

SCOTTISH POWER PLC
Form 6-K
September 19, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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

SCOTTISH POWER PLC

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

CORPORATE OFFICE, 1 ATLANTIC QUAY, GLASGOW, G2 8SP

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of 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

(If Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-_____ .)

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1. Notification by Scottish Power plc dated September 19, 2005, of notification of transactions of directors, persons discharging managerial responsibility or connected persons.

NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS, PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY OR CONNE

This form is intended for use by an *issuer* to make a *RIS* notification required by *DR 3.1.4R(1)* .

- (1) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 16, 23 and 24.
- (2) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a derivative relating the *shares* of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8,13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
- (3) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of options granted to a *director/person discharging managerial responsibilities* should complete boxes 1 to 3 and 17 to 24.
- (4) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a *financial instrument* relating to the *issuer* (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16

Please complete all relevant boxes should in block capital letters.

1. Name of the *issuer*

Scottish Power plc

2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with *DR 3.1.4R(1)* .

(ii) *DR 3.1.4(R) (1) (b)* a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 324A)

(iii) both (i) and (ii)

Pursuant to (iii) above

3. Name of *person discharging managerial responsibilities/director*

James Stanley

4. State whether notification relates to a *person* connected with a *person discharging managerial responsibilities* and identify the *connected person*

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James Stanley

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the person referred to in the notification or a non-beneficial interest

James Stanley

6. Description of *shares* (including *class*), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments referred to in the notification

Ordinary 50p Shares

7. Name of registered shareholders(s) and, if more than one, the number of *shares* held by each of them

James Stanley

8 State the nature of the transaction

Exercise of Sharesave Option

9. Number of *shares*, debentures or financial instruments relating to *shares* acquired

2,941 ordinary shares

10. Percentage of issued *class* acquired (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

0.00%

11. Number of *shares*, debentures or financial instruments relating to *shares* disposed

Not applicable

12. Percentage of issued *class* disposed (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

Not applicable

13. Price per *share* or value of transaction

£3.23 upon exercise of option

14. Date and place of transaction

19 September 2005, UK

15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (a) (a) into account when calculating percentage)

44,875

0.0024%

16. Date issuer informed of transaction

19 September 2005

If a person discharging managerial responsibilities has been granted options by the issuer complete the following information

17 Date of grant

Not applicable

18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised

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Not applicable

19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option

Not applicable

20. Description of *shares* or debentures involved (*class* and number)

Not applicable

21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at the time

Not applicable

22. Total number of *shares* or debentures over which options held following notification

Not applicable

23. Any additional information

Not applicable

24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries

Alan McCulloch 01698 396414

Name and signature of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification

Alan McCulloch, Assistant Secretary

Date of notification

19 September 2005

END

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.

/s/ Scottish Power plc

(Registrant)

Date: September 19, 2005

By: /s/ Donald McPherson

Donald McPherson
Assistant Company Secretary