Holding in Company

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Acal PLC
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DEALINGS BY SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS

1) NAME OF COMPANY

ACAL PLC

2) NAME OF SHAREHOLDER HAVING A MAJOR INTEREST

PRUDENTIAL PLC AND CERTAIN OF ITS SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the Shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them.

SEE BELOW

5) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired.

6) (N/A %) of issued Class

7) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

8) (N/A %) of issued Class

9) Class of security

ORDINARY SHARES OF 5P EACH

10) Date of transaction

11) Date company informed

11 DECEMBER 2001

12) Total holding following this notification

3,900,323

13) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

14.99%

14) Any additional information

NOTIFIABLE INTEREST AS PER SCHEDULE BELOW
ALL MATERIAL SUBJECT TO COPYRIGHT

15) Name of contact and telephone number for queries

JOHN POMEROY
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16) Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Date of Notification .....13 DECEMBER 2001.....

Notifiable Position Report for ACAL Ord GBP0.05
as at 07 December 2001

Percentage holdings are calculated using an issued share capital of 26,014,442 ORD GBP0.05 shares

	Registered Holder	Holding	%	Total Notifiable Interest
Prudential		3,903,323	14.99	
	Chase Noms Ltd	14,000		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGPX)	30,618		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGBC)	250,000		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGB	1,957,980		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGF	458,777		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGT	2,100		
	M&G (Lombard St) Noms FPE	80,348		
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PAC AC	895,500		
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PPL AC	9,000		
	ROY Nominees 578079	202,000		
M&G Group Limited		3,900,323	14.99	
	Chase Noms Ltd	14,000		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGPX)	30,618		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGSC)	250,000		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGB	1,957,980		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGF	458,777		
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGT	2,100		
	M&G (Lombard St) Noms FPE	80,348		
	Pruclt HSB GIS Nom(UK) PAC AC	895,500		
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PPL AC	9,000		
	ROY Nominees 578079	202,000		

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Registered Holder	Holding	%
M&G Investment Management Limited	3,898,223	14.98
Chase Noms Ltd	14,000	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGPX)	30,618	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGSC)	250,000	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd		

	MGB	1,957,980	
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGF	458,777	
	M&G (Lombard St) Noms FPE	80,348	
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PAC AC	895,500	
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PPL AC	9,000	
	ROY Nominees 578079	202,000	
M&G Limited		3,900,323	14.99
	Chase Noms Ltd	14,000	
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGPX)	30,618	
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGSC)	250,000	
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGB	1,957,980	
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGF	458,777	
	Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGT	2,100	
	M&G (Lombard St) Noms FPE	80,348	
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PAC AC	895,500	
	Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PPL AC	9,000	
	ROY Nominees 578079	202,000	

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Registered Holder	Holding	%
M&G Securities Limited	2,699,475	10.37
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGPX)	30,618	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd (MGSC)	250,000	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGB	1,957,980	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGF	458,777	
Clydesdale Bk Noms Ltd MGT	2,100	
The Prudential Assurance Company Limited	904,500	3.47
Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PAC AC	895,500	
Pruclt HSBC GIS Nom(UK) PPL AC	9,000	