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FORM 8.5 (EPT/NON-RI) Amendment to Sale
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:	04 May 2023
(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:		THG PLC			
		Inter	Interests		Positions
		Number	(%)	Number	(%)
(1)	Relevant securities owned and/or controlled:	4,093,187	0.32%	16,963,011	1.31%
(2)	Cash-settled derivatives:	16,930,863	1.30%	3,253,378	0.25%
(3)	Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell:	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
	TOTAL:	21,024,050	1.62%	20,216,389	1.56%

(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
THG PLC	Purchase	2,030,400	1.1202 GBP	0.8442 GBP
THG PLC	Sale	1,578,226	1.0632 GBP	0.8442 GBP

(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant security	Product description	Nature of dealing	Number of reference securities	Price per Unit
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	2	0.9518 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	6,576	0.8591 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	21,744	1.0321 GBP

THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	22,667	0.9607 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	105,787	0.9816 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	146,372	0.9766 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	242,648	0.9997 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Decreasing Long	524,196	0.9892 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	125	0.9627 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Increasing Long	5,789	0.9933 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	10,000	0.9191 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	10,000	0.9224 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	12,433	0.9518 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	14,100	0.9333 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	14,963	0.9014 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	25,000	0.8935 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	27,500	0.8870 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Increasing Long	35,959	1.0421 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	40,924	0.9517 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Increasing Long	53,015	0.9965 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	131,188	0.9518 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Increasing Long	160,290	0.9543 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP	Increasing Long	196,249	0.9704 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	409,538	0.9899 GBP
THG PLC	CFD	Increasing Long	565,423	0.9584 GBP
THG PLC	SWAP		55,303	0.9814 GBP

NB: The below transactions which were previously disclosed have been cancelled

Class of relevant security	Product description	Nature of dealing	Number of reference securities	Price per Unit
THG PLC	SWAP	Long	196,249	0.9704 GBP

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

(i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

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

(ii) Exercising

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