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| **For filings with the FSA include the annex** | | |  | | |
| **For filings with issuer exclude the annex** | | |  | | |
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| **TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARESi** | | | | | |
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| **1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:** ii | | | | MICHELMERSH BRICK ORD GBP0.2 | |
| **2 Reason for the notification** (please tick the appropriate box or boxes): | | | | | |
| An acquisition or disposal of voting rights | | | | | X |
| 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 | | Close Asset Management Limited | | | |
| **4. Full name of shareholder(s)**  (if different from 3.):iv | | Discretionary Clients | | | |
| **5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:** v | | 17/12/2013 | | | |
| **6. Date on which issuer notified:** | | 18/12/2013 | | | |
| **7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:** vi, vii | | 3% | | | |

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| **8. Notified details:** n/a | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **A: Voting rights attached to shares** viii, ix | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Class/type of shares**  if possible using the ISIN CODE:  GB00B013H060 | **Situation previous to the triggering transaction** | | | | | | **Resulting situation after the triggering transaction** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Number of Shares** | | | **Number of Voting Rights** | | | **Number of shares** | | **Number of voting rights** | | | | | **% of voting rights x** | | | | |
| **Direct** | | **Direct** xi | | | | **Indirect** xii | **Direct** | | | **Indirect** | |
| Ordinary Shares MICHELMERSH BRICK ORD GBP0.2 | 2,274,686 | | | 2,274,686 | | | 2,024,686 | | 2,024,686 | | | |  | 2.51% | | |  | |
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| **B: Qualifying Financial Instruments** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Resulting situation after the triggering 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** | | |
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| **C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments** xv, xvi | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Resulting situation after the triggering transaction** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Type of financial instrument** | | **Exercise price** | | **Expiration date** xvii | | **Exercise/ Conversion period** xviii | | | **Number of voting rights instrument refers to** | | | | | | **% of voting rights** xix, xx | | | |
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| **Total (A+B+C)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Number of voting rights** | | | | | | | | **Percentage of voting rights** | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2,024,686 | | | | | | | | 2.51% | | | | | | | | | | |
| **9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:** xxi | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Close Asset Management Limited | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **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 | | | | | | | |
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| **13. Additional information:** | | | | | | | | | | | | Percentage based on shares in issue figure of 80,809,477 as at 17th December 2013.  This is the required notification that the holding is less than 3% of the shares in issue. | | | | | | |
| **14. Contact name:** | | | | | | | | | | | | Daniel Massey | | | | | | |
| **15. Contact telephone number:** | | | | | | | | | | | | 020 7149 6520 | | | | | | |