

Lloyds Banking Group plc
Form 6-K
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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 date of June 28 2010

Lloyds Banking Group plc

25 Gresham Street, London EC2V 7HN

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 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

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THIS REPORT ON FORM 6-K SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON FORM F-3 (FILE NO. 333-167844) OF LLOYDS BANKING GROUP PLC AND TO BE A PART THEREOF FROM THE DATE ON WHICH THIS REPORT IS FURNISHED, TO THE EXTENT NOT SUPERSEDED BY DOCUMENTS OR REPORTS SUBSEQUENTLY FILED OR FURNISHED.

Lloyds Banking Group plc

Lloyds Banking Group plc hereby incorporates by reference the following exhibit to this Report on Form 6-K into its Registration Statement on Form F-3 (File No. 333-167844) as Exhibit 12.

| Exhibit | Document |
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| 12 | Statement of Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges and Ratio of Combined Fixed Charges and Preference Dividends to Earnings |

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 authorised.

Lloyds Banking Group plc
(Registrant)

Date: 28 June 2010

By: /s/ Tim J. W. Tookey
Tim J. W. Tookey
Group Finance Director
Lloyds Banking Group plc

Ratio of earnings to fixed charges

The table below shows the ratio of earnings to fixed charges:

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|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Earnings (1) | 2009 | 2008 | 2007 | 2006 | 2005 |
| | £m | £m | £m | £m | £m |
| Profit before tax (2) | 1,042 | 760 | 3,999 | 4,249 | 3,810 |
| Share of losses / (profits) from joint ventures and associates | 752 | (4) | (10) | (6) | 3 |
| Add: Dividends received from joint ventures and associates | 2 | 52 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Add: Fixed charges | 19,866 | 10,352 | 11,208 | 9,131 | 7,439 |
| Earnings | 21,662 | 11,160 | 15,199 | 13,376 | 11,253 |
| | | | | | |
| Fixed charges | 2009 | 2008 | 2007 | 2006 | 2005 |
| | £m | £m | £m | £m | £m |
| Interest expensed and capitalised (3) | 19,730 | 10,277 | 11,138 | 9,059 | 7,367 |
| Estimated interest included within rental expense (4) | 136 | 75 | 70 | 72 | 72 |
| Fixed charges | 19,866 | 10,352 | 11,208 | 9,131 | 7,439 |
| | | | | | |
| Preference dividends (5) | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | |
| Combined fixed charges and preference dividends | 19,866 | 10,352 | 11,208 | 9,131 | 7,439 |
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| Ratios | | | | | |
| Ratio of earnings to fixed charges | 1.09 | 1.08 | 1.36 | 1.46 | 1.51 |
| Ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preference dividends | 1.09 | 1.08 | 1.36 | 1.46 | 1.51 |

Notes

- (1) For the purposes of these ratios, earnings consist of profit before tax, less the unremitted income of joint ventures and associates (i.e. the share of profits / losses from joint ventures and associates less dividends received), plus fixed charges.
- (2) The profit before tax for 2008 and preceding years has been restated to show the impact of the amendment to IFRS 2 Share-based Payment, which was adopted in the Group's 2009 consolidated financial statements, as disclosed on pages 3 and F-9 of the Group's 2009 Annual Report on Form 20-F.
- (3) Interest expensed and capitalised includes the amortisation of debt issuance costs, discounts and premiums.
- (4) Fixed charges consist of total interest expensed and capitalised plus an estimate for the proportion of rental expenses deemed to represent interest cost. This has been estimated at 30% of rental expenses, as a reasonable approximation of the interest factor.

- (5) There are no preference shares accounted for as equity; all preference shares being accounted for as debt and therefore preference share dividends are already included within interest costs. As a result, the ratios calculated using fixed charges and combined fixed charges plus preference dividends are the same.
- (6) The amortisation of debt issuance costs/discount/premium is included in the 'Interest expense and capitalised', without quantification of any amounts.