JOHN MENZIES PLC: PDMR SHAREHOLDING

This form is intended for use by an *issuer* to make a *RIS* notification required by *DR* 3.1.4R(1).

- (1) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the *shares* or debentures of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 16, 23 and 24.
- (2) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a derivative relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
- (3) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of options granted to a *director/person* discharging managerial responsibilities should complete boxes 1 to 3 and 17 to 24.
- (4) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a *financial instrument* relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.

Please complete all relevant boxes in block capital letters.

1. Name of the issuer

JOHN MENZIES PLC

2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with DR 3.1.4R(1)(a); or (ii) DR 3.1.4(R)(1)(b) a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 328) of the Companies Act 1985; or (iii) both (i) and (ii)

(iii)

3. Name of person discharging managerial responsibilities/director

MS DRUSILLA MAIZEY

4. State whether notification relates to a *person* connected with a *person discharging* managerial responsibilities/director named in 3 and identify the *connected person*

PERSON NAMED ABOVE

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the *person* referred to in 3 or 4 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

NOTIFICATION IS IN RESPECT OF DIRECTOR NAMED ABOVE

6. Description of *shares* (including *class*), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments relating to *shares*

ORDINARY £0.25 SHARES

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

MS DRUSILLA MAIZEY

8. State the nature of the transaction

PURCHASE OF SHARES

9. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares acquired

1,500

10. Percentage of issued *class* acquired (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

0.002%

11. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares disposed

N/A

12. Percentage of issued *class* disposed (*treasury shares* of that *class* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

N/A

13. Price per share or value of transaction

335p

14. Date and place of transaction

7 NOVEMBER 2014, LONDON

15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (any *treasury shares* should not be taken into account when calculating percentage)

BENEFICIAL: 1.500 0.002%

16. Date issuer informed of transaction

10 NOVEMBER 2014

If a *person discharging managerial responsibilities* has been granted options by the *issuer* complete the following boxes

17. Date of grant

N/A

18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised

N/A

19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option N/A Description of shares or debentures involved (class and number) 20. N/A 21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at the time of exercise N/A 22. Total number of shares or debentures over which options held following notification N/A 23. Any additional information N/A

24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries

MR SCOTT IRVINE 0131 459 8186

Name and signature of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification

MR JOHN GEDDES COMPANY SECRETARY

Date of notification

10 NOVEMBER 2014