

FORM 8.5 (EPT/NON-RI)
PUBLIC OPENING POSITION DISCLOSURE/DEALING DISCLOSURE BY AN
EXEMPT PRINCIPAL TRADER WITHOUT RECOGNISED INTERMEDIARY ("RI") STATUS
(OR WHERE RI STATUS IS NOT APPLICABLE)

Rule 8.5 of the Takeover Code (the "Code")

1. KEY INFORMATION

(a)	Name of exempt principal trader:	BARCLAYS CAPITAL SECURITIES LTD
(b)	Name of offeror/offeree in relation to whose relevant securities this form relates:	THG PLC
(c)	Name of the party to the offer with which exempt principal trader is connected	THG PLC
(d)	Date position held/dealing undertaken:	13 June 2022
(e)	In addition to the company in 1(b) above, is the exempt principal trader making disclosures in respect of any other party to the offer?	NO

2. POSITIONS OF THE EXEMPT PRINCIPAL TRADER

(a) Interests and short positions in the relevant securities of the offeror or offeree to which the disclosure relates following the dealing (if any)

Class of relevant security:	0.5p ordinary			
	Interests		Short Positions	
	Number	(%)	Number	(%)
(1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled:	7,755,500	0.64%	9,989,689	0.82%
(2) Cash-settled derivatives:	13,736,887	1.12%	7,036,137	0.58%
(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell:	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
TOTAL:	21,492,387	1.76%	17,025,826	1.39%

(b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including directors and other executive options)

Class of relevant security in relation to which subscription right exists	
Details, including nature of the rights concerned and relevant percentages:	

3. DEALINGS (IF ANY) BY THE EXEMPT PRINCIPAL TRADER

(a) Purchases and sales

Class of relevant security	Purchase/sale	Total number of securities	Highest price per unit paid/received	Lowest price per unit paid/received
0.5p ordinary	Purchase	1,689,763	1.1890 GBP	1.096 GBP
0.5p ordinary	Sale	4,796,049	1.1898 GBP	1.096 GBP

(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant security	Product description	Nature of dealing	Number of reference securities	Price per unit
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	1,844	1.1942 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	5,973	1.1249 GBP

0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	7,958	1.1406 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	10,742	1.1429 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	14,580	1.1423 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	16,600	1.1232 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	19,429	1.1786 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	23,170	1.1794 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Long	179,576	1.1507 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	1,000,000	1.1471 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	2,128,232	1.1392 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	495	1.1445 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	559	1.1770 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	1,021	1.1585 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	1,085	1.1724 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	2,081	1.1662 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	3,103	1.1271 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	5,549	1.1362 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	7,079	1.1330 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	11,452	1.1239 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	15,726	1.1773 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	71,024	1.1480 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	75,530	1.1331 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	81,656	1.1364 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	97,793	1.1250 GBP
0.5p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Long	111,815	1.1361 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Long	112,684	1.1479 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	55,000	1.1188 GBP
0.5p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	67,000	1.1554 GBP

(c) **Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)**

(i) **Writing, selling, purchasing or varying**

Class of relevant security	Product description	Writing, purchasing, selling, varying etc	Number of securities to which option relates	Exercise price per unit	Type	Expiry date	Option money paid/ received per unit

(ii) **Exercising**

Class of relevant security	Product description	Exercising/ exercised against	Number of securities	Exercise price per unit

(d) **Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)**

Class of relevant security	Nature of Dealings	Details	Price per unit (if applicable)

4. OTHER INFORMATION

(a) **Indemnity and other dealings arrangements**

Details of any indemnity or option arrangement, or any agreement or understanding, formal or informal, relating to relevant securities which may be an inducement to deal or refrain from dealing entered into by the exempt principal trader making the disclosure and any party to the offer or any person acting in concert with a party to the offer:

NONE

(b) **Agreements, arrangements or understandings relating to options or derivatives**

Details of any agreement, arrangement or understanding, formal or informal, between the exempt principal trader making the disclosure and any other person relating to:

(i) the voting rights of any relevant securities under any option; or

(ii) the voting rights of future acquisition or disposal of any relevant securities to which any derivative is referenced:

NONE

(c) **Attachments**

Is a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions) attached?	NO
Date of disclosure:	14 Jun 2022
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