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Schroders PLC
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FORM SAR 5

DISCLOSURE OF DISPOSALS

(Rule 5 of The Rules Governing Substantial Acquisitions of Shares)

Name of seller	Schroders Plc
Beneficial owner, if different from above	Clients under discretionary management agreements with Schroder Investment Management Limited and its associates and subsidiaries.

Names of any other persons acting by agreement or understanding (see SAR 5)	n/a
Company dealt in	John David Group Plc

Class of voting shares (eg ordinary shares)	Ord 5p
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Date of disposal	19.10.05
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Number of shares disposed of	9,093,206
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Number of rights over shares disposed of	n/a
Nature of rights over shares	n/a

Total holding of voting shares (and percentage of total voting shares in issue)	0 (0%)
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Combined total holding (and percentage) of voting shares and rights over shares	0 (0%)
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Date of disclosure	20.10.05
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Â£ See the definition of "rights over shares" in the Definitions Section of the SARs.

For details of the SARs disclosure requirements, see SARs 3 and 5 and their Notes which can be viewed on the Takeover Panel's website at

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