

REG-Electrocomponents Holding(s) in Company

RNS Number: 1576R
Electrocomponents PLC
12 September 2005

ELECTROCOMPONENTS PLC ("the Company")

NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 198 - COMPANIES ACT 1985

The Company received notification from Franklin Templeton Investment on 12th September 2005 (dated 9th September 2005) in accordance with Section 198 of the Companies Act that Franklin Resources Inc and its affiliated companies on behalf of clients detailed below, had an interest in 19,212,390 Ordinary shares of Electrocomponents Plc representing a total of 4.4140% of the total issued share capital of the Company, which represents a notifiable interest in the share capital of the Company.

Registered Holder	No. of Shares	% of Class
Bank of New York London	69,600	0.0160%
JP Morgan Chase Bank Woolgate House Coleman Street London EC2P 2HD	18,452,000	4.2393%
Citibank Nominees Limited Lewisham House Molesworth Street London	114,000	0.0262%
HSBC Bank London	155,389	0.0357%
Mellon Bank London	10,400	0.0024%
Royal Trust Corp of Canada London	146,915	0.0338%
State Street Nominees Limited 12-13 Nichols Lane London EC4 7BN	264,086	0.0607%

TOTAL 19,212,390 4.4140%

CARMELINA CARFORA

Group Company Secretary

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