

**FORM TR-1 BE
PART I**

1) Status of the notification

Final

2) Issuer

Name: FORTIS SA/NV
Identification number: 0451-406-524

3) Reason for the notification

An acquisition or disposal of voting securities or voting rights

4) Notification by

A parent undertaking or a controlling person

5) Persons subject to the notification requirement

Name (& legal form for legal persons)	Address (for legal persons)
Barclays Global Investors UK Holdings Ltd	1 Churchill Place, London E14 5HP, England

6) Persons that dispose of voting rights (Only to be filled in if art 7 of the Law applies)

Name (& legal form for legal persons)	Address (for legal persons)

Please continue entering the information in part II concerning the persons referred to in points 5 and 6

7) Date on which the threshold is crossed

15/05/2009 (DD/MM/YYYY)

8) Threshold that is crossed (in %)

3

If the holding has fallen below the lowest threshold, you have the option of not filling in point 10

9) Denominator

2 516 657 248

Please enter the denominator before filling in the data

10) Notified details

Acquisition of	Previous notification	After the transaction			
		# of voting rights		% of voting rights	
		Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities	Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities
Barclays Global Investors UK Holdings Ltd		76.859.831		3.05%	0.00%
TOTAL		76.859.831	0	3.05%	0.00%

Start with "groups" of holders. Calculate subtotals and then finish with the persons who are "alone".
 The totals and the subtotals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

Holders of equivalent financial instruments	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise period or date	After the transaction	
				# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised	% of voting rights
				0	0.00%
TOTAL				0	0.00%

The totals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

TOTAL (Voting rights & Equivalent financial instruments)	# of voting rights	% of voting rights
	76.859.831	3.05%

11) Chain of controlled undertakings through which the holding is effectively held, if applicable

Please describe, or join a diagram in attachment

Group structure chart sent separately

12) In case of proxy voting for only one GM

Holder: will cease to hold / will hold again 0 voting rights as of

13) Additional information

Additional information: rights to subscribe to voting securities not yet issued

Holder	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date (DD/MM/YYYY)	Exercise/Conversion period or date	Number	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted

Additional information: rights to subscribe to voting securities not yet issued

Holder	Number

Other remarks

The Barclays Group has been allowed to disaggregate the holdings of its asset management subsidiaries in accordance with Article 11 §2 of the law of 2 May 2007 and Article 21 of the royal decree of 14 February 2009.

Done at

On (DD/MM/YYYY)

Name & capacity

Signature 

