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Portmeirion Group PLC

01 December 2008

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### TR-1: Notifications of Major Interests in Shares

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: PORTMEIRION GROUP PLC
2. Reason for notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes)
- An acquisition or disposal of voting rights X
- An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached
- An event changing the breakdown of voting rights
- Other (please specify): Change in issued share capital
3. Full name of person(s) subject to notification obligation: HSBC GLOBAL CUSTODY NOMINEE (UK) LTD
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3): New Fortress Finance Holdings Ltd BVI
5. Date of transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different): 28 November 2008
6. Date on which issuer notified: 1 December 2008
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: 28%

### 8. Notified Details

#### A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction	Resulting situation after the triggering transaction
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If possible use ISIN code

	Number of Shares	Number of voting rights	Number of shares Direct	Number of voting shares Direct	Number of voting shares Indirect	% of voting rights Direct	% of voting rights Indirect
GB0006957293	2,753,013	2,753,013	2,778,013	2,778,013	N/A	28%	N/A

#### B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise / Conversion Period/Date	Number of voting rights that may be acquired (if the instrument exercised / converted)	% of voting rights
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Total (A+B)

Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
2,778,013	28%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and /or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

Proxy Voting:

10. Name of proxy holder: N/A
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold: N/A
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights: N/A
13. Additional information:

14. Contact name: Brett Phillips, Group Finance Director  
15. Contact telephone name: 01782 744 721

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