CELLTECH GROUP PLC Form 6-K May 23, 2003

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of May, 2003

Commission File Number: 1-10817

CELLTECH GROUP PLC

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

208 Bath Road, Slough, Berkshire SL1 3WE ENGLAND

(Address of principal executive offices)

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

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Yes _ No X

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Enclosure: Holding(s) in Company released 23 May, 2003

SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Name of company

Celltech Group plc

2. Name of shareholder having a major interest

The Capital Group Companies, Inc. on behalf of its affiliates, including Capital Research and Management Company, Capital International S.A., Capital International, Inc., Capital Guardian Trust Company and Capital International Limited

3. Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18

As in 2 above

Bank of New York Nominees

4. Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them

34 100

| Dank of New Tork Nominees | 34,100 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Chase Nominees Limited | 1,493,400 |
| Citibank London | 106,100 |
| Nortrust Nominees | 908,400 |
| Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited | 80,600 |
| State Street Nominees Limited | 306,700 |
| Bank of New York Nominees | 5,619,999 |
| Northern Trust | 1,454,502 |
| Chase Nominees Limited | 3,524,463 |
| Midland Bank plc | 168,500 |

| Bankers Trust | 2,328,400 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Barclays bank | 60,000 |
| Citibank London | 53,000 |
| Morgan Guaranty | 324,300 |
| Nortrust Nominees | 2,710,306 |
| State Street Bank & Trust Co | 179,600 |
| Deutsche Bank AG | 904,300 |
| HSBC Bank plc | 1,222,000 |
| Mellon Bank NA | 230,300 |
| Northern Trust AVFC | 196,436 |
| KAS UK | 64,810 |
| Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited | 63,500 |
| Bank One London | 103,200 |
| State Street Nominees Limited | 50,000 |
| Bank of New York Nominees | 82,000 |
| Chase Nominees Limited | 996,900 |
| Midland Bank plc | 19,500 |
| Barclays Bank | 80,000 |
| Royal Bank of Scotland | 1,125,100 |
| State Street Bank & Trust Co | 80,400 |
| Lloyds Bank | 86,500 |
| RBSTB Nominees Ltd | 113,900 |
| Citibank NA | 17,600 |
| HSBC Bank plc | 281,800 |
| State Street Nominees Limited | 579,959 |
| Bank of New York Nominees | 138,400 |
| Chase Nominees Limited | 759,000 |
| Citibank London | 10,000 |
| Nortrust Nominees | 273,000 |
| State Street Bank & Trust Co | 14,999 |

| Citibank NA | 98,400 |
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| Chase Manhattan Nominee Ltd | 5,300 |
| HSBC Bank plc | 54,400 |
| State Street Nominees Limited | 815,838 |
| 5. Number of shares / amount of stock acquired | |
| 1,078,738 (since last notification) | |
| 6. Percentage of issued class | |
| | |
| 0.38% | |
| 7. Number of shares / amount of stock disposed | |
| N/a | |
| 8. Percentage of issued class | |
| N/a | |
| 9. Class of security | |
| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | |
| Ordinary 50p Shares | |
| 10. Date of transaction | |
| 21 May 2003 | |
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| 11. Date company informed | |
| 11. Date company informed | |
| 23 May 2003 | |
| 12. Total holding following this notification | |
| 27,819,912 | |
| 13. Total percentage holding of issued class following | ng this notification |
| 10.020 | |
| 10.02% | |
| 14. Any additional information | |
| - | |
| 15. Name of contact and telephone number for quer | ies |

| Anita Dowling (01753) 777106 |
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| 16. Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification |
| J A D Slater |
| Date of notification |
| 23 May 2003 |
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| END |
| 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. |
| CELLTECH GROUP PLC (Registrant) |

Dated: 23 May, 2003

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Officer

By: /s/ PETER

Peter Allen Chief Financial