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29<sup>th</sup> March 2005



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Dear Sir/Madam

Re: Taylor Nelson Sofres plc: file no 82-4668

In accordance with the requirements of rule 12-g3-2b please find enclosed the following for Taylor Nelson Sofres plc:

- 1. Taylor Nelson Sofres plc – RNS Announcement – 24/03/05.

I trust the above is in order, please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries.

Please could you acknowledge receipt of this letter and the documents enclosed herewith, by stamping the enclosed copy of this letter and returning it to the Company in the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

Yours faithfully

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| Taylor Nelson Sofres PLC | Holding(s) in Company |                | 17:01 24 Mar 05    |                          |

### Full Announcement Text

Taylor Nelson Sofres plc (TNS) received notification on 24 March 2005 from Fidelity Investments on behalf of FMR Corp. & its direct and indirect subsidiaries and Fidelity International Limited & its direct and indirect subsidiaries, both being non-beneficial holders, of a notifiable interest in the ordinary share capital of TNS.

Together they hold a notifiable interest in 31,442,593 ordinary shares of 5p each in TNS, representing 7.03% of the total issued share capital of TNS.


| Shares Held | Management Company                     | Nominee/Registered Name        |
|-------------|--|--------------------------------|
| 2,279,343   | Fidelity International Limited         | Bank of New York Europe LDN    |
| 11,800      | Fidelity International Limited         | BNP Paribas, Paris (C)         |
| 1,086,286   | Fidelity International Limited         | Brown Bros Harrimn Ltd LUX     |
| 641,400     | Fidelity International Limited         | JP Morgan Bournemouth          |
| 79,200      | Fidelity International Limited         | National ASTL BK Melbourne     |
| 9,187,499   | Fidelity Investment Services Ltd       | JP Morgan, Bournemouth         |
| 13,100      | Fidelity Management & Research Company | Brown Brothers Harriman and CO |
| 5,062,020   | Fidelity Management & Research Company | JP Morgan Chase Bank           |
| 1,407,080   | Fidelity Management & Research Company | State Street Bank & TR CO      |

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| 31,000    | Fidelity Management Trust Company | Brown Brothers Harriman and CO |
| 28,900    | Fidelity Management Trust Company | JP Morgan Chase Bank           |
| 22,500    | Fidelity Management Trust Company | State Street Bank & TR CO      |
| 3,091,063 | Fidelity Pension Management       | Bank of New York Brussels      |
| 113,500   | Fidelity Pension Management       | Bank of New York Europe LDN    |
| 269,800   | Fidelity Pension Management       | Bankers Trust London           |
| 429,200   | Fidelity Pension Management       | Citibank London                |
| 142,878   | Fidelity Pension Management       | Clydesdale Bank PLC            |
| 666,548   | Fidelity Pension Management       | JP Morgan Bournemouth          |
| 974,871   | Fidelity Pension Management       | Mellon Bank                    |
| 135,600   | Fidelity Pension Management       | Midland Securities Services    |
| 4,537,465 | Fidelity Pension Management       | Northern Trust London          |
| 1,229,000 | Fidelity Pension Management       | State STR BK and TR CO LNDN    |

**31,442,593** **Grand Total Ordinary Shares**

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