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3rd February 2003

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Dear Sir/Madam

Taylor Nelson Sofres plc: file no. 82-4668v

In accordance with the requirements of 12g3-2b please find enclosed:-

- Notification of Major Interests in Shares

Please acknowledge safe receipt by date-stamping and returning a copy of this letter to me.
My fax number is 44 020 8967 1446.

Yours faithfully


Judith George
Assistant Company Secretary

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cc. Zafar Aziz, Bank of New York (London) – 020 7964 6028
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Announcement Details

Company Name	Taylor Nelson Sofres PLC
Category	Holding(s) in Company
Headline	Holding(s) in Company
Release Instructions	Immediate Release
Related Company Information	None
Contact Name	Judith George
Contact Telephone No	020 8967 4655
Additional Distribution	None

Full Announcement Text

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

AVS NO

953028

All relevant boxes should be completed in block capital letters.

<p>1. Name of company</p> <p>TAYLOR NELSON SOFRES plc</p>	<p>Name of shareholder having a major interest</p> <p>FIDELITY INVESTMENTS</p>
<p>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</p>	<p>4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one number of shares held by each of them</p> <p>STATE STREET NOMINEES, 395,111 CHASE NOMINEES 5,381,089 CHASE NOMINEES 2,642,721</p>

<p>2. ABOVE</p>	<p>CHASE MANHATTAN BANK LONDON 4,397,372 MELLON NOMINEES 297,500 BANK OF NEW YORK EUROPE 193,100 BT GLOBENET NOMINEES 36,200 MSS NOMINEES 75,000 CITIBANK 259,900 BANK OF NEW YORK LONDON 1,199,500 NORTHERN TRUST 193,500 DEUTSCHE BANK 58,000 BANKERS TRUST 146,660 NORRTRUST NOMINEES LTD 427,500 STATE STREET NOMINEES 763,500 RBS TRUST BANK 316,835 MORGAN STANLEY 285,171 NORTHERN TRUST 3,548,379 CITIBANK 31,500 STATE STREET BANK & TRUST 1,624,298 MELLON TRUST 83,900 BANK OF NEW YORK EUROPE 938,130 JP MORGAN 553,469 BANK OF NEW YORK, LONDON 4,969,516 CHASE NOMINEES 255,699 CHASE MANHATTAN BANK LONDON 883,697 BANK OF NEW YORK BRUSSELS 675,223 DEUTSCHE BANK 187,700 CITIBANK 86,000</p>
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<p>5. Number of shares/amount of stock acquired</p> <p>N/A</p>	<p>6. Percentage of issued class</p> <p>N/A</p>	<p>7. Number of shares/amount of stock disposed</p> <p>1,250,250</p>	<p>8. Percentage of issued class</p> <p>0.32%</p>
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<p>9. Class of security</p> <p>ORDINARY SHARES, 5 PENCE EACH</p>	<p>10. Date of transaction</p> <p>24/1/03</p>	<p>11. Date company informed</p> <p>24/1/03</p>
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<p>12. Total holding following this notification</p> <p>30,906,170</p>	<p>13. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification</p> <p>7.9%</p>
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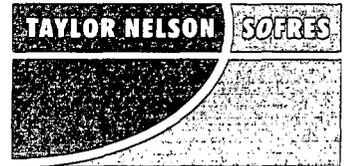
<p>14. Any additional information</p> <p>N/A</p>	<p>15. Name of contact and telephone number for queries</p> <p>JUDITH GEORGE, ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY 020 897 4655 OR 07734 044320</p>
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16. Name and signature of authorised company official
 Responsible for making this notification

IAN PORTAL, GROUP COMPANY SECRETARY, 020 8967 2196 OR 07736613847

Date of notification 24 JANUARY 2003

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Companies House
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31 January 2003

Dear Sir/Madam

Taylor Nelson Sofres plc – return of allotments form 88(2)

I enclose completed form(s) of allotment in relation to the month of January 2003. Please acknowledge safe receipt by date stamping and returning the enclosed duplicate of this letter in enclosed stamped addressed envelope.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Judith George'.

Judith George

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Return of Allotment of Shares

Please complete in typescript, or in bold black capitals.

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Company Number

912624

Company name in full

Taylor Nelson Sofres plc

Shares allotted (including bonus shares):

Date or period during which shares were allotted <i>(If shares were allotted on one date enter that date in the "from" box)</i>	From			To												
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year										
	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	3	3	1	0	1	2	0	0	3

Class of shares <i>(ordinary or preference etc)</i>	ORDINARY	ORDINARY	
Number allotted	18980		
Nominal value of each share	5P		
Amount (if any) paid or due on each share <i>(including any share premium)</i>	47.48P		

List the names and addresses of the allottees and the number of shares allotted to each overleaf

If the allotted shares are fully or partly paid up otherwise than in cash please state:

% that each share is to be treated as paid up

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Consideration for which the shares were allotted

(This information must be supported by the duly stamped contract or by the duly stamped particulars on Form 88(3) if the contract is not in writing)

When you have completed and signed the form send it to the Registrar of Companies at:

Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff CF14 3UZ
For companies registered in England and Wales

DX 33050 Cardiff

Companies House, 37 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh EH1 2EB
For companies registered in Scotland

DX 235
Edinburgh

Companies House receipt date barcode

This form has been provided free of charge by Companies House.

Names and addresses of the allottees (List joint share allotments consecutively)

Shareholder details	Shares and share class allotted	
Name ERIC J WILLSON <hr/> Address QUICKWOOD, PLOUGH LANE SHIPLAKE CROSS, HENLEY-ON-THAMES, OXON <hr/> UK Postcode R G 9 L 4 D D	Class of shares allotted ORDINARY <hr/> <hr/>	Number allotted 18,980 <hr/> <hr/>
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Please enter the number of continuation sheets (if any) attached to this form

Signed

J. George
 ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY

Date

31 JAN 03

A director / secretary / administrator / administrative receiver / receiver manager / receiver

Please delete as appropriate

Please give the name, address, telephone number and, if available, a DX number and Exchange of the person Companies House should contact if there is any query.

J. George, TNS plc,	
Westgate, London	
W5 1UA	Tel
DX number	DX exchange