TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARESⁱ

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:		Serica Energy PLC		
2 Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):				
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights				
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached				
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments				
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights				
Other (please specify):				
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:		BlackRock, Inc.		
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):				
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: ^V		29 th October 2010		
6. Date on which issuer notified:	ate on which issuer notified: 11 th February 2011			
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: vi, vii		Holding has gone below 3%		

8. Notified details:							
A: Voting rights attached to shares viii, ix							
Class/type of Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of			Number rights	of voting	% of voting	rights ^x
	Shares	Voting Rights	Direct	Direct	Indirect xii	Direct	Indirect
GB00B0CY5V57	5,517,077	5,517,077	N/A	N/A	4,547,061	N/A	Below 3%

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

C: Financial In	struments	with similar e	economic ef	fect to Qualifying Finar	ncial Instru	ments
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction						
Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date xvii	Exercise/ Conversio n period	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting	rights XIX,
					Nominal	Delta

Total (A+B+C)	
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
4,547,061	Below 3%

financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable: xxi		
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited – 4,547,061 (Below 3%)		
Proxy Voting:		
10. Name of the proxy holder:		

Q. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the

11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease

12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold

to hold:

voting rights:

13. Additional information:	BlackRock International Threshold Reporting Team
14. Contact name:	Zaf Fahmy
15. Contact telephone number:	020 7743 3503; zafrhan.fahmy@blackrock.com

Note: Annex should only be submitted to the FSA not the issuer

A: Identity of the persons or legal entity subject to the notification obligation

Annex: Notification of major interests in shares xxii

(including legal form of legal entities)	BlackRock, Inc.
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B: Identity of the notifier, if applicable	
Full name	
Contact address	
Phone number & email	
Other useful information (e.g. functional relationship with the person or legal entity subject to the notification obligation)	
C: Additional information	
C. Additional information	

For notes on how to complete form TR-1 please see the FSA website.