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Form 6-K
February 08, 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

February 08, 2005

BRITISH ENERGY GROUP PLC
(Registrant's name)

3 Redwood Crescent
Peel Park
East Kilbride G74 5PR
Scotland
(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 08 February, 2005

8 February 2005

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British Energy Group plc

UK COMPANIES ACT 1985 - Part VI - British Energy Group plc (the "Company")

The Company has received notification from Farallon Capital Management, L.L.C. that:

1. Farallon Capital Management, L.L.C. is interested in shares in the Company's share capital the particulars of which are set out in Table A below;
2. Farallon Partners, L.L.C. is interested in shares in the Company's share capital, the particulars of which are set out in Table B below;

The registered holder of the shares referenced below is Goldman Sachs & Co. 85 Broad Street, New York, NY 10004.

Table A

Name and address of registered holder	Number of ordinary shares
Farallon Capital Offshore Investors, Inc c/o Farallon Capital Management, L.L.C. One Maritime Plaza, Suite 1325 San Francisco, California 94111 U.S.A.	10,681,943

Registered Holder
Goldman Sachs & Co.
85 Broad Street
New York, NY 10004

Table B

Name and address of registered holder	Number of ordinary shares
Farallon Capital Partners, L.P. c/o Farallon Partners, L.L.C. One Maritime Plaza, Suite 1325 San Francisco, California 94111 U.S.A.	6,229,260

Registered Holder
Goldman Sachs & Co.
85 Broad Street
New York, NY 10004

Farallon Capital Institutional Partners, L.P. c/o Farallon Partners, L.L.C. One Maritime Plaza, Suite 1325	4,993,640
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San Francisco, California 94111
U.S.A.

Registered Holder
Goldman Sachs & Co.
85 Broad Street
New York, NY 10004

Farallon Capital Institutional Partners II, L.P. 616,453
c/o Farallon Partners, L.L.C.
One Maritime Plaza, Suite 1325
San Francisco, California 94111
U.S.A.

Registered Holder
Goldman Sachs & Co.
85 Broad Street
New York, NY 10004

Farallon Capital Institutional Partners III, L.P. 533,864
c/o Farallon Partners, L.L.C.
One Maritime Plaza, Suite 1325
San Francisco, California 94111
U.S.A.

Registered Holder
Goldman Sachs & Co.
85 Broad Street
New York, NY 10004

Tinicum Partners, L.P. 177,023
c/o Farallon Partners, L.L.C.
One Maritime Plaza, Suite 1325
San Francisco, California 94111
U.S.A.

Registered Holder
Goldman Sachs & Co.
85 Broad Street
New York, NY 10004

Total (Table A and Table B) 23,232,183

Notes:

1. Farallon Capital Management, L.L.C is the investment manager, authorised agent and authorised signatory for the entity listed in Table A above and has discretionary management and control over the securities in Table A;
2. Farallon Partners, L.L.C is the general partner for the entities listed in

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Table B above and has discretionary management and control over the securities in Table B;

3. By virtue of s.204 of the Act, Farallon Partners, L.L.C. and Farallon Capital Management, L.L.C. are each deemed to be interested in the securities in both Table A and Table B;

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: February 08, 2005

BRITISH ENERGY GROUP PLC

By: _____John Searles_____

Name: John Searles

Title: Director - Investor Relations