

CELLTECH GROUP PLC
Form 6-K
February 18, 2003

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of February ,2003

Commission File Number: **1-10817**

CELLTECH GROUP PLC

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

208 Bath Road, Slough, Berkshire SL1 3WE ENGLAND

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No

(If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-_____).

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Name of company

Celltech Group plc

2. Name of shareholder having a major interest

FMR Corp. and its direct and indirect subsidiaries and Fidelity International Limited and its direct and indirect subsidiaries

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

As in 2 above

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

State Street Nominees Limited 56,300

Mellon Bank 13,418

Chase Nominees Limited 743,700

Chase Manhattan Bank London 245,777

Chase Nominees 5,976,911

Citibank 93,100

Deutsche Bank 24,700

HSBC 49,214

Bank of New York London 79,500

Chase Nominees Ltd 665,300

Northern Trust 152,600

Chase Nominees 385,100

Nortrust Nominees Ltd 316,926

HSBC Client Holdings Nominee (UK) Ltd 11,789,170

Chase Manhattan Bank London 493,433

Northern Trust 717,023

J P Morgan 249,611

Bank of New York London 756,500

Morgan Stanley 198,100

Deutsche Bank 203,500

Citibank 21,200

Mellon Nominees Ltd 36,900

State Street Nominees Ltd 134,700

Bank of New York Brussels 340,641

State Street Bank & Trust 440,172

Chase Nominees Ltd 748,500

Nortrust Nominees Ltd 232,500

HSBC Client Holdings Nominee (UK) Ltd 200

5. Number of shares / amount of stock acquired

2,757,440 since last notification

6. Percentage of issued class

1%

7. Number of shares / amount of stock disposed

N/a

8. Percentage of issued class

N/a

9. Class of security

Ordinary 50p Shares

10. Date of transaction

14th February 2003

11. Date company informed

17th February 2003

12. Total holding following this notification

25,164,696

13. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

9.13%

14. Any additional information

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15. Name of contact and telephone number for queries

Anita Dowling

(01753) 777106

16. Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Anita Dowling

Date of notification

17th February 2003

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END

Enclosure:

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

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ALLEN

Officer

CELLTECH GROUP

(Registrant)

By: /s/ PETER

Peter Allen
Chief Financial

Dated: 17 February, 2003