

Return of allotments of Shares

Pursuant to section 88(2) of the Companies Act 1985 (the Act)

To the Registrar of Companies

1. Name of company

Company Number

1396513

(REVISED 1988)
This form replaces forms
PUC2,PUC3 and 88(2)

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2. This section must be completed for all allotments

De	escription of Shares		
A	Number allotted	49,010,958	
В	Nominal value of each	25 pence	
С	Total amount (if any) paid or due and payable on each share (including premium if any)	218.0 perce	

Date(s) on which shares were allotted to 26 July 1999

The names and addresses of the allottees and the number of shares allotted to each should be given overleaf

3. If the allotment is wholly or partly other than for cash the following information must be given (see notes 2 & 3)

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ΙD	Extent to which each share is		i
	to be treated as paid up (%)	100%	

Consideration for which the shares were allotted

£106,843,888.44

NOTES

This form should be delivered to the Registrar of Companies within one month of the (first) date of allotment.

If the allotment is wholly or partly other than for cash, the company must deliver to the registrar a return containing the information at D & E. The company may deliver this information by completing D & E and the delivery of the information must be accompanied by the duly stamped contract required by section 88(2)(b) of the Act or by the duly stamped prescribed particulars required by section 88(3) (Form No 88(3)).

3. Details of bonus issues should be included only in section 2.

Presenter's name, address, telephone number and reference (if any):	СНАРР	For official use Post room
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Names and addresses of the allottees

Names and Addresses	Number of shares allotted		
	Ordinary	Preference	Other
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