

DIAGEO PLC  
Form 6-K  
May 11, 2012

**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 OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

May 11, 2012

Commission File Number: 001-10691

**DIAGEO plc**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Lakeside Drive, Park Royal, London NW10 7HQ**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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**Index of Exhibits**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
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| 4.1                | Officer's Certificate of Diageo Capital plc and Diageo plc pursuant to Sections 102 and 301 of the Indenture, dated as of August 3, 1998, among Diageo Capital plc, Diageo plc and The Bank of New York Mellon, as Trustee.                     |
| 4.2                | Officer's Certificate of Diageo Investment Corporation and Diageo plc pursuant to Sections 102 and 301 of the Indenture, dated as of June 1, 1999, among Diageo Investment Corporation, Diageo plc and The Bank of New York Mellon, as Trustee. |
| 4.3                | Form of Global Note for the 1.500% Notes due 2017 (included in Exhibit 4.1 hereof).   |
| 4.4                | Form of Global Note for the 2.875% Notes due 2022 (included in Exhibit 4.2 hereof).   |
| 4.5                | Form of Global Note for the 4.250% Notes due 2042 (included in Exhibit 4.2 hereof).   |
| 5.1                | Opinion of Slaughter and May, English solicitors to Diageo plc and Diageo Capital plc, as to the validity of the securities.  |
| 5.2                | Opinion of Sullivan & Cromwell LLP, U.S. counsel to Diageo plc, Diageo Capital plc and Diageo Investment Corporation, as to the validity of the securities.   |
| 5.3                | Opinion of Morton Fraser LLP, Scottish solicitors to Diageo plc and Diageo Capital plc, as to the validity of the securities.   |

**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.

**Diageo plc**  
(Registrant)

Date: May 11, 2012

By: /s/ David Heginbottom  
Name: David Heginbottom  
Title: Group Treasurer