RNS Number: 88671 Barclays PLC 15 May 2025

FORM 8.3 PUBLIC OPENING POSITION DISCLOSURE/DEALING DISCLOSURE BY A PERSON WITH INTERESTS IN RELEVANT SECURITIES REPRESENTING 1% OR MORE

Rule 8.3 of the Takeover Code (the "Code")

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Ι.	KEY INFO	KEY INFORMATION		
(a)	Full name of discloser:	Barclays PLC.		
(b)	Owner or controller of interest and short positions disclosed, if different from 1(a):			
(c)	Name of offeror/offeree in relation to whose relevant securities this form relates:	DIRECT LINE INSURANCE GROUP PLC		
(d)	If an exempt fund manager connected with an offeror/offeree, state this and specify identity of			
	offeror/offeree:			
(e)	Date position held/dealing undertaken:	14 May 2025		
(f)	In addition to the company in 1(c) above, is the discloser making	YES:		
	disclosures in respect of any other party to the offer?	AVIVA PLC		
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POSITIONS OF THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE

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

Class o	Class of relevant security:		10 10/11p ordinary			
	•	Interes	ts	Short Pos	itions	
		Number	(%)	Number	(%)	
(1)	Relevant securities owned					
	and/or controlled:	40,239,935	3.07%	5,754,237	0.43%	
(2)	Cash-settled derivatives:					
	and/or controlled:	6,260,377	0.48%	39,487,792	3.01%	
(3)	Stock-settled derivatives (including options)					
	and agreements to purchase/sell:	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	
	TOTAL:	46,500,312	3.55%	45,242,029	3.44%	

(b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including directors and other executive options)

Class of relevant security in relation to	
which subscription right exists	
Details, including nature of the rights	
concerned and relevant percentages:	

DEALINGS (IF ANY) BY THE EXEMPT PRINCIPAL TRADER 3.

(a) Purchases and sales

Class of relevant security	Purchase/sale	Number of securities	Price per unit
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	500,000	2.8783 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	200,473	2.8862 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	191,811	2.8899 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	185,206	2.8757 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	171,997	2.8849 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	152,586	2.8740 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	103,401	2.8844 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	39,157	2.8756 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	33,016	2.8853 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	23,300	2.8882 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	17,942	2.8981 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	15,265	2.8920 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	12,787	2.8872 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	8,978	2.8819 GBP
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10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	6,426	2.8845 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	5,909	2.8930 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	5,415	2.8831 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	4,569	2.8827 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	2.481	2.8881 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	1,464	2.8919 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	1,464 1,384	2.8910 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	989	2.8501 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	768	2.8927 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	676	2.8870 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	348	2.8898 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	266	2.8720 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	206	2.8915 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	130	2.8858 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	129	2.8860 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	15	2.8857 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	4	2.8770 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	2	2.8717 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Purchase	1	2.8840 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	151,632	2.8877 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	98,791	2.8844 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	73,790	2.8791 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	56,617	2.8740 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	45,519	2.8876 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	44,914	2.8875 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	28,808	2.8863 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	24,914	2.8848 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	16,603	2.8842 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	10,039	2.8747 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	4,724	2.8919 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	3,619	2.8912 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	1,533	2.8843 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	1,516	2.8819 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	558	2.8900 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	494	2.8779 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	363	2.8899 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	306	2.8920 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	206	2.8917 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	129	2.8860 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	105	2.8845 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	12	2.8720 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	Sale	1	2.8840 GBP

(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of	Product	Nature of dealing	Number of	Price
relevant	description		reference	per unit
security			securities	
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	3	2.8500 GRD
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	10,039	GBP 2.8747 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	494	2.8779
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	71,884	2.8790
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	19,153	GBP 2.8835
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	105	2.8845
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	1,906	2.8846
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	7,106	2.8873
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	45,519	2.8876
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	19,544	2.8881
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	558	2.8900
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	4,724	GBP 2.8919
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	232,566	2.8740
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	12,297	2.8741
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	226,186	GBP 2.8760
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	500,000	2.8783
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	1,596	2.8818
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	103,401	2.8844
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	9,632	GBP 2.8847 GBP

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10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	171,997	2.8849 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	39,624	2.8861 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	35,727	2.8862 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	2,481	2.8881 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	23,300	2.8882 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	182,179	2.8902 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	15,265	2.8920 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	25	2.8960 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Decreasing Short	14,244	2.8740 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Decreasing Short	14	2.8742 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Decreasing Short	9,967	2.8860 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Decreasing Short	22,818	2.8887 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	670	2.8740 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	7,091	2.8747 GBP
10 10/11p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	7,110	2.8762 GBP

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

(i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

Class of	Product description	Writing, purchasing,	Number of	Exercise price	Туре	Expiry date	Option money
relevant		selling,	securities	per unit			paid/
security		varying etc	to which				received
			option				per unit
			relates				

(ii) Exercising

Class of relevant security	Product description	Exercising/ exercised against	Number of securities	Exercise price per unit
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(d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

Class of relevant security	Nature of Dealings	Details	Price per unit (if applicable)

4. OTHER INFORMATION

Indemnity and other dealings arrangements

understanding, formal or informal, relating to relevant securities which may be an inducement to deal Details of any indemnity or option arrangement, or any agreement or

or refrain from dealing entered into by the exempt principal trader making the disclosure and

any party to the offer or any person acting in concert with a party to the offer:

NONE

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

Details of any agreement, arrangement or understanding, formal or informal,

between
the person 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 of future acquisition or disposal of any relevant securities to which

any derivative is referenced:

NONE

(c) **Attachments**

Date of disclosure:	15 May 2025
Contact name:	Large Holdings Regulatory Operations
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