

**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")

**1. 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:	EMPIRIC STUDENT PROPERTY 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:	18 Sep 2025
(f)	In addition to the company in 1(c) above, is the discloser making disclosures in respect of any other party to the offer?	YES:  UNITE GROUP PLC/THE

**2. 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 of relevant security:	1p ordinary			
	Interests		Short Positions	
	Number	(%)	Number	(%)
(1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled:	11,183,749	1.68%	2,509,605	0.38%
(2) Cash-settled derivatives:	1,548,609	0.23%	11,023,497	1.66%
(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell:	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>12,732,358</b>	<b>1.92%</b>	<b>13,533,102</b>	<b>2.04%</b>

- (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:	

**3. DEALINGS (IF ANY) BY THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE**

- (a) Purchases and sales

Class of relevant security	Purchase/sale	Number of securities	Price per unit
1p ordinary	Purchase	395,529	0.9040 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	207,124	0.9051 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	83,375	0.9039 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	59,069	0.9054 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	58,597	0.9063 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	27,305	0.9080 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	22,693	0.9075 GBP

1p ordinary	Purchase	20,830	0.9042 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	20,087	0.9061 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	16,973	0.9049 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	13,524	0.9060 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	8,604	0.9086 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	8,363	0.9059 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	7,871	0.9057 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	5,623	0.9047 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	4,976	0.9090 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,973	0.9030 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,825	0.9017 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,581	0.9050 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	396,615	0.9040 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	385,744	0.8990 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	23,109	0.9033 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	4,357	0.9092 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	4,150	0.9084 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	3,895	0.9086 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	3,677	0.9054 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	2,782	0.9073 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	2,123	0.9100 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	1,998	0.9080 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	1,154	0.9060 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	654	0.9055 GBP

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

Class of relevant security	Product description	Nature of dealing	Number of reference securities	Price per unit
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	2,921	0.8970 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	385,744	0.8990 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	239,345	0.9040 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	10,191	0.9051 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	3,677	0.9054 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	5,232	0.9076 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	3,895	0.9086 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	1,700	0.9090 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	4,357	0.9092 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	2,123	0.9100 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	89	0.8985 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	1,973	0.9030 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	32,867	0.9039 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	235,839	0.9040 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	40,019	0.9041 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	100,419	0.9045 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	1,990	0.9047 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	59,069	0.9054 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	12,588	0.9060 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	20,087	0.9061 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	58,597	0.9063 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	4,241	0.9071 GBP
1p ordinary	CFD	Decreasing Short	9,997	0.9032 GBP
1p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	27,858	0.9038 GBP
1p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	31,674	0.9040 GBP
1p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	1,458	0.9047 GBP
1p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	61,389	0.9080 GBP
1p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	52,744	0.9085 GBP

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

(i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

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

(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant security	Product description	Exercising/ exercised against	Number of securities	Exercise price per unit

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

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

#### 4. OTHER INFORMATION

(a) Indemnity and other dealings arrangements

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

Is a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions) attached?	NO
Date of disclosure:	19 Sep 2025
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