

169(1B

Return by a public company purchasing own shares for holding in treasury

Pursuant to section 169(1B) of the Companies Act 1985

CHFP010

Please complete legibly in black type, or bold block lettering

NOTE

This return must be

delivered to the Registrar within a

period of 28 days

beginning with the first date on which

shares to which it

placed in treasury must be "qualifying shares" as defined

by section 162(4) of

the Companies Act

1985

relates were

delivered to the company Shares Company Number

Company Name in full

Johnson Matthey plc

33774

PART A: PURCHASE BY COMPANY OF ITS OWN SHARES FOR **HOLDING IN TREASURY**

Class of shares (ordinary or preference etc) Number of shares Date(s) shares de livered to the company

For each share Nominal value

Maximum price paid

Minimum price paid

Ordinary	Ordinary	Ordinary
2,576	230,625	32,212
01/08/2007	02/08/2007	03/08/2007

£1	£1	£1
£16 5434	£16 7544	£16 6205
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The aggregate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was

£ 4,441,978 85

Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate of 0.5 % rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5

£ 22,210 00

PART B: FULLY PAID BONUS SHARES PLACED IN TREASURY PURSUANT TO SECTION 162C(6) OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

Class of shares (ordinary or preference etc)

Number of shares

Nominal value of each share Date(s) shares de livered to the company

Signed

Date

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record

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appropriate

15/09/2007 COMPANIES HOUSE (**a director / secretary / administrator / administrative feceiver / receiver manager

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DX number

When you have completed and signed the form and it has been stamped by the Inland Revenue please send it to the Registrar of Companies at Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ DX 33050 Cardiff for companies registered in England and Wales or

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