RNS Number: 5974I

**EKF Diagnostics Holdings PLC** 

16 June 2011

#### TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying

issuer

EKF DIAGNOSTIC HOLDINGS PLC of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: "

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 Placing shares admitted to AIM, thereby diluting discretionary

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holding. specify):

3. Full name of person(s) subject to

the HARGREAVE HALE LIMITED

notification obligation:

4. Full name of shareholder(s) DISCRETIONARY CLIENTS

(if different from 3.):iv

5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or 16 JUNE 2011

reached: <sup>v</sup>

16 JUNE 2011 6. Date on which issuer notified:

reached: vi, v

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or

#### 8. Notified details:

## A: Voting rights attached to shares viii, ix

Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
if possible	Number of	Number of	Number of shares		Number of voting rights		% of voting rights *	
using the ISIN CODE	Shares	Voting Rights	Direct	Indirect	<b>Direct</b> xi	<b>Indirect</b> xii	Direct	Indirect
GB0031509804	12,473,485	12,473,485		12,473,485		12,473,485		4.9898%

### **B:** Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

% of voting Type of financial Expiration Exercise/ Number of voting rights that may be **Conversion Period** date Xiii riahts instrument acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial Exercise Expiration Exercise/ instrument price

date <sup>XVII</sup>

Number of voting Conversion rights instrument period xviii refers to

% of voting rights  $^{\rm XiX,\; XX}$ 

Nominal Delta

Total (A+B+C)

Number of voting rights Percentage of voting rights

4.9898% 12,473,485

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

5,300,000 of these shares are held for unit trusts operated by Marlborough Fund Managers Ltd, for whom Hargreave Hale Ltd manages the portfolio of 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
- 12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:
- 13. Additional information:

14. Contact name: **David Clueit** 

15. Contact telephone number: 01253 754739

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