SKYEPHARMA PLC Form 6-K April 17, 2007

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

# **REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a - 16 OR 15d - 16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of April, 2007

SkyePharma PLC

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

SkyePharma PLC, 105 Piccadilly, London W1J 7NJ England

(Address of principal executive office)

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

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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

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SkyePharma PLC ("the Company") Notification of Major Interest in Shares

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In accordance with paragraph 5.1.2 of the Disclosure and Transparency Rules, the Company has received a notification dated 13 April 2007 from Aviva plc and its subsidiaries ("Aviva") stating that as at 11 April 2007, it held a notifiable interest of 83,999,653 shares in SkyePharma PLC, which represents 10.31% of the voting rights in the Company. 9.62% are held directly and 0.69% are held indirectly.

Direct holdings:	BNY Norwich Union Nominees Limited Chase GA Group Nominees Limited Chase Nominees Limited CUIM Nominee Limited Vidacos Nominees Limited	19,270,661 shares 41,674,191 shares 1,381,373 shares 15,859,401 shares <u>222,791 shares</u> 78,408,417 shares (9.62%)
Indirect holdings:	Chase Nominees Limited CUIM Nominee Limited Vidacos Nominees Limited	1,361,734 shares 859,130 shares <u>3,370,372 shares</u> 5,591,236 Shares (0.69%)

Prior to the triggering transaction, Aviva held 43,183,326 Ordinary Shares and notifies the Company that the percentage thresholds that have been crossed are 6% to 10% (inclusive) at the combined interest level.

#### 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.

#### **SkyePharma PLC**

By: /s/ John Murphy

Name: John Murphy Title: Company Secretary

Date: April 17, 2007