

PEARSON PLC
Form 6-K
June 13, 2008

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

FORM 6-K

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

For the month of June, 2008

PEARSON plc
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

N/A

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**80 Strand
London, England WC2R 0RL
44-20-7010-2000**
(Address of principal executive office)

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

This Report includes the following documents:

1. A press release from Pearson plc announcing Holding(s) in Company

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notification of major interests in shares

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

Pearson
plc

:

2. Reason for the notification

(please tick the appropriate box or boxes)

An acquisition

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or disposal of voting rights

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

high voting rights are attached

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights

Other (please specify):

3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation

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A
viva plc
&
its subsidiaries

4. Full name of shareholder(s)

(if different from 3.)

:

Registered Holder:
BNY Norwich Union
Nominees Limited

7

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102

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900

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BT Globenet Nominees
Limited

9,

588

*

Chase GA Group
Nominees Limited

1

8

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159

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681

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Chase Nominees
Limited

1,

597

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369

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CUIM Nominee Limited

5

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1

01

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785

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Vidacos Nominees
Limited

1

7

1

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5

7

8*

* denotes
direct
interest

R C Greig Nominees
Limited

1,450
BONY Londres IIS

189,893
Chase Nominees
Limited

3

993

650
Delta Lloyd Institutionale
Sustainable Futures Fund
70,234

Vidacos Nominees
Limited

6,

9

80

736

5. Date of the transaction

(and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different)

:

11 June
2008

6. Date on which issuer notified:

12 June
2008

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

4%
to
3
% change at
Direct
Interest
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evel

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares
Class/type of shares

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	
		v iii	Direct	Direct ix	Indirect xi	Direct Indirect
Ordinary Shares						
GB0006776081	43,796,638	43,796,638	3 2 , 142 , 901	3 2 , 142 , 901	1 1 , 235 , 963	3.98 1. % 3 9 %

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 is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights
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N/A

Total (A+B)

N umber of voting rights	% of voting rights
43, 378,864	5. 37 %

9. Chain of controlled undertakings

through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable

xv

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See Section 4

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the proxy holder:

See Section 4

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:

Figures are based on a total number of voting rights
of
80
8,
3
67
,
453.

14. Contact name:

Neil Whittaker

15. Contact telephone number:

01603
684420

SIGNATURE

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.

PEARSON plc

Date: 13 June, 2008

By: /s/ STEPHEN JONES

Stephen Jones
Deputy Secretary