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NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS / PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILTIES AND CONNECTED PERSONS

Wolseley plc confirms that Mr C A S Hornsby, Group Chief Executive, has today increased his shareholding in the Company by 6,509 ordinary shares.

He exercised the under-noted share options under the terms of the Wolseley Share Option Plan 2003 and has retained all such shares issued to him. He has also sold 56,439 ordinary shares at 1313.5 pence per share.

Director's Name	No. of options exercised	Exercise price per share (in pence)	No. of shares acquired	Date of acquisition

Mr C A S Hornsby	62,948	743.00p	62,948	15.01.07

As a result of the above transactions, Mr Hornsby now holds 64,237 ordinary shares in the Company.

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