

SIGNET GROUP PLC  
Form 6-K  
April 10, 2006

**FORM 6-K**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**Special Report of Foreign Issuer**

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of  
The Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

For the date of April 10, 2006

**SIGNET GROUP plc**  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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**Zenith House  
The Hyde  
London NW9 6EW  
England**  
(Address of principal executive office)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40F.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes  No

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

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**NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS, PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY OR CONNE**

This form is intended for use by an *issuer* to make a *RIS* notification required by *DR 3.1.4R(1)*.

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- (1) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the *shares* or the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 16, 23 and 24.
- (2) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a derivative relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
- (3) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of options granted to a *director/person discharging managerial responsibilities* should complete boxes 1 to 3 and 17 to 24.
- (4) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a *financial instrument* relating to the *issuer* (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24.

Please complete all relevant boxes in block capital letters.

1. Name of the *issuer*

*Signet Group plc*

2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with DR 3.1.1

(ii) DR 3.1.4(R) (1) (b) a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 324A)

(iii) both (i) and (ii)

(i)

3. Name of *person discharging managerial responsibilities/director*

*Simon Cashman*

4. State whether notification relates to a *person* connected with a *person discharging managerial responsibilities* and identify the *connected person*

No

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the *person* referred to in 3 or a *non-beneficial interest*

As in 3. above

6. Description of *shares* (including *class*), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments referred to in 1

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*0.5p ordinary shares*

7. Name of registered shareholders(s) and, if more than one, the number of shares held by each of

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8 State the nature of the transaction

*Exercise of Executive Share options granted in 1999 by equity settled stock appreciation rights a*

9. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares acquired

*60,302 shares exercised and 33,516 shares acquired*

10. Percentage of issued class acquired (treasury shares of that class should not be taken into a

*0.0019%*

11. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares disposed

*33,516*

12. Percentage of issued class disposed (treasury shares of that class should not be taken into a

*0.0019%*

13. Price per share or value of transaction

*Selling price of 112.25 pence per share*

14. Date and place of transaction

*7 April 2006 - London*

15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (any into account when calculating percentage)

*23,648 - 0.0014%*

16. Date issuer informed of transaction

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**If a person discharging managerial responsibilities has been granted options by the issuer complete**

17. Date of grant

18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised

19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option

20. Description of shares or debentures involved (class and number)

21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at the time

22. Total number of shares or debentures over which options held following notification

23. Any additional information

24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries

Mark Jenkins 0870 90 90 301

**Name and signature of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification**

Mark Jenkins

**Date of notification**

10 April 2006

END

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**SIGNET GROUP plc**

By: /s/ Walker Boyd

Name: Walker Boyd

Title: Group Finance Director

Date: April 10, 2006