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:		Avation plc	
2 Reason for the notification (please tick the	appro	oriate 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):	1		
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:		Prudential plc group of companies	
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):		Prudential plc M&G Group Limited M&G Investment Management Limited M&G Limited M&G Securities Limited	
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: $^{\vee}$		09 May 2016	
6. Date on which issuer notified:		10 May 2016	
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: vi, vii		7%	

8. Notified details:							
A: Voting rights attached to shares viii, ix							
Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number Number of	Number of shares	Number of voting % of voting rights		ing rights ^x		
	Shares	s Voting Rights	Direct	Direct xi	Indirect xii	Direct	Indirect
ORD GBP0.01 GB00B196F554	Below 5%	Below 5%	4,200,000	0	4,200,000	0	7.54%

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments						
Resulting situation after	Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date xiii	Exercise/ Conversion Period xiv	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights		

C: Financial Ins	truments w	ith similar (economic ef	fect to Qualifying Fina	ncial Instru	ments
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction						
Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date xvii	Exercise/ Conversion period xviii	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights XIX,	
					Nominal	Delta

Total (A+B+C)	
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
4,200,000	7.54%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable: xxi

Prudential plc (parent Company) – 4,200,000 (7.54%)

M&G Group Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Prudential plc) – 4,200,000 (7.54%)

M&G Investment Management Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of M&G Limited) - 4,200,000 (7.54%)

M&G Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of M&G Group Limited) - 4,200,000 (7.54%)

M&G Securities Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of M&G Group Limited) - 4,200,000 (7.54%)

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

13. Additional information:	
14. Contact name:	John Baker / Owen Smith / James Todd M&G Investment Management Limited
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