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

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**FORM F-6**  
**REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933**  
**For American Depositary Shares Evidenced by American Depositary Receipts**

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**BARCLAYS PLC**  
(Exact name of issuer of deposited securities as specified in its charter)

**N/A**  
(Translation of issuer's name into English)

**England and Wales**  
(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization of issuer)

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.**  
(Exact name of depositary as specified in its charter)

**4 New York Plaza, New York, NY 10004**  
**Telephone (212) 623-0636**  
(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of depositary's principal executive offices)

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**James Walker**  
**Barclays Bank PLC**  
**200 Park Avenue**  
**New York, New York 10166**  
**(212) 412-4000**  
(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

*Copy to:*  
**Scott A. Ziegler, Esq.**  
**Ziegler, Ziegler & Associates LLP**  
**570 Lexington Avenue, 44<sup>th</sup> Floor**  
**New York, New York 10022**  
**(212) 319-7600**

It is proposed that this filing become effective under Rule 466

- immediately upon filing
- on (Date) at (Time)

If a separate registration statement has been filed to register the deposited shares, check the following box.

**CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE**

Title of each class of Securities to be registered	Amount to be registered	Proposed maximum aggregate price per unit <sup>(1)</sup>	Proposed maximum aggregate offering price <sup>(2)</sup>	Amount of registration fee
American Depositary Shares evidenced by American Depositary Receipts, each American Depositary Share representing 4 ordinary shares of Barclays PLC	100,000,000 American Depositary Shares	\$ 0.05	\$ 5,000,000	\$ 196.50

(1) Each unit represents one American Depositary Share.

(2) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee. Pursuant to Rule 457(k), such estimate is computed on the basis of the maximum aggregate fees or charges to be imposed in connection with the issuance of American Depositary Receipts evidencing American Depositary Shares.

**The Registrant hereby amends this Registration Statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the Registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this Registration Statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until the Registration Statement shall become effective on such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.**

**PART I**  
**INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS**

The Prospectus consists of the proposed form of American Depositary Receipt (“ADR” or “American Depositary Receipt”) included as Exhibit A to the Second Amended and Restated Deposit Agreement filed as Exhibit (a) to this Registration Statement, which is incorporated herein by reference.

CROSS REFERENCE SHEET

**Item 1. DESCRIPTION OF SECURITIES TO BE REGISTERED**

Item Number and Caption	Location in Form of Receipt Filed Herewith as Prospectus
1. Name and address of depositary	Introductory Article
2. Title of American Depositary Receipts and identity of deposited securities	Face of Receipt, top center
Terms of Deposit:	
(i) The amount of deposited securities represented by one unit of American Depositary Receipts	Face of Receipt, upper right corner
(ii) The procedure for voting, if any, the deposited securities	Articles 15, 16 and 18
(iii) The collection and distribution of dividends	Articles 4, 12, 13, 15 and 18
(iv) The transmission of notices, reports and proxy soliciting material	Articles 11, 15, 16 and 18
(v) The sale or exercise of rights	Articles 13, 14, 15 and 18
(vi) The deposit or sale of securities resulting from dividends, splits or plans of reorganization	Articles 12, 13, 15, 17 and 18
(vii) Amendment, extension or termination of the deposit agreement	Articles 20 and 21
(viii) Rights of holders of Receipts to inspect the transfer books of the depositary and the list of holders of Receipts	Article 11
(ix) Restrictions upon the right to deposit or withdraw the underlying securities	Articles 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 22
(x) Limitation upon the liability of the depositary	Articles 14, 18, 19 and 21
3. Fees and Charges	Articles 7 and 8

**Item 2. AVAILABLE INFORMATION**

Item Number and Caption	Location in Form of American Depositary Receipt Filed Herewith as Prospectus
(b) Statement that Barclays PLC is subject to the periodic reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and, accordingly, files certain reports with the Commission, and that such reports can be inspected by holders of American Depositary Receipts and copied at public reference facilities maintained by the Commission in Washington, D.C.	Article 11

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**PART II**

**INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS**

**Item 3. EXHIBITS**

- (a) **Form of Deposit Agreement.** Form of Second Amended and Restated Deposit Agreement dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008 among Barclays PLC, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as depository (the "Depository"), and all holders from time to time of ADRs issued thereunder (the "Deposit Agreement"), including the Form of American Depositary Receipt, is filed herewith as Exhibit (a).
- (b) **Any other agreement to which the Depository is a party relating to the issuance of the American Depositary Shares registered hereunder or the custody of the deposited securities represented thereby.** Not Applicable.
- (c) **Every material contract relating to the deposited securities between the Depository and the issuer of the deposited securities in effect at any time within the last three years.** Not Applicable.
- (d) **Opinion of Ziegler, Ziegler & Associates LLP, counsel to the Depository, as to the legality of the securities being registered.** Filed herewith as Exhibit (d).
- (e) **Certification under Rule 466.** Not applicable.
- (f) **Powers of Attorney.** Filed herewith as Exhibit (f)

**Item 4. UNDERTAKINGS**

- (a) The Depository hereby undertakes to make available at the principal office of the Depository in the United States, for inspection by holders of the American Depositary Receipts, any reports and communications received from the issuer of the deposited securities which are both (1) received by the Depository as the holder of the deposited securities, and (2) made generally available to the holders of the underlying securities by the issuer.
- (b) If the amounts of fees charged are not disclosed in the prospectus, the Depository undertakes to prepare a separate document stating the amount of any fee charged and describing the service for which it is charged and to deliver promptly a copy of such fee schedule without charge to anyone upon request. The Depository undertakes to notify each registered holder of an American Depositary Receipt thirty days before any change in the fee schedule.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. , on behalf of the legal entity created by the Deposit Agreement, certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that all the requirements for filing on Form F-6 are met and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in The City of New York, State of New York, on August 4, 2008.

Legal entity created by the form  
of Deposit Agreement for the  
issuance of ADRs evidencing  
American Depositary Shares

By: JPMORGAN  
CHASE BANK,  
N.A., as  
Depositary

By: /s/Joseph M.  
Leinhauser  
Name: Joseph M.  
Leinhauser  
Title: Vice President

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Barclays PLC certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that all the requirements for filing on Form F-6 are met and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized on August 1, 2008.

**BARCLAYS PLC**

By: /s/Christopher Lucas  
Name: Christopher Lucas  
Title: Group Finance  
Director

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated:

Signatures	Title	Date
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: Marcus Agius</p>	<p>Group Chairman</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: Gary Hoffman</p>	<p>Vice Chairman</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: Robert Edward Diamond Jr</p>	<p>President</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: John Varley</p>	<p>Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer)</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p>/s/Christopher Lucas Name: Christopher Lucas</p>	<p>Finance Director (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: Frederik Ferdinand Seegers</p>	<p>Director</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: David Booth</p>	<p>Non-Executive Director</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: Sir Richard Broadbent</p>	<p>Non-Executive Director</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p>Name: Leigh Clifford, AO</p>	<p>Non-Executive Director</p>	<p>August 1, 2008</p>



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* Name: Fulvio Conti	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Professor Dame Sandra Dawson	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Sir Andrew Likierman	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Sir Michael Rake	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Sir Nigel Rudd	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Stephen Russell	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Sir John Sunderland	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
* Name: Patience Wheatcroft	Non-Executive Director	August 1, 2008
/s/James Walker Name: James Walker	Authorized U.S. Representative	August 1, 2008

\*By: /s/  
Christopher  
Lucas  
Name: Christopher  
Lucas  
Title: Power of  
Attorney

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

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- (f) Powers of Attorney

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