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July 20, 2005

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer

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

July 20, 2005

BRITISH ENERGY GROUP PLC
(Registrant's name)

Systems House
Alba Campus
Livingston
EH54 7EG

(Address of principal executive offices)

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

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):

Exhibit Index

The following document (bearing the exhibit number listed below) is furnished herewith and is made a part of this Report pursuant to the General Instructions for Form 6-K:

| Exhibit | Description |
|---------|---|
| No. 1 | RNS Announcement, re: Section 198 Notice dated 20 July 2005 |

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British Energy Group plc

UK COMPANIES ACT 1985 - SECTIONS 198-202 - British Energy Group plc
(the "Company")

In accordance with Section 198-202 of the UK Companies Act 1985, the Company has received notification from Deutsche Bank AG that on the basis that the relevant issued share capital of the Company is 561,016,553 ordinary shares, Deutsche Bank AG and its subsidiary companies have a notifiable interest in the shares amounting to 14.41%. The total interest is in 80,819,369 shares registered in the names and in the amounts as set out in the Schedule below.

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Held as Principal | No of Shares |
| Deutsche Bank AG London | 70,509,878 |
| Held in Customer Portfolios | |
| DWS Provesta | 1,430,000 |
| DWS Top 50 Europa | 4,000,000 |
| DWS Eurovesta | 2,650,000 |
| DWS Europaische Aktien | 1,750,000 |
| DWS Polska TFI SA | 10,491 |
| DWS SICAV | 384,000 |
| DWS Investments Italy SGR SpA | 85,000 |
| TOTAL | 80,819,369 |

On 10th June 2005, the Company disclosed that Deutsche Bank AG had a notifiable interest in 75,118,910 shares (13.39%), of which 70,973,910 were held as principal.

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.

Date: July 20, 2005

BRITISH ENERGY GROUP PLC

By: _____ John Searles _____

Name: John Searles

Title: Director - Investor Relations