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#### FORM 6-K

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

**Special Report of Foreign Issuer** 

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of The Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

For the date of January 12, 2007

#### **SIGNET GROUP plc**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

#### 15 Golden Square London W1F 9JG England

(Address of principal executive office)

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

Form 20-F X 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 X

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

NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS, PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY OR CONNE

This form is intended for use by an issuer to make a RIS notification required by DR 3.1.4R(1).

(1) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the *shares* or the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 16, 23 and 24.

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- (2) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a derivative relating the *shares* of the complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8,13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
- (3) An issuer making a notification in respect of options granted to a director/person di managerial responsibilities should complete boxes 1 to 3 and 17 to 24.
- (4) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a *financial instrument* relating to the *issuer* (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16

Please complete all relevant boxes should in block capital letters.

1. Name of the issuer

(iii) both (i) and (ii)

Signet Group plc

- 2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with DR 3.1
- (ii) DR 3.1.4(R)(1)(b) a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 3

(ii)

3. Name of person discharging managerial responsibilities/director

Walker Boyd

4. State whether notification relates to a person connected with a person discharging managerial and identify the connected person

No

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the person referred non-beneficial interest

As in 3. above

- 6. Description of *shares* (including *class*), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments re
- 0.5p ordinary shares
- 7. Name of registered shareholders(s) and, if more than one, the number of *shares* held by each of

8 State the nature of the transaction

Exercise of LTIP options granted in 2003 and 2004 and subsequent sale of shares

Exercise of Executive options granted in April 1999 and subsequent sale of shares

- 9. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares acquired 650,637
- 10. Percentage of issued *class* acquired (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into a 0.0379
- 11. Number of *shares*, debentures or financial instruments relating to *shares* disposed 650,637

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12. Percentage of issued class disposed (treasury shares of that class should not be taken into a
0.0379
13. Price per share or value of transaction
Selling price of £1.202162 per share
14. Date and place of transaction
12 January 2007 - London
15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (a into account when calculating percentage)
452,495
16. Date issuer informed of transaction
12 January 2007
If a person discharging managerial responsibilities has been granted options by the issuer complete
17 Date of grant
18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised
19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option
20. Description of shares or debentures involved (class and number)
21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at the time
22. Total number of <i>shares</i> or debentures over which options held following notification
23. Any additional information
24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries
Mark Jenkins 0870 90 90 301
Name and signature of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification
Mark Jenkins
Date of notification

12 January 2007

END

#### **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.

### **SIGNET GROUP plc**

By: /s/ Walker Boyd

Name: Walker Boyd

Title: Group Finance Director

Date: January 12, 2007