

BARCLAYS PLC  
Form 6-K  
November 18, 2015

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

November 18, 2015

Barclays PLC and  
Barclays Bank PLC  
(Names of Registrants)

1 Churchill Place

London E14 5HP  
England

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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

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):

This Report is a joint Report on Form 6-K filed by Barclays PLC and Barclays  
Bank PLC. All of the issued ordinary share capital of Barclays Bank PLC is  
owned by Barclays PLC.

This Report comprises:

Information given to The London Stock Exchange and furnished pursuant to  
General Instruction B to the General Instructions to Form 6-K.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Settlement with Department of Financial Services – dated 18 November 2015

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each of the registrants has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

BARCLAYS PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: November 18, 2015

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Deputy Secretary

BARCLAYS BANK PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: November 18, 2015

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
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Patrick Gonsalves  
Joint Secretary

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Barclays announces settlement with New York State Department of Financial Services regarding foreign exchange electronic trading

Barclays Bank PLC has today reached a settlement with the New York State Department of Financial Services ("DFS") in respect of its investigation into Barclays' electronic trading of foreign exchange ("FX") and FX electronic trading systems in the period 2009 to 2014. The DFS is imposing a civil monetary penalty of \$US150 million on Barclays Bank PLC, primarily for certain internal systems and controls failures.

The civil penalty payable under the settlement will be reflected in Barclays' Q4 2015 results.

Barclays continues to co-operate with other ongoing investigations and to manage related litigation risks as previously disclosed.

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About Barclays

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With 325 years of history and expertise in banking, Barclays operates in over 50 countries and employs over 130,000 people. Barclays moves, lends, invests and protects money for customers and clients worldwide.

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