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Barclay Global Investors UK Holdings Ltd's holding in Konecranes Plc

This is a notice under the Securities Market Act. of Finland, Chapter 2. Section 10:

Konecranes has been informed of a change in the holding of Barclays Global Investors UK Holdings Ltd of the paid up share capital of Konecranes Plc.

On February 28, 2008 Barclays Global Investors UK Holdings Ltd was in possession of 3,444,786 Konecranes shares. The holding corresponds 5.64 % of the share capital and voting rights in Konecranes Plc.

The total holding by Barclays Global Investors UK Holdings Limited is as follows:

Shareholder's complete name, register number	Shares	Proportion of share capital and voting rights %
Barclays Global Investors Ltd	1,546,913	2.53
(Registered number 796793)		
Barclays Global Investors	21,439	0.04
(Deutschland) AG (Registered		
number HRBI134527)		
Barclays Global Investors N.A.	1,817,036	2.98
(Registered number 22121)		
Barclays Global Fund Advisors	59,398	0.10
(Registered number 94-2948313)		
TOTAL	3,444,786	5.64



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