TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES¹

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying is of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:	LPA GROUP PLC				
2 Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):					
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights					
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached					
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments					
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights					
Other (please specify):					
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:		HARGREAVE HALE LIMITED			
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):iv					
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: 11 APRIL 2013					
6. Date on which issuer notified:	ch issuer notified: 12 APRIL 2013				
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: vi, vii					

8. Notified details:								
A: Voting rights attached to shares viii, ix								
Class/type of shares	Situation proto to the trigge transaction		Resulting situation		n after the triggering transaction			
if possible using the ISIN CODE of Number of	Number of shares		Number of voting rights		% of voting rights			
	Shares	Voting Rights	Direct	Indirect	Direct xi	Indirect xii	Direct	Indirect
GB0007320806	1,256,180	1,256,180		1,324,870		1,324,870		11.2370%

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					

C: Financial Ins	truments w	ith similar e	economic ef	fect to Qualifying Finar	ncial Instru	ments	
Resulting situation	after the trigg	gering transa	ction				
Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date xvii	Exercise/ Conversion period xviii	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights xix,		
					Nominal	Delta	

Total (A+B+C)	
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
1,324,870	11.2370%

for whom Hargreave Hale Ltd manages the investments on a discretionary basis. The remaining balance is held on behalf of other discretionary clients.				
Proxy Voting:				
10. Name of the proxy holder:				
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:				
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:				
13. Additional information:				
14. Contact name:	David Clueit			
15. Contact telephone number:	umber: 01253 754739			

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable: $^{\rm xxi}$

1,200,000 of these shares are held for a unit trust operated by Marlborough Fund Managers Ltd