

BHP Group Ltd  
Form 6-K  
February 21, 2019

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**Form 6-K**  
**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**  
**PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16**  
**UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**  
**February 21, 2019**

**BHP GROUP LIMITED**

**(ABN 49 004 028 077)**

**(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)**

**VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA**

**(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organisation)**

**171 COLLINS STREET, MELBOURNE,**

**VICTORIA 3000 AUSTRALIA**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**BHP GROUP PLC**

**(REG. NO. 3196209)**

**(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)**

**ENGLAND AND WALES**

**(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organisation)**

**NOVA SOUTH, 160 VICTORIA STREET**

**LONDON, SW1E 5LB**

**UNITED KINGDOM**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

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

**Issued by:** BHP Group Plc  
**Date:** 21 February 2019  
**To:** London Stock Exchange  
Australian Securities Exchange  
**cc:** JSE Limited  
New York Stock Exchange  
**For Release:** Immediately  
**Contact:** **Helen Ratsey +44 (0) 20 7802 7540**

**BHP Group Plc Notification of Major Interest in Shares**

The following notification was received on 20 February 2019 by BHP Group Plc from Norges Bank relating to major interests in shares of BHP Group Plc.

BHP Group Limited ABN 49 004 028 077  
LEI WZE1WSENV6JSZFK0JC28  
Registered in Australia  
Registered Office: 171 Collins Street  
Melbourne Victoria 3000 Australia  
Tel +61 1300 55 4757 Fax +61 3 9609 3015

BHP Group Plc Registration number 3196209  
LEI 549300C116EOWV835768  
Registered in England and Wales  
Registered Office: Nova South, 160 Victoria Street  
London SW1E 5LB United Kingdom  
Tel +44 20 7802 4000 Fax +44 20 7802 4111

**Members of the BHP Group which is headquartered in Australia**

**TR-1: Standard form for notification of major holdings**

**NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR HOLDINGS** (to be sent to the relevant issuer and to the FCA in Microsoft Word format if possible)<sup>i</sup>

**1a. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached**<sup>ii</sup>:

BHP Group PLC

**1b. Please indicate if the issuer is a non-UK issuer** (please mark with an  if appropriate)

Non-UK issuer

**2. Reason for the notification** (please mark the appropriate box or boxes with an  )

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights

Other (please specify)<sup>iii</sup>:

**3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation**<sup>iv</sup>

Name Norges Bank

City and country of registered office (if applicable) Oslo, Norway

**4. Full name of shareholder(s)** (if different from 3.)<sup>v</sup>

Name

City and country of registered office (if applicable)

**5. Date on which the threshold was crossed or reached**<sup>vi</sup>: 19/02/2019

**6. Date on which issuer notified (DD/MM/YYYY):** 20/02/2019

**7. Total positions of person(s) subject to the notification obligation**

|   | <b>% of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8. A)</b> | <b>% of voting rights through financial instruments (total of 8.B 1 + 8.B 2)</b> | <b>Total of both in % (8.A + 8.B)</b> | <b>Total number of voting rights of issuer</b> <sup>vii</sup> |
|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed or reached | 3.07%  | 0.00%  | 3.07%                                 | 2,112,071,796   |
| Position of previous notification (if applicable)                         | 2.99%  | 0.00%  | 2.99%                                 |   |

**8. Notified details of the resulting situation on the date on which the threshold was crossed or reached<sup>viii</sup>****A: Voting rights attached to shares**

| Class/type of shares    | Number of voting rights <sup>ix</sup>         |  | % of voting rights                            |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|---|--|
|                         | Direct<br>(Art 9 of Directive<br>2004/109/EC) | Indirect<br>(Art 10 of Directive<br>2004/109/EC) | Direct<br>(Art 9 of Directive<br>2004/109/EC) | Indirect<br>(Art 10 of Directive<br>2004/109/EC) |
| ISIN code (if possible) | (DTR5.1)                                      | (DTR5.2.1)                                       | (DTR5.1)                                      | (DTR5.2.1)                                       |
| GB00BH0P3Z91            | 64,753,649                                    |  | 3.07%   |  |
| <b>SUBTOTAL 8. A</b>    |   | 64,753,649                                       |   | 3.07%  |

**B 1: Financial Instruments according to Art. 13(1)(a) of Directive 2004/109/EC (DTR5.3.1.1 (a))**

| Type of financial instrument | Expiration<br>date <sup>x</sup> | Exercise/<br>Conversion Period <sup>xi</sup> | Number of voting<br>rights that may be<br>acquired<br>if the<br>instrument<br>is | % of voting<br>rights |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------|
|                              |                                 |  | exercised/converted.   |                       |
|                              |                                 |  |  |                       |
|                              |                                 |  |  |                       |

**SUBTOTAL 8. B 1****B 2: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect according to Art. 13(1)(b) of Directive 2004/109/EC (DTR5.3.1.1 (b))**

| Type of financial instrument | Expiration<br>date <sup>x</sup> | Exercise/<br>Conversion<br>Period <sup>xi</sup> | Physical or<br>cash<br>settlement <sup>xii</sup> | Number of     | % of voting<br>rights |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--|---------------|-----------------------|
|                              |                                 |   |  | voting rights |                       |
|                              |                                 |   |  |               |                       |
|                              |                                 |   |  |               |                       |

**SUBTOTAL 8.B.2**

**9. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation** (please mark the applicable box with an X )

Person subject to the notification obligation is not controlled by any natural person or legal entity and does not control any other undertaking(s) holding directly or indirectly an interest in the (underlying) issuer<sup>xiii</sup>

Full chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity<sup>xiv</sup> (please add additional rows as necessary)

| Name <sup>xv</sup> | % of voting rights if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | % of voting rights through financial instruments if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | Total of both if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold |
|--------------------|--|--|---|
|                    |  |  |   |
|                    |  |  |   |
|                    |  |  |   |

**10. In case of proxy voting, please identify:**

Name of the proxy holder

The number and % of voting rights held

The date until which the voting rights will be held

**11. Additional information<sup>xvi</sup>**

**Place of completion** Oslo, Norway

**Date of completion** 20/02/2019

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.

BHP Group Limited and BHP Group Plc

Date: February 21, 2019

By: /s/ Rachel Agnew

Name: Rachel Agnew

Title: Company Secretary