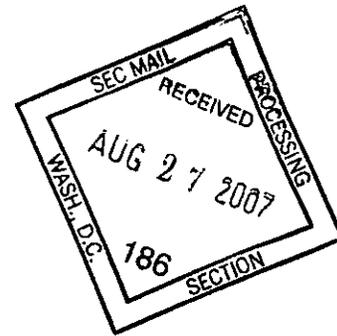


20<sup>th</sup> August 2007



Office of International Corporate Finance  
Division of Corporation Finance  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
450 Fifth Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20549

Re: The Morgan Crucible Company plc – File No. 82-3387

**SUPPL**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The enclosed material is furnished pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) on behalf of The Morgan Crucible Company plc (the 'Company'), File No.82-3387.

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Sincerely,



 **Paul Andrew Boulton**  
Company Secretary

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**Company** Morgan Crucible Co PLC  
**TIDM** MGCR  
**Headline** Holding(s) in Company  
**Released** 14:48 20-Aug-07  
**Number** 4973C

<b>ISSUER</b> The Morgan Crucible Company plc	<b>FILE NO.</b> 82-3387
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RNS Number:4973C  
Morgan Crucible Co PLC  
20 August 2007

TR-1(i): NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached (ii):

The Morgan Crucible Company plc

2. Reason for the notification (please state Yes/No): ( )

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights: ( Y )

An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached: ( )

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights: ( )

Other (please specify) : ( )

3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation (iii):

Schroders plc

4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.) (iv):

5. Date of the transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different) (v):

17/08/2007

6. Date on which issuer notified:

20/08/2007

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:

10% - 9%

8. Notified details:

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A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the Triggering t	
	Number of shares	Number of vo
Ordinary	28,889,206	28,889,206
GB0006027295		

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (vii)

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of shares	Number of voting rights (ix)	
		Direct (x)	Indirect (xi)
	Direct		
	N/A	N/A	27,438,270

B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (xii)

Type of financial instrument	Expiration Date (xiii)	Exercise/Conversion Period/ Date (xiv)	Number of voting that may be acqui instrument is exe converted.

Total (A+B)  
Number of voting rights                      % of voting rights  
  
27,438,270                                      9.894%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable (xv):

Schroder Investment Management Limited 27,436,742 9.89%

Schroder & CI Limited 1,528 0.0005%

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the proxy holder:

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11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:

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12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:

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13. Additional information:

The shares referred to in section 9 are held in portfolios managed by those firms on a discretionary basis for clients under investment management agreements.

14. Contact name:

Mrs T A Bigmore

15. Contact telephone number:

01753 837000

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