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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Date of 5 September 2003

BHP Billiton Plc

Registration Number 3196209

Neathouse Place

London SW1V 1BH

United Kingdom

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Notification of interests of directors

BHP Billiton Plc announces the following transactions made by Billiton ESOP Trustee Limited, as trustee of the Billiton Employee Share Ownership Trust, in Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 in BHP Billiton Plc. BHP Billiton Plc was notified of these transactions on 4 September 2003.

Date of	Type of	Number of	Price per
Transaction	Transaction	Shares	Share

ZAR 48.95 3 September 2003 Sale 9,322 3 September 2003 Transfer 14,091 n/a

These transactions were made on behalf of a non-relevant beneficiary of the Company's Restricted Share Scheme (not any director of BHP Billiton Plc or Relevant Employee subject to the Company's Securities Dealing Code).

Following the above transactions Messrs C W Goodyear and M Salamon have an interest in the balance held by the Trust of 194,234 shares as potential beneficiaries of the Trust.

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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.

BHP BILLITON Plc /s/ KAREN WOOD

Karen Wood Title: Company Secretary D

ate: 5 September 2003