

PRESS RELEASE

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TULLOW OIL PLC – (TLW) NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

TLW has released the attached announcement for the information of the general investing public.

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TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:		Tullow Oil plc	
2 Reason for the notification (please tick the	appro	priate box or boxes):	
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights			Х
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached			
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments			
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights			
Other (please specify):	_		
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:		The Capital Group Companies, Inc.	
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):		See Section 9	
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:		1 October 2015	
6. Date on which issuer notified:		2 October 2015	
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:		Below 12%	

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares	Situation pre- to the trigger transaction		Resulting	situation	after the trigge	ering trans	action
if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of Shares	Number of Voting	Number of shares	Number rights	of voting	% of vot	ing rights
		Rights	Direct	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect
Ordinary Shares (GB0001500809)	111,824,194	111,824,194			109,187,335		11.978%

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument

Expiration date

Exercise/ Conversion Period Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.

% of voting rights

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument

Exercise price

Expiration date

Exercise/ Conversion period Number of voting rights instrument refers

% of voting rights

Nominal	Delta

Total (A+B+C)	
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
109,187,335	11.978%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:			
As of 01 October 2015	Number of Shares	% of Outstanding	
The Capital Group Companies, Inc ("CG") holdings	109,187,335	11.978%	
Holdings by CG Management Companies and Funds			
Capital Guardian Trust Company	8,945,955	0.981%	
Capital International Limited	354,100	0.039%	
Capital International SÁrI	1,622,088	0.178%	
Capital International, Inc	1,603,318	0.176%	
Capital Research and Management Company EuroPacific Growth Fund	96,661,874	10.604%	

Proxy Voting:	
10. Name of the proxy holder:	
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	

13. Additional information:	
14. Contact name:	Kevin Massie Corporate Counsel & Deputy Company Secretary Tullow Oil plc
15. Contact telephone number:	020 3249 9000

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