

TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:	ARC International Plc
2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):	
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights	X
An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached	
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights	
Other (please specify): _____ Change in Issued Share Capital	
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:	Fidelity International Limited (FIL)
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):	Nominee holder: Brown Bros. Harriman Ltd Lux: 1,672,390 JP Morgan, Bournemouth (FIL): 2,059,400 JP Morgan, Bournemouth (FISL): 8,940,881 JP Morgan, Bournemouth (FPM): 435,100 Northern Trust London (FPM): 2,951,150 State Str SK and TR CO LNDN (FPM): 661,300
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:	14 February 2008
6. Date on which issuer notified:	18 February 2008

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:	11%
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8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares							
Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the Triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
	Number of Shares	Number of Voting Rights	Number of shares	Number of voting rights		% of voting rights	
			Direct	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect
GB0009645481	17,157,521	17,157,521			16,756,221		10.84%

B: Financial Instruments				
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/ Conversion Period/ Date	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights

Total (A+B)	
Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
16,756,221	10.84%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

See section 4

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of the proxy holder:	Fidelity International Limited (FIL)
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	401,300
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	14 February 2008

13. Additional information:	
14. Contact name:	Charles Rendell
15. Contact telephone number:	01727 891430