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Form 6-K
December 12, 2003

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 December 2003

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

This Report includes the following documents:

1. A press release from Pearson plc announcing Blocklisting Interim Review

SCHEDULE 5

BLOCKLISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

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To: Listing Applications
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
PEARSON PLC
2. Name of scheme
WORLDWIDE SAVE FOR SHARES
3. Period of return: From JUNE 2003 To NOVEMBER 2003
4. Number and class of shares(s) (amount of stock / debt security) not issued under scheme
3,069
5. Number of shares issued / allotted under scheme during period:
0
6. Balance under scheme not yet issued / allotted at end of period
3,069
7. Number and class of share(s) (amount of stock / debt securities) originally listed and the date of admission;
1 MILLION on 8 June 2001

Please confirm total number of shares in issue at the end of the period in order for us to update our records

802,384,947

Contact for queries

Name Andy Wilkinson
Address Pearson plc 80 Strand London WC2R 0RL
Telephone 020 7010 2252

Person making the return

Name Andy Wilkinson
Position Share Plans Manager

Signature

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1988 EXECUTIVE SCHEME
3. Period of return: From JUNE 2003 To NOVEMBER 2003
4. Number and class of shares(s) (amount of stock / debt security) not issued under scheme
909,696
5. Number of shares issued / allotted under scheme during period:
52,135
6. Balance under scheme not yet issued / allotted at end of period
857,561
7. Number and class of share(s) (amount of stock / debt securities) originally listed and the date of admission;
2,532,398 on 15 November 2000

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1998 EXECUTIVE SCHEME
3. Period of return: From JUNE 2003 To NOVEMBER 2003
4. Number and class of shares(s) (amount of stock / debt security) not issued under scheme
586,028
5. Number of shares issued / allotted under scheme during period:
526,269
6. Balance under scheme not yet issued / allotted at end of period
59,759

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7. Number and class of share(s) (amount of stock / debt securities) originally listed and the date of admission;

876,326 on 15 November 2000

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1992 US SENIOR EXECUTIVE

3. Period of return: From JUNE 2003 To NOVEMBER 2003
4. Number and class of shares(s) (amount of stock / debt security) not issued under scheme
175,529
5. Number of shares issued / allotted under scheme during period:
0
6. Balance under scheme not yet issued / allotted at end of period
175,529
7. Number and class of share(s) (amount of stock / debt securities) originally listed and the date of admission;
1,181,607 on 15 November 2000

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US SENIOR EXECUTIVE
3. Period of return: From June 2003 To November 2003
4. Number and class of shares(s) (amount of stock / debt security) not issued under scheme
110,753
5. Number of shares issued / allotted under scheme during period:
110,000
6. Balance under scheme not yet issued / allotted at end of period
753
7. Number and class of share(s) (amount of stock / debt securities) originally listed and the date of admission;
575,000 on 21 October 1997

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SIGNATURE

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.

PEARSON plc

Date: 12 December 2003

By: /s/ STEPHEN JONES

Stephen Jones
Deputy Secretary