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COMPANIES FORM No. 169

Return by a company purchasing its own shares



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Pursuant to section 169 of the Companies Ac

To the Registrar of Companies

For official use

Name of company

(Address overleaf)

* insert full name of company

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Mitchells & Butlers plc

Note

This return must be delivered to the Registrar within a period of 28 days beginning with the first date on which shares to which it relates were delivered to the company

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

	Class of shares	Ordinary	Ordinary	Ordinary
d	Number of shares purchased	300,000	300,000	300,000
	Nominal value of each share	7.0833p	7.0833p	7.0833p
	Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	24 May 2005	25 May 2005	26 May 2005
,	Maximum prices paid § for each share	324.2708p	326.2042p	326.4208p
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§ A private company is not required to give this information

The aggregate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:	£ 2,930,687
Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate of $^{1}/_{2}\%$ rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5	£ 14,655

‡ Insert Director, Secretary, Administrator, Administrative Receiver or Receiver (Scotland) as appropriate

Signed

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

Designation ±

ASST COMPANY SECRETARY

Date

20/6/05

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