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Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934



For the month of April, 2002

VI GROUP plc
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

The Mill, Brimscombe Port, Stroud, Gloucestershire GL 5ZQG, U.K.
(Address of principal executive offices)

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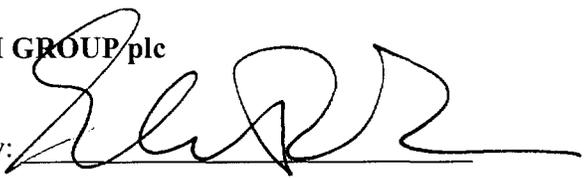
The purpose of this report on Form 6-K by VI Group plc (the "Registrant") is to make public in the United States the announcement of additional funding released and the notice of Extraordinary General Meeting.

This Report includes forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). All statements regarding the Registrant's expected future financial position, results of operations, cash flows, financing plans, business strategy, budgets, projected costs and capital expenditures, competitive positions, growth opportunities, plans and objectives of management for future operations and words such as "anticipate," "believe," "plan," "estimate," "expect," "intend" and other similar expressions are forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements are inherently uncertain, and actual future results and trends for the Registrant may differ materially depending on a variety of factors.

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.

VI GROUP plc

By: 

Elliot I. Miller

Director and Deputy Chairman

of VI Group plc.

Date: April 19, 2002