SIGNET GROUP PLC Form 6-K January 06, 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 January 06, 2006

#### **SIGNET GROUP plc**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

## Zenith House The Hyde London NW9 6EW 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

- 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 shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18

  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 each of them PLEASE SEE LETTER BELOW.
- 5. Number of shares / amount of stock acquired  $\ensuremath{\text{N/A}}$
- 6. Percentage of issued class N/A
- 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
  6 JANUARY 2006
- 12. Total holding following this notification SEE BELOW.
- 13. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification  ${\tt SEE\ BELOW.}$
- 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

Date of notification 06.01.06

LETTER FROM THE CAPITAL GROUP COMPANIES, INC.

As of 4 January 2006

Signet Group plc

No. of Shares

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The Capital Group Companies, Inc. ("CG") holdings

208,012,849

Holdings by CG Management Companies and Funds:

Capital Guardian Trust Company

15,641,209

Capital International Limited

171,146,104

Capital International S.A.

2,297,910

Capital International, Inc

18,927,626

Schedule A

Schedule of holdings in Signet Group plc

As of 4 January 2006

Capital Guardian Trust Company

Registered Name

State Street Nominees Limited

Bank of New York Nominees

Chase Nominees Limited

Midland Bank plc

Nortrust Nominees

RBSTB Nominees Ltd

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

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Barclays Bank Citibank London Morgan Guaranty Nortrust Nominees State Street Bank & Trust Co Citibank Deutsche Bank AG HSBC Bank plc Mellon Bank N.A. Northern Trust AVFC KAS UK Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited Bank One London TOTAL Schedule B Capital International S.A. Chase Nominees Midland Bank plc Royal Bank of Scotland Lloyds Bank TOTAL Schedule B Capital International Inc. State Street Nominees Limited Bank of New York Nominees Northern Trust Chase Nominees Limited

Midland Bank plc

Nortrust Nominees

State Street Bank & Trust Co

4

65

17

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: January 06, 2006