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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month ended May, 2012.

ICON plc (Registrant's name)

0-29714 (Commission file number)

South County Business Park, Leopardstown, Dublin 18, Ireland (Address of principal executive offices)

Brendan Brennan, CFO South County Business Park Leopardstown, Dublin 18, Ireland. Brendan.Brennan@iconplc.com 0011-353-1-291-2000 (Name, telephone number, email and/or facsmile number and address of Company contact person)

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No_____

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Yes_____

No__X___

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EXHIBIT LIST

<u>Exhibit</u>	Description
99.1	Icon plc Press Release announcement dated May 31, 2012.

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.

ICON plc

Date: May 31, 2012 <u>/s/ Brendan Brennan</u> Brendan Brennan Chief Financial Officer