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FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					Issue	er Name a	nd Tic	ker o	or T	Γradir	ng Syn	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
SWENT JAM	ES W III	[Er	isco	plc [E	SV]											
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. I	Date	of Earlies	st Tran	sacti	on	(MM/I	DD/YYY	Director 10% Owner						
														X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Senior Vice President & CFO				
6 CHESTERFIELD GARDENS, 3RD FLOOR					2/28/2012									Senior vice P	resident	& CFO		
(Street)				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) 6. Individual or Joint/Grou										roup Filing	g (Check Ap	plicable	
LONDON, X0	W1J 5B	O																
(City) (State) (Zip)													_X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Nor 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) American Depositary Shares				2. Tran Date	Trans. 2A.		3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Ac Di (Ir	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Amount (A) or (D)			or Beneficially Own 5. Amount of Securities Be Following Reported Transa (Instr. 3 and 4) e		eneficially Owned action(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
American Depositary		- Deriva	tive Secur			icially Ov	<u> </u>	e.g.					rants, o	options, conve		curities)	<u> </u>	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed	4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)	. 5 I A	Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			7. Title and A Securities Un Derivative Se (Instr. 3 and 4		amount of derlying curity	nt of 8. Price of Derivative		Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

Reporting Owners

Departing Over an Name / Address	Relationships									
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
SWENT JAMES W III										
6 CHESTERFIELD GARDENS										
			Senior Vice President & CFO							
3RD FLOOR										
LONDON, X0 W1J 5BQ										

Signatures

/s/ Elizabeth Wright, by Power of Attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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