

RNS Number:9799D
Mid-States PLC
17 September 2007

TR-1: Notifications of Major Interests in Shares

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

Mid - States Plc

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

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights: (X)

An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached: ()

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights: ()

Other (please specify) : ()

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

Barclays Plc

4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3) :

Barclays Stockbrokers Ltd

5. Date of transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different):

07-Sep-07

6. Date on which issuer notified:

10-Sep-07

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

3% to 5%

8. Notified Details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares if possible use ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the Triggering transaction	Number of shares	Number of voting Rights
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GB0002683034 0 0

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Class/type of shares if possible use ISIN CODE	Number of shares	Number of voting rights		% of voting rights
Direct Indirect	Direct	Direct	Indirect	Direct
GB0002683034 5.23	3,909,247	0	3,909,247	0.00

B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/conversion period/date	No. of voting rights that may be acquired (if the instrument exercised/ converted)	% of voting rights
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Total (A+B)

Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
3,909,247	5.23

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

Barclays Stockbrokers Ltd

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of proxy holder:

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:

14. Contact name:

Geoff Smith

15. Contact telephone number:

020 7116 2913

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