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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FEB 8 2002

Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of February, 2002



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ABBEY NATIONAL plc  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Abbey House, Baker Street  
London NW1 6XL, England  
(Address of principal executive offices)

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

Form 20-F ...  ... 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 ...  ...

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New Announcement

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Announcement Details

Company	Headline	Embargo	Last Update
Obey National PLC	Holdings in Company		10:38 8 Feb 0

Full Announcement Text

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1 Name of company  
Obey National plc

2 Name of shareholder having a major interest  
Legal & General Investment Management Limited

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 other than 2 above

4 Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them  
5 BC Global Custody Nominee (UK) Ltd - various numbered accounts - total holding

6 Number of shares/amount of stock acquired  
2 2,474 shares

7 Percentage of issued class  
Nominal

8 Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

9 Percentage of issued class

10 Class of security  
Ordinary 10p Shares

11 Date of transaction  
21 January 2002

1) Date company informed  
9<sup>th</sup> February 2002

2) Total holding following this notification  
3,436,945

3) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification  
.00

4) Any additional information

5) Name of contact and telephone number for queries  
J Lott - Abbey National Group Secretariat - 0207 612 4695

6) Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for  
making this notification  
an Christie, Assistant Group Secretary  
date of notification 9<sup>th</sup> February 2002

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**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.

**ABBEY NATIONAL plc**

**Date: 8th February, 2002**

By   
Ian Chrisis, Assistant Group Secretary