

BARCLAYS PLC  
Form 6-K  
July 10, 2009

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549  
FORM 6-K  
REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
10 July 2009  
Barclays PLC and  
Barclays Bank PLC  
(Names of Registrants)  
1 Churchill Place  
London E14 5HP  
England  
(Address of principal executive offices)**

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This Report is a joint Report on Form 6-K furnished by Barclays PLC and Barclays Bank PLC. All of the issued  
ordinary share capital of Barclays Bank PLC is owned by Barclays PLC.

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1. Circular to Barclays Shareholders and Notice of General Meeting of Barclays PLC to be held on August 6, 2009
2. Stock Purchase Agreement by and among Barclays Bank PLC, Barclays PLC (solely for purposes of Section 6.16, Section 6.18 and Section 6.24 thereof) and BlackRock, Inc., dated as of June 16, 2009

The Stock Purchase Agreement furnished as Exhibit 2 hereto has been included to provide investors and security holders with information regarding its terms. It is not intended to be a source of financial, business or operational information, or provide any other factual information, about Barclays Bank PLC, Barclays PLC or BlackRock, Inc., or their respective subsidiaries or affiliates. The representations, warranties and covenants contained in the Stock Purchase Agreement were made only for purposes of that agreement and as of specific dates; were solely for the benefit of the parties to the Stock Purchase Agreement; may be subject to limitations agreed upon by the contracting parties, including being qualified by disclosures made for the purposes of allocating contractual risk between the parties to the Stock Purchase Agreement instead of establishing these matters as facts; and may be subject to standards of materiality applicable to the contracting parties that differ from those applicable to investors. Investors should not rely on the representations, warranties and covenants or any descriptions thereof as characterizations of the actual state of facts or condition of Barclays Bank PLC, Barclays PLC or BlackRock, Inc., or any of their respective subsidiaries or affiliates. Moreover, information concerning the subject matter of the representations, warranties and covenants may change after the date of the Stock Purchase Agreement, which subsequent information may or may not be fully reflected in Barclays Bank PLC and/or Barclays PLC's public disclosures.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each of the registrants has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

BARCLAYS PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: July 10, 2009

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
Name: Patrick Gonsalves  
Title: Deputy Secretary

BARCLAYS BANK PLC  
(Registrant)

Date: July 10, 2009

By: /s/ Patrick Gonsalves  
Name: Patrick Gonsalves  
Title: Joint Secretary