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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

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

For the month of February, 2003

SPIRENT plc

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Spirent House, Crawley Business Quarter, Fleming Way, Crawley, West Sussex
RH10 9QL, UK.

(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.

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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 X

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in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- _____

London Stock Exchange
Company Announcements Office
Old Broad Street
LONDON
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27 February 2003

Dear Sir / Madam

SPIRENT plc - Stock Exchange Ticker Symbol SPT

Notification of Directors' Interests

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Spirent plc Long Term Share Purchase Plan ("LTSP")

On 11 May 2000 the directors listed below were granted Performance Units at a unit value of

334 pence each under the LTSP (the "Award").

At a meeting of the Remuneration Committee of the Board on 26 February 2003 it was determined that as the minimum performance conditions attaching to the first three-year performance period of the Award were not satisfied on 31 December 2002, no value therefore arises and, pursuant to the rules of the LTSP, the Performance Units have lapsed.

The directors no longer have an interest in the Performance Units granted on 11 May 2000 and following this notification their remaining interests in the LTSP Performance Units are as set out below.

Director	LTSP Performance Units granted 11 May 2000 now lapsed	LTSP Performance Units remaining (granted 9 April 2001)
N K Brookes	85,480	123,000
E G Hutchinson	28,849	62,000
M E Chung	38,893	50,000

Yours faithfully
Luke Thomas

Luke Thomas
Deputy Company Secretary

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.

____LUKE THOMAS____

(Registrant)

Date 27 February 2003

By _____/s/ Luke Thomas_____

(Signature)*