

SKYEPHARMA PLC
Form 6-K
September 30, 2005

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

FORM 6-K

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a - 16 OR 15d - 16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of September, 2005

SkyePharma PLC

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

SkyePharma PLC, 105 Piccadilly, London W1J 7NJ England

(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40F.

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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 ☒

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SkyePharma PLC ("the Company")
Notification of Interests of Directors

The Company was informed on 29 September 2005 by Ian Gowrie-Smith, Non-executive Chairman of Skye 2005 Thornaby Limited, a company in which he has a beneficial interest, purchased 500,000 Ordinary Shares at a price of 38.75 pence per share. The shares are registered in the name of J M Finn Nominees. As a result, Mr Gowrie-Smith now has a beneficial interest in 7,121,038 Ordinary Shares in the Company.

The Company was informed on 29 September 2005 by Donald Nicholson, Finance Director of SkyePharma PLC. In 2005 he purchased 150,000 Ordinary Shares in the Company at a price of 39.25 pence per share. As a result, Mr Nicholson now has a beneficial interest in 541,361 Ordinary Shares in the Company.

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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.

SkyePharma PLC

By: /s/ Douglas Parkhill

Name: Douglas Parkhill

Title: Company Secretary

Date: September 30, 2005