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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSIONS

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15a-16 OF

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of May 2003

SCOTTISH POWER PLC

(Translation of Registrant s Name Into English)

CORPORATE OFFICE, 1 ATLANTIC QUAY, GLASGOW, G2 8SP

(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.) Form 20-F $\,^{\circ}$ Form 40-F $\,^{\circ}$

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1. Anno	ouncement of Scottish Pov	wer plc, dated May 7, 2003, regardi	ing seven-year	contract with Clydeport.
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	nt to the requirements of tigned, thereunto duly auth		4, the registran	t has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the
				/s/ Scottish Power plc (Registrant)
Date	May 7, 2003		By:	/s/ Alan McCulloch
				Assistant Company Secretary

Stock Exchang	<u>e Announcement</u>	Wednesday	<u> 7 May</u>

SCOTTISHPOWER AGREES MAJOR CONTRACT WITH CLYDEPORT

ScottishPower is pleased to announce that it has reached a seven-year agreement with Peel Holdings, owners of Clydeport, for the management of imported coal deliveries to Longannet Power Station. The deal is estimated to generate £70m of incremental value over its seven year term.

Charles Berry, Executive Director, UK, said: This is an excellent deal for ScottishPower and provides a robust solution for our coal supply in Scotland, in partnership with Clydeport. By entering into a longer term deal, we have been able to unlock significant value for our generation business through reduced costs and more efficient operations.

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