# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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 November 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 x Form 40-F  $\ddot{}$ 

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1. Announcement of Scottish Power plc, dated November 4, 2003, regarding ADS dividend declaration.

#### 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.

/s/ Scottish Power plc

(Registrant)

Date November 4, 2003

By: /s/ Donald McPherson

Donald McPherson

Assistant Company Secretary

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ADS Dividend Declaration

On 4 November 2003, ScottishPower announced in the Company s interim results, that the dividend for the second quarter ended 30 September 2003 was 4.75 pence per ordinary share. The dividend will be payable on 15 December 2003 to shareholders on the register on 14 November 2003.

This is to confirm that the dividend rate per American Depository Share (ADS) is \$0.3207. The ADS dividend will be paid on 15 December 2003 to ADS holders of record on 14 November 2003.

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