SIGNET GROUP PLC Form 6-K May 11, 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 May 11, 2006

#### **SIGNET GROUP plc**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

## 15 Golden Square London W1F 9JG England

(Address of principal executive office)

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

Form 20-F X Form 40-F

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 X

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

#### SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

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- 1. Name of company SIGNET GROUP plc
- 2. Name of shareholder having a major interest CAPITAL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED, AFFILIATE OF THE CAPITAL GROUP COMPANIES INC ("CG")
- 3. Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholde a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person

NON BENEFICIAL INTEREST. PLEASE SEE LETTER BELOW FROM CG.

- 4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by ea PLEASE SEE LETTER BELOW.
- 5. Number of shares / amount of stock acquired N/A
- 6. Percentage of issued class
- 7. Number of shares / amount of stock disposed NOT STATED
- 8. Percentage of issued class N/A
- 9. Class of security 0.5p ORDINARY SHARES
- 10. Date of transaction NOT STATED.
- 11. Date company informed 10 MAY 2006
- 12. Total holding following this notification SEE BELOW.
- 13. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification
- 14. Any additional information

15. Name of contact and telephone number for queries MARK JENKINS 0870 9090301

16. Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification MARK JENKINS

Date of notification 10.05.06

LETTER FROM THE CAPITAL GROUP COMPANIES, INC. As of 8 May 2006 Signet Group plc

The Capital Group Companies, Inc. ("CG") holdings 202,263,323 Holdings by CG Management Companies and Funds: Capital Guardian Trust Company 16,344,309

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Capital International Limited Capital International S.A. Capital International, Inc 151,440,478 15,637,910 18,840,626

# Schedule A Schedule of holdings in Signet Group plc As of 8 May 2006 Capital Guardian Trust Company

Registered Name
State Street Nominees Limited
Bank of New York Nominees
Chase Nominees Limited
BT Globenet Nominees Ltd
Midland Bank plc
Cede & Co
Nortrust Nominees
State Street Bank & Trust Co
HSBC Bank plc
Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited

Bank One London

Local

9,

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Local

1,

36, 14,

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TOTAL

Schedule B Capital International Limited

Registered Name State Street Nominees Limited Bank of New York Nominees Northern Trust Chase Nominees Limited Midland Bank plc Bankers Trust Barclays Bank Citibank London Morgan Guaranty Nortrust Nominees MSS Nominees Ltd State Street Bank & Trust Co Lloyds Bank Citibank Citibank NA Deutsche Bank AG Chase Manhattan Nominee Ltd HSBC Bank plc Mellon Bank N.A. Northern Trust AVFC KAS UK Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited Bank One London HSBC JP Morgan Chase Bank Raiffeisen Zentral Bank Fortis Bank Metzler Seel Sohn & Co

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Schedule B Capital International S.A.

TOTAL

State Street Nominees Ltd

Bayerische Hypo Und Vereinsbank AG

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Bank of New York Nominees
Chase Nominees
Midland Bank plc
Barclays Bank
Pictet & Cie, Geneva
Nortrust Nominees
Morgan Stanley
J P Morgan
State Street Bank & Trust Co
Lloyds Bank
Citibank NA
HSBC Bank plc
Lombard Odier Et Cie, Geneva
Metzler Seel Sohn & Co
Credit Suisse, Zurich

TOTAL

Schedule B Capital International Inc.

State Street Nominees Limited
Bank of New York Nominees
Northern Trust
Chase Nominees Limited
Midland Bank plc
Bankers Trust
Nortrust Nominees
State Street Bank & Trust Co
Citibank
Citibank NA
HSBC Bank plc

JP Morgan Chase Bank

TOTAL

**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: May 11, 2006

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