## TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: "	_	- I		
2 Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):				
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights			Х	
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached				
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments				
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights				
Other (please specify):				
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation: iii	Lloyds Banking Group p		roup plc	
<b>4. Full name of shareholder(s)</b> (if different from 3.):iv	See Section 9		Section 9	
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: $^{\vee}$	14 July 2014		July 2014	
6. Date on which issuer notified:	15 July 2014		July 2014	
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: vi, vii	Direct holdings decreased to below 16%		low 16%	

8. Notified details:							
A: Voting rights attached to shares viii, ix							
Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
if possible using the ISIN CODE	of Voting		Number of shares	Number of voting rights % of voting right		ng rights <sup>x</sup>	
	Rights	Direct	Direct xi	Indirect XII	Direct	Indirect	
ORD GBP0.01	5,081,274	5,081,274	3,055,056	3,055,056		15.186%	
GB00B14VJG46	5,001,274	5,001,274	3,000,000	3,033,036		15.100%	

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments				
Resulting situatio	n after the trigg	ering transaction		
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date xiii	Exercise/ Conversion Period xiv	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments xv, xvi						ancial
Resulting situation	n after the	triggering t	ransaction			
Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date xviii	Exercise/ Conversion period xviii	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights <sup>xix, xx</sup>	
					Nominal	Delta

Total (A+B+C)	
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
3,055,056	15.186%

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

3,055,054 shares (15.186%) are under the control of Bank of Scotland plc, a wholly owned subsidiary of HBOS plc, a wholly owned subsidiary of Lloyds Bank plc, a wholly owned subsidiary of Lloyds Banking Group plc.

Proxy Voting:	
10. Name of the proxy holder:	N/A
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	N/A
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	N/A

13. Additional information:	Notification using the Total Voting Rights figure of 20,117,057
14. Contact name:	Darren Hemsley
15. Contact telephone number:	0113 235 7676