PEARSON PLC Form 6-K May 05, 2015

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 May 2015

PEARSON plc (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

N/A

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

80 Strand London, England WC2R 0RL 44-20-7010-2000 (Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F X

Form 40-F

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

NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS/PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY AND CONNECTED PERSONS

All relevant boxes should be completed in block capital letters.

- 1. Name of the issuer PEARSON PLC
- 2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with DTR 3.1.2R; (ii) a disclosure made in accordance with LR 9.8.6R(1); or (iii) a disclosure made in accordance with section 793 of the Companies Act 2006. BOTH (i) AND (ii)
- 3. Name of person discharging 4. managerial responsibilities/director TAMARA MINICK-SCOKALO
- 4. State whether notification relates to a person connected with a person discharging managerial responsibilities/director named in 3 and identify the connected person N/A
- 5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the person referred to in 3 or 4 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest NOTIFICATION RELATES

6 Description of shares (including class), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments relating to shares

OPDINARY SHARES OF 25P

ORDINARY SHARES OF 25P EACH

NOTIFICATION RELATES TO THE PERSONS NAMED IN 3 ABOVE

- 7. Name of registered shareholder(s) and, if more than one, the number of shares held by each of them TAMARA MINICK-SCOKALO
 - 8. State the nature of the transaction AWARD OF OPTIONS UNDER THE COMPANY'S WORLDWIDE SAVE FOR SHARES PLAN
- 9 Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares acquired (THE NUMBER OF OPTIONS TO BE GRANTED) TAMARA
 - Percentage of issued class acquired (treasury shares of that class should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)
 N/A

MINICK-SCOKALO - 2,610 11. Number of shares,

debentures or financial instruments relating to shares disposed

N/A

13. Price per share or value of transaction

N/A

15.

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

14. Date and place of transaction N/A

16. Date issuer informed of transaction

Total holding following N/A notification and total percentage holding following notification (any treasury shares should not be taken into account when calculating percentage) N/A

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

EACH

17. Date of grant 1 MAY 2015

- 18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised TAMARA MINICK-SCOKALO -5 YEAR
- 19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option NIL
- 20. Description of shares or debentures involved (class and number) OPTIONS OVER ORDINARY SHARES OF 25P
- 21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or 22. indication that price is to be fixed at the time of exercise £11.488
- Total number of shares or debentures over which options held following notification TAMARA MINICK-SCOKALO - 2,610

- Any additional information 23. N/A
- 24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries: NATALIE DALE 020 7010 2261

Name of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification NATALIE DALE, ASSISTANT COMPANY SECRETARY

Date of notification: 5 MAY 2015

Notes: This form is intended for use by an issuer to make a RIS notification required by DTR 3.14.

- (1) An issuer making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the shares or debentures 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 shares of the issuer (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.	d this report to be
	PEARSON plc
Date: 05 May 2015	
By: /s/	/ STEPHEN JONES
	Stephen Jones Deputy Secretary