

27 January 2010

Sound Oil plc (the "Company" or "Sound Oil")

Holding in Company

On 26 January 2010, the Company was informed that, as at 22 January 2010, UBS AG had an interest as custodian only for several of its customers in 61,038,363 ordinary shares of Sound Oil (this represents 8.82% of the Company's issued share capital).

Further information on the Company can be found at www.soundoil.co.uk.

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