

Return of Allotment of Shares

Please complete in typescript,
or in bold black capitals.

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Company Number

742748

Company Name in full

Methuen Group PLC

Shares allotted (including bonus shares):

Date or period during which shares
were allotted

(if shares were allotted on one date enter that
date in the "from" box)

From

Day Month Year

21 01 2005

To

Day Month Year

21 03 2005

Class of shares

(ordinary or preference etc)

Ordinary

Number allotted

663575

Nominal value of each share

£0.01

Amount (if any) paid or due on each
share (including any share premium)

List the names and addresses of the allottees and the number of shares allotted to each overleaf

If the allotted shares are fully or partly paid up otherwise than in cash please state:

% that each share is to be treated as
paid up

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Consideration for which the shares
were allotted

(This information must be supported by the duly
stamped contract or by the duly stamped particulars
on Form 88(3) if the contract is not in writing)

When you have completed and signed the form send it to
the Registrar of Companies at:

Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ
For companies registered in England and Wales

DX 33050 Cardiff

Companies House, 37 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, EH1 2EB
For companies registered in Scotland

DX 235 Edinburgh



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Names and addresses of the allottees (List joint share allotments consecutively)

Shareholder details	Shares and share class allotted	
Name <u>BALLANTRAE NOMINEES LIMITED</u>	Class of shares allotted <u>ORDINARY</u>	Number allotted <u>34,873</u>
Address <u>54 LOMBARD STREET</u> <u>LONDON</u>		
UK postcode <u>EC3P 3AH</u>		
Name <u>MR MENLIE VALENTINE CARTER</u>	Class of shares allotted <u>ORDINARY</u>	Number allotted <u>9,750</u>
Address <u>CABLE END HOUSE,</u> <u>UPPER MALL PARK,</u> <u>BERKHAMSTEAD, HERTS.</u>		
UK postcode <u>HP4 2NR</u>		
Name <u>WEST NOMINEES LIMITED</u>	Class of shares allotted <u>ORDINARY</u>	Number allotted <u>38,679</u>
Address <u>9TH FLOOR</u> <u>88 WOOD STREET</u> <u>LONDON</u>		
UK postcode <u>EC2V 7RR</u>		
Name <u>GREENWOOD NOMINEES LTD.</u>	Class of shares allotted <u>ORDINARY</u>	Number allotted <u>125,322</u>
Address <u>20 MOCKGATE</u> <u>LONDON</u>		
UK postcode <u>EC2R 6DA</u>		

Please enter the number of continuation sheets (if any) attached to this form

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Signed

Gregory Meah

Date

26/4/2005

A director / secretary / administrator / administrative receiver / receiver manager / receiver

Please give the name, address, telephone number and, if available, a DX number and Exchange of the person Companies House should contact if there is any query.

Tel	
DX number	DX exchange

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Shareholder details		Shares and share class allotted	
Name	Class of shares allotted	Number allotted	
ELAP SECURITIES LIMITED	Ordinary	2981601	
Address			
2 BROADGATE LONDON			
UK postcode			
EC2M 7UR			
Name	Class of shares allotted	Number allotted	
PAK (NOTINEES) LIMITED	Ordinary	100,658	
Address			
25 LUKE STREET LONDON			
UK postcode			
EC2A 4AR			
Name	Class of shares allotted	Number allotted	
MR PIN SHAPPIES	Ordinary	4972	
Address			
6 CAMBRIDGE AVENUE, WIDLEY MANCHESTER			
UK postcode			
M28 5BP			
Name	Class of shares allotted	Number allotted	
Address			
UK postcode			

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C. J. M. M. M.

Date

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ONE PARKWAY BUSINESS CENTRE, 300 PRINCESS ROAD,	
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