COMPANIES FORM No. 169

Return by a company purchasing its own shares

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Pursuant to section 169 of the Companies Act 1985



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To the Registrar of Companies (Address overleaf)

Name of company

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Company number

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Shares were purchased by the company under section 162 of the above Act as follows:

			
c	Class of shares	Ordinary	
	Number of shares purchased	5,269,743	
	Nominal value of each share	50	
	Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	28.03.03	
	Maximum prices paid § for each share	39.5p	
	Minimum prices paid § for each share	39.5p	

The aggregate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:

£2,081,548.40p

Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate of 1/2% rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5

£10,410

Signed

DRM ackness Designation = Secretary

Date 28/3/03

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Presentor's name address and reference (if any):

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12/04/03