

## Regulatory Announcement

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**Company** Mid-States PLC  
**TIDM** MST  
**Headline** Holding(s) in Company  
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Mid-States PLC  
09 November 2007

TR-1: NOTIFICATION 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 the notification (please state Yes/No): ( )

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights: ( )

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) : ( )  
X )

PURCHASE OF SHARES RESULTING IN THRESHOLD CROSSING

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

ESMO EMPRESARIAL, S.L.

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

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

9/Nov/07

6. Date on which issuer notified:

9/Nov/07

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

4%

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

Purchase of shares in private placement resulting in 4% threshold crossed

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the Triggering transaction	
	Number of shares	Number of voting Rights
GB0002683034	2,449,500	3,167,500

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of shares		Number of voting rights		% of voting rights
	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect	
GB0002683034					

B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of % of voting financial rights instrument	Expiration Date	Exercise/Conversion Period/ Date	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/	
			Direct	Indirect

converted.

Total (A+B)  
Number of voting rights                    % of voting rights

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

LAYMO 74 SICAV, S.A.  
ESMOMA 49 SICAV, S.A.  
SANT PAU FORNS DE PA, S.L.

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the 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:

Contact e-mail: emm@meiral.com

14. Contact name:

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15. Contact telephone number:

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