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Dear Sir/Madam

In reference to **File Number 082-02819**, I enclose a copy of a Stock Exchange Announcement released today.

Yours faithfully

**Gemma Knowles**  
Company Secretarial Assistant

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**Announcement Body Information:**

On 14 July 2005, Severn Trent Plc (the "Company") was informed that the shareholding of Fidelity International Limited (FIL), and its direct and indirect subsidiaries, in the Ordinary Shares of 65<sup>5/19</sup>p each of the Company had decreased by 3,492,738 shares to 17,216,669 shares, representing 4.95% of the total issued share capital of that class. Their interest in these shares is non-beneficial and the shares were acquired solely for investment purposes.

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