

2 June 2023

**Bloomsbury Publishing Plc (the "Company")**

**Director/PDMR Shareholdings**

The Company announces that John Bason, Non-Executive Director, has purchased 10,526 ordinary shares of £0.0125 ("Ordinary Shares") on the market at a price of 408.5 pence per Ordinary Share. Following this transaction, he holds a total of 10,526 shares in the Company, representing approximately 0.01% of the current Issued Share Capital of the Company.

**Notification and public disclosure of transactions by persons discharging managerial responsibilities and persons closely associated with them.**

This form is required for disclosure of transactions under Article 19 of Regulation (EU) No 596/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on market abuse (Market Abuse Regulation), which is part of UK law by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018.

<b>1</b>	<b>Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated</b>		
a)	Name	John Bason	
<b>2</b>	<b>Reason for the notification</b>		
a)	Position/status	Non-Executive Director	
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification	
<b>3</b>	<b>Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor</b>		
a)	Name	Bloomsbury Publishing PLC	
b)	LEI	213800ZL2PEC4C6UOQ53	
<b>4</b>	<b>Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted</b>		
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument  Identification code	Ordinary Shares of 1.25p Each  ISIN: GB0033147751	
b)	Nature of the transaction	Share purchase	
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	Price	No. of shares
		408.50p	10,526
d)	Aggregated information		

e)	Date of the transaction	1 June 2023
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange

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