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28 February 2003



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Securities and Exchange Commission
Division of Corporation Finance
450 Fifth Street NW
Washington DC 20549
USA

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**RE: BRAMBLES INDUSTRIES PLC
Rule 12g3-2(b) Exemption (File No. 82-5205)**

Dear Sirs and Mesdames,

The enclosed information is being submitted by Brambles Industries plc (the "Company") under paragraph (b) (1) (i) of Rule 12g3-2 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"). The Company's file number is indicated in the upper right hand corner of each unbound page submitted with this letter.

In accordance with paragraphs (b) (4) and (b) (5) of the Rule, the documents submitted with this letter are being submitted with the understanding that such documents will not be deemed "filed" with the Securities and Exchange Commission or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, and that neither this letter nor the submission of such documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Exchange Act.

Yours faithfully,

Sandra Walters

Sandra Walters
Assistant Company Secretary

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NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

- 1) Name of company
Brambles Industries plc
- 2) Name of shareholder having a major interest
GE Asset Management Incorporated and GE Asset 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

Holdings are in respect of discretionary investment management services for clients
- 4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them

See list appended
- 5) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

N/A
- 6) Percentage of issued class

N/A
- 7) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

Not advised
- 8) Percentage of issued class

Not advised
- 9) Class of security

Ordinary shares of 5p each
- 10) Date of transaction

24 February 2003
- 11) Date company informed

28 February 2003
- 12) Total holding following this notification

35,989,073
- 13) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

4.97%

14) Any additional information

15) Name of contact and telephone number for queries

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16) Name of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Sandra Walters, Assistant Company Secretary

Date of notification 28 February 2003

Details of Registered Holders

General Electric Pension Trust	15,088,342
GE IP-Int'l	800,276
CAAT Pension Plan - GE Inv	926,673
CDP Capital	990,146
Talvest International Equity	128,263
Nav Canada Pension Plan	347,409
Public Employees Retirement NV	1,230,710
California Public Emp Ret Sys	1,879,880
Indiana PBLC Emp Retirement Fd	844,256
Stitching GE Pension Funds	39,222
Canadian Broadcasting Company	216,773
GE Pension Ltd GBL	33,930
Chrysler Corporation	1,728,391
N Carolina Retirement System	1,868,051
Tal Private Mgt Intl Equity Fd	313,230
Alberta Teachers Intl Equity	846,874
Mitsui Trust 0109902	70,251
Elfun International Equity Fund	571,744
Elfun Diversified Fund-Compos.	112,874
GE Investments Int'l Fund-NYC	3,985,541
G.E. Commingled Pool	619,425
Chrysler Veba	756,643
GE Investment Int'l Trade Pool	131,067
GE Investments CDA Int'l Equit	443,772
CGBOI Global Equity Ex Japan	81,070
Inst GE International Equity	1,102,168
Inst GE Strategic Investment	30,838
Inst GE Europe EQ	20,061
Inst GE Premr Int'l	24,817
GEI Total Return	64,996
GEI International Equity Fund	121,308
GEI Int'l Equity Select Fund	101,642
GE Global Equity Fund	64,224
GE International Equity	174,212
GE Strategic Fund	117,049
GE Premier Int'l Equity	30,970
GE PP Interntnl Equity Focus	81,975