2017	n/a	1,031,421	n/a	0.1
Equity Swap	n/a	16-11-2017	n/a	94,300	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	04-12-2017	n/a	94	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	07-12-2017	n/a	254,534	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	29-12-2017	n/a	400,000	n/a	0.0
Equity Swap	n/a	04-01-2018	n/a	1,140,000	n/a	0.1

Total (A+B+C)	
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
40,012,831	6.78%

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

Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC; c/o The Corporation Trust Company (DE), Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, USA is a direct holder of 23,538,685 voting rights (3.99%) and is a subsidiary of Morgan Stanley Domestic Holdings, Inc.

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Proxy Voting:	
10. Name of the proxy holder:	N/A
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	N/A
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	N/A

13. Additional information:	Morgan Stanley's total holding in Ocado Group plc remains above the 6% threshold previously disclosed however, this notification is being made on the basis that Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Morgan Stanley, has crossed above a relevant threshold in its own right.	
	Of the total voting rights attached to shares in Section 8A 13,100,135 (2.22%) of these are the result of stock borrowing agreements.	
14. Contact name:	Wilma Fairholm	
15. Contact telephone number:	0141 245 7218	

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