

SIGNET GROUP PLC  
Form 6-K  
September 16, 2005

**FORM 6-K**

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

**Special Report of Foreign Issuer**

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

For the date of September 16, 2005

**SIGNET GROUP plc**  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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**Zenith House**  
**The Hyde**  
**London NW9 6EW**  
**England**  
(Address of principal executive office)

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

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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

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

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**NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS, PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY OR CONNECTED PERSONS**

This form is intended for use by an *issuer* to make a *RIS* notification required by *DR* 3.1.4R(1).

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- (1) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the *shares* or debentures of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 16, 23 and 24.
- (2) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a derivative relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
- (3) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of options granted to a *director/person discharging managerial responsibilities* should complete boxes 1 to 3 and 17 to 24.
- (4) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a *financial instrument* relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.

Please complete all relevant boxes in block capital letters.

1. Name of the *issuer*

SIGNET GROUP PLC

2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with *DR 3.1.4R(1)(a)*; or

(ii) *DR 3.1.4(R)(1)(b)* a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 328) of the Companies Act 1985; or

(iii) both (i) and (ii)

(ii)

3. Name of *person discharging managerial responsibilities/director*

MARK LIGHT

4. State whether notification relates to a *person* connected with a *person discharging managerial responsibilities/director* named in 3 and identify the *connected person*

NO

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the *person* referred to in 3 or 4 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

AS IN 3. ABOVE

6. Description of *shares* (including *class*), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments relating to *shares*

0.5P ORDINARY SHARES

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

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8 State the nature of the transaction

EXERCISE OF LTIP OPTIONS GRANTED IN 2005 AND SUBSEQUENT SALE OF SHARES

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9. Number of *shares*, debentures or financial instruments relating to *shares* acquired

68,856

10. Percentage of issued *class* acquired (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

0.0040%

11. Number of *shares*, debentures or financial instruments relating to *shares* disposed

68,856

12. Percentage of issued *class* disposed (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

0.0040%

13. Price per *share* or value of transaction

SELLING PRICE OF 105.75 PENCE PER SHARE

14. Date and place of transaction

14 SEPTEMBER 2005 - LONDON

15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (any *treasury shares* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

NIL

16. Date issuer informed of transaction

14 SEPTEMBER 2005

**If a person discharging managerial responsibilities has been granted options by the issuer complete the following boxes**

17 Date of grant

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18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised

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19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option

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20. Description of *shares* or debentures involved (*class* and number)

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21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at the time of exercise

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22. Total number of *shares* or debentures over which options held following notification

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23. Any additional information

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24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries

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**Name and signature of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification**

MARC BOSTON

**Date of notification**

15 SEPTEMBER 2005

**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.

**SIGNET GROUP plc**

By: /s/ Walker Boyd

Name: Walker Boyd

Title: Group Finance Director

Date: September 16, 2005