GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC Form 6-K August 18, 2010

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer

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

For period ending August 2010

GlaxoSmithKline plc (Name of registrant)

980 Great West Road, Brentford, Middlesex, TW8 9GS (Address of principal executive offices)

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

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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

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Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No x

Financial Services Authority

TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:

GlaxoSmithKline Plc

2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

Yes

An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached.

An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights

Other (please specify):

3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:

Legal & General Group Plc (L&G)

4. Full name of shareholder(s)

(if different from 3.):

Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited (PMC)

5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:

16 August 2010

6. Date on which issuer notified:

17 August 2010

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or

L&G (From 4% to 3%)

reached:

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8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of Resulting situation after the triggering transaction **Situation previous**

to the triggering shares

transaction

if possible using Number Number Number **Number of voting** % of voting rights the ISIN CODE of of of shares rights

Shares Voting

Rights

Direct **Indirect Direct Indirect**

208,149,243

Ordinary 25p 207,246,143 207,246,143 3.99%

(As on 04/08/2010)

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial **Expiration Exercise/** % of voting **Number of voting** instrument date **Conversion Period** rights that may be rights

acquired if the instrument is

exercised/converted.

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial Exercise price Expiration Exercise/ Number of voting rights% of voting rights

instrument date Conversioninstrument refers to

period

Nominal Delta

Total (A+B+C)

Number of voting rights Percentage of voting rights

> 207,246,143 3.99%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct and Indirect)

(Group)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings)

Limited (LGIMH) (Direct and Indirect)

Legal & General Investment Management Limited

(Indirect) (LGIM)

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct) (L&G) (207,246,143 - 3.99%= LGAS,

LGPL & PMC)

Legal & General Investment Legal & General Insurance Holdings Limited

Management (Holdings) Limited (Direct) (LGIH)

(Direct) (LGIMHD) (

173,534,467 - 3.34% = PMC

Legal & General Assurance Legal & General Assurance Society Limited

(Pensions Management) Limited (LGAS & LGPL)

(PMC) (173,534,467 – 3.34%=

PMC)

Legal & General Pensions Limited (Direct)

(LGPL)

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the proxy holder: N/A11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease N/A

to hold:

12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold N/A

voting rights:

13. Additional information: Notification using the total voting rights figure of 5,192,669,600

14. Contact name: Paul Toon (LGIM)

15. Contact telephone number: 020 3124 3854

SIGNATURES

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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 authorised.	

GlaxoSmithKline plc (Registrant)

Date: August 18 2010

By: VICTORIA WHYTE

Victoria Whyte Authorised Signatory for and on behalf of GlaxoSmithKline plc