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Form 6-K  
August 26, 2004

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

August 26, 2004

BRITISH ENERGY PLC  
(Registrant's name)

3 Redwood Crescent  
Peel Park  
East Kilbride G74 5PR  
Scotland  
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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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..

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):

Exhibit Index

The following document (bearing the exhibit number listed below) is furnished herewith and is made a part of this Report pursuant to the General Instructions for Form 6-K:

Exhibit	Description
No. 1	RNS Announcement, re: Section 198 Notice dated 26 August 2004

26 August 2004

British Energy Plc

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Section 198 Notice received from Deutsche Bank AG on 25 August 2004

In accordance with Section 198-202 of the UK Companies Act 1985, we are writing on behalf of Deutsche Bank AG to inform you that on the basis that the relevant issued shared capital of your company is 620,362,444 ordinary shares, Deutsche Bank AG, and its subsidiary companies had a notifiable interest in 20,016,212 ordinary shares of British Energy Plc, amounting to 3.23%, as at close of business 06 August 2004. We further advise that Deutsche Bank AG, and its subsidiary companies had a notifiable interest in 24,902,307 ordinary shares of British Energy Plc, amounting to 4.01%, as at close of business 18 August 2004. Part of this holding may relate to hedging arrangements for customer transactions.

### 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 authorized.

Date: August 26, 2004

BRITISH ENERGY PLC

By:\_\_\_\_John Searles\_\_\_\_

Name: John Searles

Title: Director - Investor Relations