

7 July 2011

### Holdings in Company

The Company advises that as of 5 July 2011 Henderson Global Investors holds an interest in the Company of 65,190,075 ordinary shares representing 26.11% of the total voting rights in the Company.

For filings with the FSA include the annex

For filings with issuer exclude the annex

### TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES<sup>i</sup>

<b>1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:</b> <sup>ii</sup>	<b>Lochard Energy Group Plc (formerly Rheochem UK)</b>	
<b>2 Reason for the notification</b> (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):		
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached	<input type="checkbox"/>	
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments	<input type="checkbox"/>	
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other (please specify):	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:</b> <sup>iii</sup>	Henderson Global Investors	
<b>4. Full name of shareholder(s)</b> (if different from 3.): <sup>iv</sup>		
<b>5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:</b> <sup>v</sup>	05 July 2011	
<b>6. Date on which issuer notified:</b>	06 July 2011	
<b>7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:</b> <sup>vi, vii</sup>	26%	



**8. Notified details:****A: Voting rights attached to shares** <sup>viii, ix</sup>

Class/type of shares  if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
	Number of Shares	Number of Voting Rights	Number of shares	Number of voting rights		% of voting rights <sup>x</sup>	
			Direct	Direct <sup>xi</sup>	Indirect <sup>xii</sup>	Direct	Indirect
ORD GBP GB00B02YHV99	37,308,300	37,308,300			37,583,300		15.05%

**B: Qualifying Financial Instruments**

## Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date <sup>xiii</sup>	Exercise/ Conversion Period <sup>xiv</sup>	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights

**C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments** <sup>xv, xvi</sup>

## Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date <sup>xvii</sup>	Exercise/ Conversion period <sup>xviii</sup>	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights <sup>xix, xx</sup>	
					Nominal	Delta
CFD				27,606,775	11.06%	

**Total (A+B+C)**

Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
65,190,075	26.11%

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

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**Proxy Voting:**

**10. Name of the proxy holder:**

**11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:**

**12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:**

**13. Additional information:**  
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