BOC GROUP PLC Form 6-K September 02, 2003

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

Report on Form 6-K for the month of August 2003

The BOC Group plc Chertsey Road, Windlesham, Surrey GU20 6HJ England

(Name and address of registrant's principal executive office)

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Yes: |_| No: |X|

Enclosures:

 A notification dated 4 August 2003 advising that The Capital Group Companies, Inc had notified that they had decreased their interest in the issued Ordinary share capital of The BOC Group plc to 2.98%.

- A notification dated 4 August 2003 advising of the acquisition of 58 Ordinary shares in the Company by C J O'Donnell, a director of the Company, under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- 3. A notification dated 4 August 2003 advising of the acquisition of 272 Ordinary shares in the Company by R G Mendoza, a director of the Company, under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- 4. Notification dated 5 August 2003 advising the availability at the UKLA document viewing facility of copies of the results for the nine months ended 30 June 2003 for The BOC Group plc.
- 5. A notification dated 20 August 2003 relating to the purchase of 491 Ordinary shares of 25p each in The BOC Group plc by M F C Miau, a non-executive director of The BOC Group plc.
- 6. A notification dated 20 August 2003 relating to the purchase of 491 Ordinary shares of 25p each in The BOC Group plc by R G Mendoza, a non-executive director of The BOC Group plc.
- 7. A notification dated 20 August 2003 relating to the purchase of 500 Ordinary shares of 25p each in The BOC Group plc by A R J Bonfield, a non-executive director of The BOC Group plc.
- 8. A notification dated 20 August 2003 relating to the purchase of 491 Ordinary shares of 25p each in The BOC Group plc by F R Arrendondo, a non-executive director of The BOC Group plc.

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THE BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGULATORY INFORMATION SERVICE

ON 4 AUGUST 2003

AT 15.32 HRS UNDER REF: PRNUK-0408031530-54DE

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

All relevant boxes should be completed in block capital letters.

1. Name of company

2. Name of shareholder having a

The BOC Group plc

The Capital Group Companies,

Please state whether notification indicates that

4. Name of the registered holder it is in respect of holding of the shareholder holder, the number of shares it is in respect of holding of the shareholder holder, the number of shares named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under See additional information the age of 18 Notification in respect of party named in 2 above. -----6. Percentage of issued 7. Number of shares/amount 5. Number of 8 shares/amount of stock class of stock disposed ______ 9. Class of security 10. Date of transaction 1 Ordinary shares of 25p each 31 July 2003 ______ 13. Total percentage holding of i 12. Total holding following this notification notification 14,853,083 2.98% ______ 14. Any additional information 15. Name of contact and telephone The BOC Group plc had previously been advised that pursuant to Section 198 of the Companies Act 1985 that The Capital Group Companies, Inc. had a David Kinnair Assistant Company Secretary 01276 807649 3.93% interest in the issued Ordinary share capital of the Company. In a letter dated 1 August and received on 4 August 2003 The BOC Group plc has been notified that The Capital Group Companies, Inc. no longer have a notifiable interest in the issued Ordinary share capital of the Company, such interest now being 2.98%.

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16. Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making

this notification David Kinnair _____ Date of notification ____4 August 2003 _____ ----- Page 4 of 18 THE BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGULATORY INFORMATION SERVICE ON 4 AUGUST 2003 AT 16.39 HRS UNDER REF: PRNUK-0408031636-8D10 SCHEDULE 11 NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS All relevant boxes should be completed in block capital letters. 1. Name of company 2. Name of director ______ THE BOC GROUP plc CHRISTOPHER JOHN O'DONNELL _____ Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect

4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, more than one holder, the number of shareholder named in 2 above or in respect held by each of them (if notified) of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest IN RESPECT OF A HOLDING OF THE DIRECTOR IN 2 CHRISTOPHER JOHN O'DONNELL Please state whether notification relates to 6. Please state the nature of the named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)

N/A

PURCHASE OF SHARES UNDER THE DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN

please indicate whether general/single co PEP and if discretionary/non discre

7.	Number of shares/amount of stock acquired	8. Percentage of issued class	9.	Number of shares/amount of stock disposed		Percentage c
	58	LESS THAN 0.01%		N/A		N/A
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11.	Class of	12. Price per	13.	Date of	14.	Date
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				Page 5 of 1	.8	
	security	share		transaction		company info
	ORDINARY SHARES OF 25P EACH	854P PER SHARE		1 AUGUST 2003		4 AUGUST 200
15.	Total holding following	this notification	16.	Total percentage hol class following this		
	2,179			LESS THAN 0.01%		
	director has been granted wing boxes.					
17.	Date of grant		18.	Period during which options exercisable	or da	te on which
	N/A			N/A		
19.	Total amount paid (if a option	ny) for grant of the		Description of share involved: class, num	es or	
	N/A			N/A		

21.	Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at time of exercise	over which options held following to notification	this
	N/A	N/A	
	Any additional information	24. Name of contact and telephone number queries	
	N/A	DAVID KINNAIR 01276 807649	
25.	Name and signature of authorised company office DAVID KINNAIR, ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY Date of notification4 AUGUST 2003		
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тні	E BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGUI ON 4 AUGUST 2003 AT 16.43 HRS UNDER REF: PRNUK-04080		
	SCHEDULE 11		
	NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND	CONNECTED PERSONS	
All re	elevant boxes should be completed in block capit	cal letters.	
1.	Name of company	2. Name of director	
	THE BOC GROUP plc	ROBERTO GONZALEZ MENDOZA	
3.	Please state whether notification indicates	4. Name of the registered holder(s) as	nd,

that it is in respect of holding of the

shareholder named in 2 above or in respect

more than one holder, the number of sh

held by each of them (if notified)

of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

	IN RESPECT OF A HOLDING ABOVE	OF	THE DIRECTOR IN 2		ROBERTO GONZALEZ ME	NDOZA	
5.	Please state whether no a person(s) connected w named in 2 above and id connected person(s)	vith	the director fy the		Please state the na transaction. For PE indicate whether ge discretionary/non d	P trans neral/ iscret	sactions plea single co PEP
	N/A				PURCHASE OF SHARES REINVESTMENT PLAN		THE DIVIDEND
7.	Number of shares/amount of stock acquired	8.	Percentage of of issued class	9.	Number of shares/amount of stock disposed		Percentage c issued class
	272 		LESS THAN 0.01%		,		N/A
11.	Class of		Price per			14.	Date

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	security	share		transaction	company	info
	ORDINARY SHARES OF 25P EACH	854P PER SHARE		1 AUGUST 2003	4 AUGUST	200
15.	Total holding following thi notification	s	16.	Total percentage holding class following this noti		l
	10,272			LESS THAN 0.01%		

17.	Date of grant	18.	Period during which or date on which cexercisable
	N/A		N/A
 19.	Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option	20.	Description of shares or debentures involved: class, number
	N/A		N/A
21.	Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at time of exercise	22.	Total number of shares or debentures of which options held following this noti
	N/A		N/A
 23.	Any additional information	24.	Name of contact and telephone number f queries
	N/A		DAVID KINNAIR 01276 807649
25.	Name and signature of authorised company off DAVID KINNAIR, ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY Date of notification4 AUGUST 2003		esponsible for making this notificatior

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THE BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGULATORY INFORMATION SERVICE ON 5 AUGUST 2003 ${\rm AT~12.47~HRs~Under~Ref:~PRNUK-0508031245-7424}$

5 August 2003

THE BOC GROUP plc - NEWS RELEASE ON THE RESULTS FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2003

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THE BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGULATORY INFORMATION SERVICE AT 14.33 HRS ON 20 AUGUST 2003 UNDER REF. NO. PRNUK-2008031431-14C2

SCHEDULE 11

NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

All relevant boxes should be completed in block capital letters.

2. Name of director 1. Name of company The BOC Group plc Matthew Feng Chiang MIAU Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect

4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, more than one holder, the number of shareholder named in 2 above or in respect held by each of them (if notified) of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest Holding in respect of director named Matthew Feng Chiang MIAU in 2 above

- 5. Please state whether notification relates to 6. Please state the nature of the

	a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)			transaction. For PEP transactions plea indicate whether general/single co PEF discretionary/non discretionary		
	N/a			Purchase		
7.	Number of shares/amount of stock acquired	8. Percentage of of issued class		Number of shares/amount of stock disposed	10. Percentage of issued class	
	491	Less than 0.1%				
11.	Class of security	12. Price per share		Date of transaction	14. Date company	
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					informed	
	Ordinary shares of 25p each	846.5p		15 August 2003	20 August 20	
15.	Total holding following this notification			Total percentage ho		
	2,772			Less than 0.1%		
If a		ted options by the compa		se complete the foll	owing boxes.	
17.	Date of grant			Period during which exercisable		

	Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option	involved: class, number	
		22. Total number of shares or debent which options held following thi	ures d s noti
 23.	Any additional information	24. Name of contact and telephone nu	umber f
		Carol Hunt Tel: 01276 807759	
 25.	Name and signature of authorised company of Carol Hunt, Deputy Company Secretary Date of notification20 August 2003	icial responsible for making this notifi	cation
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THE	BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGU AT 14.30 HRS ON 20 AUGUST UNDER REF. NO. PRNUK-2008031	2003	
	SCHEDULE 11 NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS A	ID CONNECTED PERSONS	
All r	elevant boxes should be completed in block ca	oital letters.	
1.	Name of company	2. Name of director	
	The BOC Group plc	Roberto Gonzalez MENDOZA	

that it is in respect of shareholder named in 2 a of a non-beneficial inte of an individual holder of that person's spouse	holding of the bove or in respect rest or in the case if it is a holding or children under	4.	more than one holder	, the	number of sh
Holding in respect of di	rector named in 2 above	 : 	Roberto Gonzalez MENI	OOZA	
a person(s) connected wi	th the director	6.	transaction. For PEP indicate whether gene	tran eral/	sactions plea single co PEF
N/a			Purchase		
Number of shares/amount of stock acquired	8. Percentage of of issued class	9.	Number of shares/amount of stock disposed	10.	Percentage of issued class
491	Less than 0.1%				
Class of security	12. Price per share	13.	Date of transaction	14.	Date company
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	that it is in respect of shareholder named in 2 a of a non-beneficial inte of an individual holder of that person's spouse the age of 18 or in resp non-beneficial interest Holding in respect of di Please state whether not a person(s) connected wi named in 2 above and ide connected person(s) N/a Number of shares/amount of stock acquired 491 Class of	Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s) N/a Number of 8. Percentage of shares/amount of issued class of stock acquired 491 Less than 0.1% Class of 12. Price per	that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest Holding in respect of director named in 2 above Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s) N/a Number of 8. Percentage of 9. shares/amount of issued class of stock acquired 491 Less than 0.1% Class of 12. Price per 13.	that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest Holding in respect of director named in 2 above Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s) N/a Purchase Number of 8. Percentage of 9. Number of shares/amount of stock acquired Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director transaction. For PEP indicate whether gene discretionary/non director shares/amount of stock disposed Purchase Number of 8. Percentage of 9. Number of shares/amount of stock disposed Class of 12. Price per 13. Date of transaction	that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest Holding in respect of director named in 2 above Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s) N/a Purchase Number of 8. Percentage of 9. Number of shares/amount of stock acquired Number of 8. Percentage of stock acquired Less than 0.1% Class of 12. Price per 13. Date of 14.

Ordinary shares 846.5p 15 August 2003 20 August 20

of 25p each

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informed

15.	Total holding following this notification	16. Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification
	10,763	Less than 0.1%
If a	director has been granted options by the compa	any please complete the following boxes.
17.	Date of grant	18. Period during which or date on which exercisable
19.	Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option	20. Description of shares or debentures involved: class, number
21.	Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at time of exercise	22. Total number of shares or debentures which options held following this not
 23.	Any additional information	24. Name of contact and telephone number
		queries
25.	Name and signature of authorised company off	ficial responsible for making this notification
	Carol Hunt, Deputy Company Secretary Date of notification20 August 2003	

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THE BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGULATORY INFORMATION SERVICE
AT 14.26 HRS ON 20 AUGUST 2003
UNDER REF. NO. PRNUK-2008031425-80A2

SCHEDULE 11

NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

All relevant boxes should be completed in block capital letters.

1.	Name of company			 2.	 Name of director		
	The BOC Group plc				Andrew Robert John	BONFIE	LD
3.	Please state whethe that it is in respe shareholder named i of a non-beneficial of an individual ho of that person's sp the age of 18 or in non-beneficial inte	ct of holding of 2 above or i interest or i lder if it is buse or childer respect of a	of the in respect in the case a holding	4.	Name of the registe more than one holde held by each of the	er, the	number of sl
	Holding in respect	of director na	umed		Andrew Robert John	BONFIE	LD
 5.	Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director			6.	Please state the nation transaction. For PE indicate whether ge	EP tran	sactions plea
	named in 2 above an connected person(s)		· 		discretionary/non c		-
	N/a 				Purchase 		
7.	Number of shares/amount of stock acquired		entage of ssued class	9.	Number of shares/amount of stock disposed	10.	Percentage (issued class
	500	Less	than 0.1%				
 11.	Class of security	12. Price		13.	Date of transaction	14.	Date company

					informed
	Ordinary shares of 25p each	846.5p		15 August 2003	20 August 20
15.	Total holding following notification	ng this	16.	Total percentage hol class following this	
	500			Less than 0.1%	
If a 	director has been grante	ed options by the com	pany plea	se complete the follo	owing boxes.
17 .	Date of grant		18.	Period during which exercisable	or date on which o
 19.	Total amount paid (if of the option	any) for grant	20.	Description of share involved: class, num	
21.	Exercise price (if fix grant) or indication t	hat price is to be	22.	Total number of shar which options held f	
 23.	Any additional informa	tion		Name of contact and queries	telephone number i
	Purchase of director of shares pursuant to Art	qualification		Carol Hunt Tel: 0127	76 807759

25.	Name and signature of authorised company office	cial r	esponsible for making this notification
	Carol Hunt, Deputy Company Secretary		
	Date of notification20 August 2003		
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T	HE BOC GROUP plc ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED TO A REGUL AT 14.23 HRS ON 20 AUGUST 20 UNDER REF. NO. PRNUK-200803142:	003	
	SCHEDULE 11		•
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	NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND	CONNE	CTED PERSONS
All	relevant boxes should be completed in block capit	tal le	etters.
	Name of company		Name of director
	The BOC Group plc		Fabiola Raquel ARREDONDO
3.	Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest	4.	Name of the registered holder(s) and, more than one holder, the number of sheld by each of them (if notified)
	Holding in respect of director named in 2 above		Fabiola Raquel ARREDONDO
 5.			
	Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)	6.	Please state the nature of the transaction. For PEP transactions plea indicate whether general/single co PEP discretionary/non discretionary
	a person(s) connected with the director named in 2 above and identify the	6.	transaction. For PEP transactions plea indicate whether general/single co PEF

7.	Number of shares/amount of stock acquired		Percentage of of issued class		Number of shares/amount of stock disposed		Percentage (issued class
	491		Less than 0.1%				
11.	Class of security		Price per share	13.	Date of transaction	14.	Date company informed
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	of 25p each		 846.5p		 15 August 2003		 20 August 2
15.	Total holding following this				Total percentage ho	lding	of issued
	notification 				class following this notification Less than 0.1%		
If a	director has been grant	ed opti	ons by the compan	y plea			
	Date of grant				Period during which exercisable		
 19.	Total amount paid (if	 f any) f	or grant	20.	Description of shar involved: class, nu		debentures

21.	Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at time of exercise		Total number of shares or debentures of which options held following this noti				
23.	Any additional information		Name of contact and telephone number f queries				
			Carol Hunt Tel: 01276 807759				
25.	Name and signature of authorised company offi						
	Carol Hunt, Deputy Company Secretary Date of notification20 August 2003						

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant, The BOC Group plc, has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 1, 2003

By: /s/ Sarah Larkins

Name: Sarah Larkins

Title: Company Secretarial Assistant

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