

SIGNET GROUP PLC  
Form 6-K  
May 27, 2008

**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 27 May, 2008

**SIGNET GROUP plc**  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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**15 Golden Square**  
**London W1F 9JG**  
**England**  
(Address of principal executive office)

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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

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

**TR-1:**

**notification of major interests in shares**

**1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:** Signet Group plc

**2. Reason for the notification**  
 (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):  
 An acquisition or disposal of voting rights  x  
 An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached  
 An event changing the breakdown of voting rights

**3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:** Capital Group International, Inc

**4. Full name of shareholder(s)**  
 (if different from 3.)

**5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:** 21 May 2008

**6. Date on which issuer notified:** 22 May 2008

**7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:** 8%  
9%

**8. Notified details:**

**A: Voting rights attached to shares**

| Class / type of shares<br>if possible using the ISIN CODE | Situation previous to the triggering transaction |                         | Resulting situation after the triggering transaction |             |                                |                    |
|---|--|-------------------------|--|-------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|
|   | Number of Shares                                 | Number of Voting Rights | Number of shares                                     |             | Number of voting rights        | % of voting rights |
|   |  | viii                    | Direct   | Indirect    | ix<br>Direct<br>xi<br>Indirect | Direct Indirect    |
| GB001HTFP68   | 172,078,562                                      | 172,078,562             |  | 161,767,185 | x<br>161,767,185               | 9.4848%            |

**B: Financial Instruments**

**Resulting situation after the triggering transaction**

| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date | Exercise/ Conversion Period/ Date | Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument exercised/ converted. | % of voting rights |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------|
|                              | xiii            |                                   |  |                    |

xiv

N/A

|                                |                           |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Total (A+B)</b>             |                           |
| <b>Number of voting rights</b> | <b>% of voting rights</b> |
| 161,767,185                    | 9.4848%                   |

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

|               |                         |
|---------------|-------------------------|
| <sup>xv</sup> |                         |
| :             | <b>Number of shares</b> |

**Percent of outstanding**

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| Capital Group International Inc. ("CGII") holdings |              |
| <b>161,767,185</b>                                 | <b>9.485</b> |
| %  |              |

**Holidngs by CGII Management Companies and Funds:**

|                                |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Capital Guardian Trust Company |        |
| <b>1,694,960</b>               | 0.099% |

|                               |        |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Capital International Limited |        |
| <b>94,664,389</b>             | 5.550% |

|                            |        |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Capital International S.A. |        |
| <b>33,491,510</b>          | 1.964% |

Capital International, Inc.

**31,916,326**

1.871%

**Proxy Voting:**

**10. Name of the 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:**

**14. Contact name:**

**15. Contact telephone number:**

**Identity of the notifier**

**Full name:**

Mark Andrew Jenkins - Group Company Secretary

**Contact address:**

Signet Group plc,

15 Golden Square, London, W1F 9JG

**Phone number**

: 0870 90 90 301

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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: 27 May, 2008