

**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:	08 Dec 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:	26,676,927	4.02%	943,559	0.14%
(2) Cash-settled derivatives:	69,358	0.01%	26,611,162	4.01%
(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell:	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
TOTAL:	26,746,285	4.03%	27,554,721	4.15%

- (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	2,520,897	0.7350 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	125,000	0.7362 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	61,823	0.7372 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	47,737	0.7380 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	29,990	0.7367 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	18,552	0.7374 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	15,577	0.7382 GBP

1p ordinary	Purchase	15,052	0.7377 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	14,100	0.7384 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	7,545	0.7393 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	7,511	0.7366 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	6,522	0.7364 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	5,675	0.7360 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	4,429	0.7395 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	4,114	0.7389 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	3,508	0.7375 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	2,920	0.7349 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	2,716	0.7399 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	2,238	0.7390 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,887	0.7359 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,776	0.7379 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,577	0.7370 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	1,469	0.7369 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	875	0.7392 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	518	0.7400 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	332	0.7410 GBP
1p ordinary	Purchase	2	0.7430 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	180,453	0.7365 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	119,457	0.7350 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	106,022	0.7360 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	32,724	0.7399 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	28,214	0.7372 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	21,303	0.7369 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	13,074	0.7368 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	10,364	0.7380 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	10,069	0.7378 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	3,885	0.7370 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	3,811	0.7377 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	3,684	0.7393 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	3,508	0.7375 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	2,238	0.7390 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	1,963	0.7361 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	934	0.7330 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	711	0.7353 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	332	0.7410 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	162	0.7400 GBP
1p ordinary	Sale	2	0.7430 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	30,055	0.7350 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	711	0.7353 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	3,445	0.7359 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	99,904	0.7360 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	13,074	0.7367 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	21,303	0.7369 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	2,308	0.7370 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	14,072	0.7372 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	10,069	0.7377 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	4	0.7380 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Decreasing Short	1,296	0.7390 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	2,419,659	0.7350 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	2,591	0.7360 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	7,511	0.7366 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	14,596	0.7372 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	5	0.7374 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	89,551	0.7375 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	15,052	0.7377 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	12,377	0.7380 GBP
1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	386	0.7390 GBP

1p ordinary	SWAP	Increasing Short	8	GBP 0.7395
1p ordinary	CFD	Decreasing Short	14,274	GBP 0.7411
1p ordinary	CFD	Increasing Short	10,211	GBP 0.7393

(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:	09 Dec 2025
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