

Arena Leisure PLC - Holding(s) in Company

RNS Number:0984P
Arena Leisure PLC
29 February 2008

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For filings with issuer exclude the annex

TR-1: Notifications of Major Interests in Shares

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of Leisure plc existing shares to which voting rights are attached: Arena

2. Reason for notification (yes/no)

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights
Yes

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 notification obligation: BNP Paribas Arbitrage Snc

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

5. Date of transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different): 27/02/2008

6. Date on which issuer notified: 28/02/2008

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: 3% holding

8: Notified Details
A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type	Situation previous to triggering transaction	Resulting situation after the transaction
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of shares	the triggering transaction			
If possible rights	Number of	Number of	Number of	Number of voting
Percentage of voting rights				
use ISIN code	shares	voting rights	shares	
				Direct
				Indirect
Direct	Indirect			
27/02/2008	GB00002192620	holding	12,815,320 shares /	3.5187%

B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial voting rights instrument be acquired instrument exercised/converted)	Expiration date	Exercise/ conversion period/date	No. of that may (if the
rights	Percentage of voting rights		

Total (A+B)

Number of voting rights	Percentage of
voting rights	
12,815,320	3.5187%

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

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of proxy holder:

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

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

13. Additional information: Disclosure made by
BNPParibas London Branch

14 Contact name: Darren Clarke

15. Contact telephone name: 0207 595 4821

For notes on how to complete form TR-1 please see the FSA website.

Note: Annex should only be submitted to the FSA not the issuer

Annex: Notification of major interests in shares

A: Identity of the persons or legal entity subject to the notification
obligation

Full name Arena Leisure plc

(including legal form of legal entities)

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(registered office for legal entities) London

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+44 (0)207 632 2080

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Other useful information

(at least legal representative for legal persons)

B: Identity of the notifier, if applicable

Full name BNP Paribas London

Branch

Contact address 10 Harewood Avenue,
London NW1 6AA

Phone number & email 0207 595 4821

darren.clarke@uk.bnpparibas.com

Other useful information

(e.g. functional relationship with the person or
legal entity subject to the notification obligation)

C: Additional information

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