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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Special Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of The Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

For the date of February 26, 2003

SIGNET GROUP plc

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Zenith House The Hyde London NW9 6EW England

(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40F.

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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

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SCHEDULE 5

BLOCKLISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

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| To: Listing Applications |
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| UK Listing Authority |
| Financial Services Authority |
| 25, The North Colonnade |
| Canary Wharf |
| London, E14 5HS |
| Please ensure the entries on this return are typed |
| 1. Name of company |
| Signet Group plc |
| 2. Name of scheme |
| Signet Group plc Executive Share Option Scheme 1993 |
| 3. Period of return: |
| From 02.08.02 To 26.02.03 |
| 4. Number and class of shares(s) (amount of stock / debt security) not issued under scheme |
| 21,771,827 0.5p ordinary shares |
| 5. Number of shares issued / allotted under scheme during period: |
| 166,161 |
| 6. Balance under scheme not yet issued / allotted at end of period |
| 27,605,666 |
| 7. Number and class of share(s) (amount of stock / debt securities) originally listed and the date of admission; |
| 1,503,000 - 09.02.00 |
| 30,000,000 - 15.11.00 |
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| 16,000,000 - 05.12.01 |
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Please confirm total number of shares in issue at the end of the period in order for us to update our records

1,713,864,366

Contact for queries

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Person making the return

Name Mrs A C Keates

Position Group Administration Manager

Signature

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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.

SIGNET GROUP plc

By: /s/ Walker Boyd

Name: Walker Boyd

Title: Group Finance Director

Date: February 26, 2003