

BRITISH AIRWAYS PLC
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Report of Foreign Issuer

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For the period ending 14 March 2003

BRITISH AIRWAYS Plc

Waterside HBA3, PO Box 365, Harmondsworth UB7 0GB

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1. Section 198 Notification by HBOS 13 March 2003

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.

BRITISH AIRWAYS Plc

Date: 14 March 2003
Sarah Billington Manager Shareholder Services

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Name of company

British Airways Plc

2. Name of shareholder having a major interest

HBOS plc

3. Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18

As above

4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them

CMI Mixed International Fund 228,250
Pershing Keen Nominees 770
Pershing Keen Nominees 5,301
Pershing Keen Nominees 700
Pershing Keen Nominees 483
Pershing Keen Nominees 3,000
Pershing Keen Nominees 926
Pershing Keen Nominees 1,000
CMI Mixed International Fund 59,000
St James's Place UK plc 1,660,200
St James's Place UK plc 953,800
St James's Place UK plc 326,500
St James's Place UK plc 2,309,800
CMI UK Tracker Fund 37,960
Chase Nominees Limited a/c CMIG MAIN 24,968,916

5. Number of shares / amount of stock acquired

N/A

6. Percentage of issued class

N/A

7. Number of shares / amount of stock disposed

35,350,507

8. Percentage of issued class

3.26

9. Class of security

ordinary shares of 25p

10. Date of transaction

Not known

11. Date company informed

13 March 2003

12. Total holding following this notification

30,556,606

13. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

2.82%

14. Any additional information

15. Name of contact and telephone number for queries

Alan Buchanan, 020 8738 5119

16. Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Alan Buchanan, Company Secretary

Date of notification

13 March 2003

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