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

For the month of March, 2012

Commission File Number: 1-32575

Royal Dutch Shell plc

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

30, Carel van Bylandtlaan, 2596 HR The Hague The Netherlands

(Address of principal executive office)

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Royal Dutch Shell plc: Buyback of Own Shares LONDON, March 29, 2012/PRNewswire-FirstCall/ --Royal Dutch Shell plc (NYSE: RDS.A)(NYSE: RDS.B) announces that on 29 March, 2012 it purchased for cancellation 717,134 "B" Shares at a price of 2201.26 pence per share. Following the cancellation of these shares, the remaining number of "A" Shares of Royal Dutch Shell plc will be 3,696,048,510 and the remaining number of "B" Shares of Royal Dutch Shell plc will be 2,660,686,038

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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.

		Royal Dutch Shell plc	
Date: 30 March 2012	By:	/s/ M.C.M. Brandjes	
		: M.C.M. Brandjes Company Secretary	