GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC Form 6-K August 21, 2009

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For period ending August 2009

GlaxoSmithKline plc (Name of registrant)

980 Great West Road, Brentford, Middlesex, TW8 9GS (Address of principal executive offices)

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

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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

Financial Services Authority

GlaxoSmithKline plc received on 21 August 2009 from Legal & General Group plc a notification of interests in GlaxoSmithKline plc Ordinary shares of 25 pence each, dated on 19 August 2009. This notice is given in accordance with DTR 5.8.12.

TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

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

GlaxoSmithKline Plc

2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

Yes

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

Legal & General Group Plc (Group)

notification obligation:

Legal & General Investment Management Limited (LGIM) Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited (PMC)

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:

Legal & General Group Plc (L&G) 19 August 2009

6. Date on which issuer notified:

21 August 2009 Below 5% (Group)

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or

Below 5% (LGIM)

reached:

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of Situation previous Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

shares to the triggering

transaction

if possible using Number Number Number of voting % of voting rights

the ISIN CODE of of rights

Voting shares Rights

Direct Indirect Direct Indirect

ORD 260,231,752 260,231,752 Below 5%

GBP 0.25

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Shares

Type of financial Expiration Expiration Number of voting which of voting instrument date Conversion Period rights that may be rights

rights that may be acquired if the instrument is

exercised/converted.

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial ExerciseExpirationExercise/ Number of voting rights% of voting rights

instrument price date Conversioninstrument refers to

period

Nominal Delta

Total (A+B+C)

Number of voting rights Percentage of voting rights

Below 5%

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

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct and Indirect) (Group) (Below 5%)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Limited (LGIMH) (Direct and Indirect) (Below 5%)

Legal & General Investment Management Limited (Indirect) (LGIM) (Below 5%)

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct) (L&G) (234,245,526 – 4.51% = LGAS, LGPL & PMC)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Legal & General Insurance Holdings

Limited

Limited (Direct) (LGIMHD) (195,647,164 - 3.77% = PMC)(Direct) (LGIH)

Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited Legal & General Assurance Society

Limited

(PMC) (195,647,164 - 3.77% = PMC)(LGAS & LGPL)

Legal & General Pensions Limited

(Direct)

(LGPL)

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the proxy holder: N/A 11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease N/A

to hold:

12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold N/A

voting rights:

13. Additional information: Notification using the total voting rights figure of

5,188,446,713

14. Contact name: Helen Lewis (LGIM) 15. Contact telephone number: 020 3124 3851

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 authorised.

> GlaxoSmithKline plc (Registrant)

Date: August 21 2009	
	By: VICTORIA WHYTE

Victoria Whyte Authorised Signatory for and on behalf of GlaxoSmithKline plc