FORM 8 (DD)

# PUBLIC DEALING DISCLOSURE BY A PARTY TO AN OFFER OR PERSON ACTING IN CONCERT (INCLUDING DEALINGS FOR THE ACCOUNT OF DISCRETIONARY INVESTMENT CLIENTS)

Rules 8.1, 8.2 and 8.4 of the Takeover Code (the "Code")

#### 1. KEY INFORMATION

| (a) Full name of discloser:  | Jack Stockdale                                 |
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| (b) Owner or controller of interests and short positions disclosed, if different from 1(a):  The naming of nominee or vehicle companies is insufficient. For a trust, the trustee(s), settlor and beneficiaries must be named. | -  |
| (c) Name of offeror/offeree in relation to whose relevant securities this form relates:  Use a separate form for each offeror/offeree  | Darktrace plc                                  |
| (d) Status of person making the disclosure: e.g. offeror, offeree, person acting in concert with the offeror/offeree (specify name of offeror/offeree)   | Person acting in concert with<br>Darktrace plc |
| (e) Date dealing undertaken:   | 19 July 2024                                   |
| (f) In addition to the company in 1(c) above, is the discloser making disclosures in respect of any other party to the offer?  If it is a cash offer or possible cash offer, state "N/A"                                       | N/A  |

#### 2. POSITIONS OF THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE

If there are positions or rights to subscribe to disclose in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 2(a) or (b) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security.

# (a) Interests and short positions in the relevant securities of the offeror or offeree to which the disclosure relates following the dealing

| Class of relevant security:  |           |      |                 |    |
|--|-----------|------|-----------------|----|
|  | Interests |      | Short positions |    |
|  | Number    | %*   | Number          | %* |
| (1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled:   | 4,365,512 | 0.62 | NIL             | -  |
| (2) Cash-settled derivatives:  | NIL       | -    | NIL             | -  |
| (3) Stock-settled<br>derivatives (including<br>options) and<br>agreements to<br>purchase/sell: | NIL       | -    | NIL             | 1  |
| TOTAL:   | 4,365,512 | 0.62 | NIL             | -  |

<sup>\*</sup>Figures are rounded down to two decimal places.

All interests and all short positions should be disclosed.

Details of any open stock-settled derivative positions (including traded options), or agreements to purchase or sell relevant securities, should be given on a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions).

### (b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including directors' and other employee options)

| Name              | No. of ordinary shares in Darktrace plc under option or subject to award             | Share plan<br>under which<br>award was<br>granted     | Date of<br>grant        | Exercise<br>price per<br>share (£) | Vesting<br>date         | Lapse / Expiry<br>Date   |
|-------------------|--|---|-------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Jack<br>Stockdale | 250,000<br>(37,500<br>awarded<br>and vested<br>with 125,000<br>exercised<br>already) | Share<br>Options                                      | 6<br>December<br>2016   | £0.527040                          | 6<br>December<br>2019   | Options lapse on 10 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the date of grant, unless they lapse earlier under the rules of the Option Plan (which will include lapsing 6 months following the sanction of the Scheme by the court) |
|                   | 187,500  | Share<br>Options                                      | 17 June<br>2019         | £2.055897                          | 17 June<br>2022         | Options lapse on 10 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the date of grant, unless they lapse earlier under the rules of the Option Plan (which will include lapsing 6 months following the sanction of the Scheme by the court) |
|                   | 70,000   | AIP -<br>Performance<br>Based<br>Conditional<br>Award | 21<br>September<br>2022 | NIL                                | 30 June<br>2025         | Awards lapse<br>to the extent<br>not vested, per<br>the terms of<br>the AIP  |
|                   | 183,408  | AIP -<br>Performance<br>Based<br>Conditional<br>Award | 19 July<br>2023         | NIL                                | 15<br>September<br>2026 | Awards lapse<br>to the extent<br>not vested, per<br>the terms of<br>the AIP  |
|                   | 10,189   | AIP - Time<br>Based<br>Conditional<br>Award           | 19 July<br>2023         | NIL                                | 19 July<br>2025         | Awards lapse<br>to the extent<br>not vested, per<br>the terms of<br>the AIP  |
|                   | 10,190   | AIP - Time<br>Based<br>Conditional<br>Award           | 19 July<br>2023         | NIL                                | 19 July<br>2026         | Awards lapse<br>to the extent<br>not vested, per<br>the terms of<br>the AIP  |

### 3. DEALINGS BY THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE

Where there have been dealings in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 3(a), (b), (c) or (d) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security dealt in.

The currency of all prices and other monetary amounts should be stated.

- (a) Purchases and sales
- (i) Party to an offer or person acting in concert (except for a principal trader in the same group as a connected adviser)

| Class of relevant security       | Purchase/sale | Number of<br>securities | Price per unit |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Ordinary shares of £0.01 each in | Sale*         | 51,927                  | £5.828         |
| Darktrace plc                    |               |                         |                |

<sup>\*</sup>Sale of shares to cover tax liabilities and fees arising from the vesting of the awards referred to in section 3(d) below.

# (ii) Principal trader where the sole reason for the connection is that the principal trader is in the same group as a connected adviser

| Class of<br>relevant<br>security | Purchases/<br>sales | Total number of securities | Highest price per unit paid/received | Lowest price per unit paid/received |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| NA                               | N/A                 | N/A                        | N/A                                  | N/A                                 |

#### (b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

| Class of<br>relevant<br>security | Product<br>description<br>e.g. CFD | Nature of dealing e.g. opening/closing a long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position | Number of<br>reference<br>securities | Price per<br>unit |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| N/A                              | N/A                                | N/A   | N/A                                  | N/A               |

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

## (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

| Class of<br>relevant<br>security | Product<br>description<br>e.g. call<br>option | Writing,<br>purchasing,<br>selling,<br>varying etc. | Number<br>of<br>securities<br>to which<br>option<br>relates | Exercise<br>price<br>per unit | Type<br>e.g.<br>American,<br>European<br>etc. | Expiry<br>date | Option<br>money<br>paid/<br>received<br>per unit |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|-------------------------------|---|----------------|--|
| N/A                              | N/A   | N/A   | N/A   | N/A                           | N/A   | N/A            | N/A  |

## (ii) Exercise

| Class of relevant security | Product<br>description<br>e.g. call option | Exercising/<br>exercised<br>against | Number of<br>securities | Exercise price per unit |
|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| N/A                        | N/A  | N/A                                 | N/A                     | N/A                     |

# (d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

| Class of relevant                                    | Nature of dealing  | Details  | Price per unit (if |
|--|--|--|--------------------|
| security   | e.g. subscription,<br>conversion                           |  | applicable)        |
| Ordinary shares of<br>£0.01 each in<br>Darktrace plc | Vesting of AIP -<br>Performance Based<br>Conditional Award | 100,000 ordinary<br>shares in Darktrace<br>plc were acquired<br>by Jack Stockdale. | NIL                |
| Ordinary shares of<br>£0.01 each in<br>Darktrace plc | Vesting of AIP - Time Based<br>Conditional Award           | 10,189 ordinary<br>shares in Darktrace<br>plc were acquired<br>by Jack Stockdale.  | NIL                |

#### 4. OTHER INFORMATION

### (a) Indemnity and other dealing arrangements

deal or refrain from dealing entered into by the party to the offer or person acting in concert making the disclosure and any other person:

Irrevocable commitments and letters of intent should not be included. If there are no such agreements, arrangements or understandings, state "none"

NONE

#### (b) Agreements, arrangements or understandings relating to options or derivatives

Details of any agreement, arrangement or understanding, formal or informal, between the party to the offer or person acting in concert 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 or future acquisition or disposal of any relevant securities to which any derivative is referenced:

If there are no such agreements, arrangements or understandings, state "none"

NONE

#### (c) Attachments

Are any Supplemental Forms attached?

| Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions) | NO |
|--------------------------------------|----|
| Supplemental Form 8 (SBL)            | NO |

| Date of disclosure: | 22 July 2024         |
|---------------------|----------------------|
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Public disclosures under Rule 8 of the Code must be made to a Regulatory Information Service.

The Panel's Market Surveillance Unit is available for consultation in relation to the Code's dealing disclosure requirements on +44 (0)20 7638 0129.

The Code can be viewed on the Panel's website at www.thetakeoverpanel.org.uk.

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