

RNS Number : 0869I  
ARGO Group Limited  
08 June 2011

## TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES<sup>i</sup>

**1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:**<sup>ii</sup> Argo Group Ltd

**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:**<sup>iii</sup> Jupiter Asset Management Limited ('Jupiter')

**4. Full name of shareholder(s)**  
(if different from 3.):<sup>iv</sup>

**5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:**<sup>v</sup> 7 June 2011

6. Date on which issuer notified: 8 June 2011

**7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:**<sup>vi, vii</sup> 5%

8. Notified details:

**A: Voting rights attached to shares** <sup>viii, ix</sup>

Class/type of shares  if possible using the SEDOL CODE	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 <sup>x</sup>
				Direct	Direct <sup>xi</sup>	
0422864 Ordinary shares	4,807,477	4,807,477	0		3,307,623	4.56%

**B: Qualifying Financial Instruments**

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date <sup>xiii</sup>	Exercise/Conversion Period <sup>xiv</sup>	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted.	% of voting rights
n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

**C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments** <sup>xv, xvi</sup>

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date <sup>xvii</sup>	Exercise/Conversion period <sup>xviii</sup>	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights <sup>xix, xx</sup>
n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Nominal Delta

Total (A+B+C)

Number of voting rights

Percentage of voting rights

3,307,623

4.56%

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

The shares will appear on the register in the name of Nortrust Nominees Limited.

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the proxy holder:

11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:

12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:

13. Additional information:

14. Contact name:

15. Contact telephone number:

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