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Dear Sirs

Securities Exchange Act 1934 Rule 12g3-2(b)
Issuer: Cobham plc
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We enclose the following copy documents as required pursuant to the above-referenced rule:

1. Stock Exchange announcement relating to the notifiable interest of Barclays PLC in the company's shares dated 14 March 2006.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at +44 (0)1202 857552.

Yours faithfully
for Cobham plc

J M Pope
Company Secretary/Solicitor

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Subject: Holding in Company: Barclays PLC

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Please see attached.

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13 March 2006

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The Company Secretary
Cobham PLC
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Dorset
BH21 2BJ

Dear Sir

Companies Act 1985 ("The Act") - Part VI

I hereby inform you that as at 10 March 2006 Barclays PLC, through the legal entities listed on the attached schedule, has a notifiable interest in the capital of your Company of 3.14%.

Details of this interest, together with a breakdown between registered holders (as required by Section 202(3) of the Act), are enclosed.

The issued capital of 1,122,859,490 is the latest figure available to us. If this is incorrect please let me know.

If you have any questions arising from this letter, please contact me on 020 7116 2913.

Yours faithfully

Geoff Smith

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LEGAL ENTITY REPORT

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As at 10 March 2006 Barclays PLC, through the legal entities listed below, had a notifiable interest in 35,223,469 ORD GBP0.025 representing 3.14 % of the issued share capital of 1,122,859,490 units

<u>Legal Entity</u>	<u>Holding</u>	<u>Percentage Held</u>
Barclays Life Assurance Co Ltd	1,508,226	.1242
Barclays Global Fund Advisors	4,275,880	.3808
Barclays Global Investors Ltd	12,885,638	1.1476
Gerrard Ltd	1,687,820	.1503
Barclays Global Investors Australia Ltd	445,877	.0397
Barclays Global Investors Canada Ltd	71,453	.0064
Barclays Capital Securities Ltd	1,322,650	.1178
Barclays Global Investors, N.A.	11,664,363	1.0388
Barclays Global Investors Japan Ltd	107,984	.0096
Barclays Global Investors Japan Trust &	1,253,578	.1116
	35,223,469	3.1369

Group Holding

REGISTERED HOLDERS REPORT

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As at 10 March 2006 Barclays PLC, through the registered holders listed below, had a notifiable interest in 35,223,469 ORD GBP0.025 representing 3.14 % of the issued share capital of 1,122,859,490 units.

Registered Holder	Account Designation	Holding
BANK OF NEW YORK		79,019
BARCLAYS CAPITAL NOMINEES LIMITED		1,206,950
BARCLAYS CAPITAL NOMINEES LIMITED		-1,011,700
BARCLAYS CAPITAL NOMINEES LIMITED		1,127,400
Barclays Global Investors Canada		71,453
BNP PARIBAS		54,890
BOISS NOMINEES LTD	4224361	652,821
CHASE NOMINEES LTD	16376	588,052
CHASE NOMINEES LTD	16530	113,315
CHASE NOMINEES LTD	28270	365,237
CIBC MELLON GLOBAL SECURITIES		38,631
Gerrard Nominees Limited	635860	5,000
Gerrard Nominees Limited	642367	13,250
Gerrard Nominees Limited	647291	5,250
Gerrard Nominees Limited	650668	7,250
Gerrard Nominees Limited	653035	7,250
Gerrard Nominees Limited	654151	3,500
Gerrard Nominees Limited	658574	3,000
Gerrard Nominees Limited	658729	3,000
Gerrard Nominees Limited	660968	10,000
Greig Middleton Nominees Limited (GM1)		52,300
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		771,251
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		18,020
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		1,189,663
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		5,759,854
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		105,193

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Registered Holder	Account Designation	Holding
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		1,857,291
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		63,601
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		199,563
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		28,140
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		60,541
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		79,171
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		10,733
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		269,928
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		3,747,072
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		227,840
INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST CO.		31,040
JP MORGAN (BGI CUSTODY)	16331	303,724
JP MORGAN (BGI CUSTODY)	16338	67,500
JP MORGAN (BGI CUSTODY)	16341	630,070
JP MORGAN (BGI CUSTODY)	16342	141,695
JP MORGAN (BGI CUSTODY)	16400	11,478,171
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK	18408	53,279
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK		35,200
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK		341,262
JPMorgan Chase Bank		104,615
JPMorgan Chase Bank		8,830
JPMorgan Chase Bank		123,352
JPMorgan Chase Bank		159,864
JPMorgan Chase Bank		50,114
JPMorgan Chase Bank		119,539
JPMorgan Chase Bank		611,901

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<u>Registered Holder</u>	<u>Account Designation</u>	<u>Holding</u>
JPMorgan Chase Bank		8,847
JPMorgan Chase Bank		154,066
JPMorgan Chase Bank		17,065
JPMorgan Chase Bank		70,890
JPMorgan Chase Bank		11,400
Mellon Trust - US CUSTODIAN /		86,300
Mellon Trust - US CUSTODIAN /		88,943
MELLON TRUST OF NEW ENGLAND		87,620
Mitsui Asset		14,476
NORTHERN TRUST BANK - BGI SEPA		118,693
NORTHERN TRUST BANK - BGI SEPA		131,751
NORTHERN TRUST BANK - BGI SEPA		30,370
R C Greig Nominees Limited		794,875
R C Greig Nominees Limited a/c AK1		550,630
R C Greig Nominees Limited a/c BL1		92,875
R C Greig Nominees Limited a/c CM1		60,500
R C Greig Nominees Limited GP1		43,140
R C Greig Nominees Limited SA1		36,000
STATE STREET BOSTON		627,017
STATE STREET TRUST OF CANADA -		83,953
The Northern Trust Company - U		58,955
Trust & Custody Services Bank		11,218
	Total	35,223,469