

PRICING SUPPLEMENT

Pricing Supplement dated 15 May 2018

HSBC Bank plc

Programme for the Issuance of Notes and Warrants

Issue of USD 300,000 Variable Coupon Automatic Early Redemption Index-Linked Notes due May 2025 linked to a Basket of Indices

PART A - CONTRACTUAL TERMS

This document constitutes the pricing supplement (the "**Pricing Supplement**") relating to the issue of the Tranche of Notes described herein for the purposes of listing on the Official List of the Irish Stock Exchange and must be read in conjunction with the offering memorandum dated 09 June 2017 as supplemented from time to time (the "**Offering Memorandum**") which, together with this Pricing Supplement, constitute listing particulars for the purposes of listing on the Global Exchange Market. Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the terms and conditions of the Notes, including the Terms and Conditions of the Equity Linked Notes, and Index Linked Notes (the "**Conditions**") set forth in the Offering Memorandum.

Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of this Pricing Supplement and the Offering Memorandum. The Offering Memorandum is available for viewing at HSBC Bank plc, 8 Canada Square, London E14 5HQ, United Kingdom and www.hsbc.com (please follow the links to 'Investor relations', 'Fixed income investors', 'Issuance programmes') and copies may be obtained from HSBC Bank plc, 8 Canada Square, London E14 5HQ, United Kingdom.

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It is advisable that investors considering acquiring any Notes understand the risks of transactions involving the Notes and it is advisable that they reach an investment decision after carefully considering, with their financial, legal, regulatory, tax, accounting and other advisers, the suitability of the Notes in light of their particular circumstances (including without limitation their own financial circumstances and investment objectives and the impact the Notes will have on their overall investment portfolio) and the information contained in the Offering Memorandum and this Pricing Supplement. Investors should consider carefully the risk factors set forth under "Risk Factors" in the Offering Memorandum.

1	Issuer:	HSBC Bank plc
2	Tranche number:	1
3	Currency :	
	(i) Denomination Currency:	United States Dollar ("USD")
	(ii) Settlement Currency:	USD
4	Aggregate Principal Amount of Notes:	
	(i) Series:	USD 300,000
	(ii) Tranche:	USD 300,000
5	Issue Price:	100 per cent. of the Aggregate Principal Amount
6	(i) Denomination(s) (Condition 2 (b)):	USD 1,000
	(ii) Calculation Amount:	The Denomination
	(iii) Aggregate Outstanding Nominal Amount Rounding	Not applicable
7	(i) Issue Date:	16 May 2018
	(ii) Interest Commencement Date:	Issue Date
	(iii) Trade Date:	04 May 2018
8	Maturity Date: (Condition 7(a))	16 May 2025 adjusted in accordance with Following Business Day Convention, subject to early redemption on an Automatic Early Redemption Date (see paragraph 34 below).
9	Change of interest or redemption basis:	Not applicable

PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

10	Fixed Rate Note provisions: (Condition 4)	Not applicable
11	Floating Rate Note provisions: (Condition 5)	Not applicable
12	Zero Coupon Note provisions: (Condition 6)	Not applicable
13	Equity-/ Index-Linked Interest Note and other variable-linked interest Note provisions:	Applicable
	(i) Index/formula/other variable:	The Basket of Indices as defined in the paragraph 31(i) below

(ii) Provisions for determining interest where calculated by reference to Equity/Index and/or formula and/or other variable:

Unless the Notes have been previously redeemed, or purchased and cancelled in accordance with the Conditions,

(a) if the Calculation Agent determines that, on an Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date_j (as defined in paragraph 34 and Annex 2 below), WO_j is greater than or equal to the Coupon Level_j; the amount of interest payable on the immediately succeeding Variable Coupon Interest Payment Date_j shall be an amount in the Settlement Currency (the "**Variable Coupon Amount**") equal to the product of the Calculation Amount and Coupon_j

Otherwise, no coupon will be paid.

(b) if the Calculation Agent determines that, on the Valuation Date (as defined in paragraph 32 below), WO_{final} is greater than or equal to 72.50 per cent., the amount of interest payable on the Maturity Date shall be an amount in the Settlement Currency (the "**Variable Coupon Amount**") equal to the product of the Calculation Amount and 3 per cent.

Otherwise, no coupon will be paid.

Where:

"WO_j" means the lowest performance (expressed as a percentage) among the Indices as determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$\text{Min}_{i=1 \text{ to } 2} \left(\frac{S_j^i}{S_0^i} \right)$$

Where:

"S_jⁱ" means, in respect of a Index (Index_i) and an Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date_j, the level of such Index_i on the relevant Exchange at the Valuation Time on such Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date_j, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"S₀ⁱ" means, in respect of a Index (Index_i), the Initial Index Level (as defined in paragraph 31(v) below) of such Index_i.

(iii) Provisions for determining interest where calculation by reference to Equity/Index and/or formula and/or other variable is impossible or impracticable or otherwise disrupted:

See adjustment provisions specified in paragraphs 31(x) and 31(xi) below

(iv) Interest or calculation period(s):

Not applicable

(v) Interest Payment Date(s):	Each date specified as such in the Annex 2 (each a " Variable Coupon Interest Payment Date_j "), adjusted in accordance with Business Day Convention
(vi) Business Day Convention:	Following
(vii) Business Centre(s):	New York
(viii) Minimum Interest Rate:	Not applicable
(ix) Maximum Interest Rate:	Not applicable
(x) Day Count Fraction:	Not applicable

PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

14	Issuer's optional redemption (Call Option): (<i>Condition 7(c)</i>)	Not applicable
15	Noteholder's optional redemption (Put Option): (<i>Condition 7(d)</i>)	Not applicable
16	Final Redemption Amount of each Note: (<i>Condition 7(a)</i>)	See paragraph 17 below
17	Final Redemption Amount of each Note in cases where the Final Redemption Amount is Equity-Linked/ Index-Linked or other variable-linked:	Applicable
	(i) Index/Formula/other variable:	The basket of Indices as defined in paragraph 31(i) below
	(ii) Provisions for determining Final Redemption Amount where calculated by reference to Equity/ Index and/or formula and/or other variable:	<p>Unless previously redeemed or purchased and cancelled, if, on the Valuation Date, the Calculation Agent determines that :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - WO_{final} is greater than or equal to 95 per cent, the Issuer shall redeem the Notes on the Maturity Date at 100 per cent. of par; - WO_{final} is less than 95 per cent. and a Trigger Event has not occurred with respect to any of the Indices, the Issuer shall redeem the Notes on the Maturity Date at 100 per cent. of par; or - WO_{final} is less than 95 per cent and a Trigger Event has occurred with respect to one or more of the Indices, the Issuer shall redeem the Notes by paying on the Maturity Date an amount in the Settlement Currency in respect of each Note determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$\text{Calculation Amount} \times WO_{final} / \text{Strike}$$

Where:

"**Trigger Event**" means, with respect to an Index, that the Final Index Level per Index (at least one), as determined by the Calculation Agent, is lower than the Trigger Level.

"**Trigger Level**" means, with respect to an Index, the level specified as such in Annex 1 with respect to such Index.

"**WO_{final}**" means, in respect of the Valuation Date, the lowest performance (expressed as a percentage) among the Indices as determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$\text{Min}_{i=1 \text{ to } 2} \left(\frac{S_{\text{Final}}^i}{S_0^i} \right)$$

Where:

"**i**" means each Index in the basket, 1 to 2.

"**S_{Final}ⁱ**" means, in respect of an Index (Index_i) and the Valuation Date, the Final Index Level (as defined in paragraph 31(vii) below) of such Index_i.

"**S₀ⁱ**" means, in respect of an Index (Index_i), the Initial Index Level (as defined in paragraph 31(vi) below) of such Index_i.

For information purposes, if more than one Index has the same percentage, the Calculation Agent shall determine which Index is the Worst Performing Index in its sole and absolute discretion.

"**Worst Performing Index**" means the Index for which the performance is the lowest in accordance with the definition of WO_{final}.

"**Strike Level**" means in respect of an Index, 100% of the Initial Index Level of such Index.

"**Strike**" means 100%

- (iii) Provisions for determining Final Redemption Amount where calculation by reference to Equity/ Index and/or Formula and/or other variable is impossible or impracticable or otherwise disrupted: See adjustment provisions specified in paragraphs 31(x) and 31(xi) below

	(iv) Minimum Final Redemption Amount:	Not applicable
	(v) Maximum Final Redemption Amount:	100 per cent. of the nominal amount
18	Instalment Notes: (<i>Condition 7(a)</i>)	Not applicable
19	Early Redemption:	Applicable
	(i) Early Redemption Amount (upon redemption for taxation reasons or illegality): (<i>Conditions 7(b) or 7(f)</i>)	Fair Market Value
	(ii) Early Redemption Amount (upon redemption following an Event of Default): (<i>Condition 11</i>)	Fair Market Value
	(iii) Other redemption provisions: (<i>Condition 7(i)</i>)	Not applicable

GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES

20	Form of Notes: (<i>Condition 2(a)</i>)	Bearer Notes
21	New Global Note:	No
22	If issued in bearer form:	
	(i) Initially represented by a Temporary Global Note or Permanent Global Note:	Temporary Global Note
	(ii) Temporary Global Note exchangeable for Permanent Global Note and/or Definitive Notes: (<i>Condition 2(a)</i>)	Yes Temporary Global Note exchangeable for Permanent Global Note which is exchangeable for Definitive Notes only in the limited circumstances specified in the Permanent Global Note
	(iii) Permanent Global Note exchangeable at the option of the Issuer in circumstances where the Issuer would suffer material	Yes

disadvantage following a change of law or regulation:

(iv)	Coupons to be attached to Definitive Notes:	Yes
(v)	Talons for future Coupons to be attached to Definitive Notes:	No
23	Exchange Date for exchange of Temporary Global Note:	Not earlier than 40 days after the Issue Date
24	If issued in registered form:	Not applicable
25	Payments: (<i>Condition 9</i>)	
(i)	Relevant Financial Centre Day:	New York
(ii)	Payment of Alternative Payment Currency Equivalent:	Not applicable
(iii)	Conversion provisions:	Not applicable
(iv)	Underlying Currency Pair provisions:	Not applicable
(v)	Price Source Disruption:	Not applicable
(vi)	EM Price Source Disruption:	Not applicable
(vii)	LBMA Physical Settlement provisions:	Not applicable
26	Redenomination: (<i>Condition 10</i>)	Not applicable
27	Other terms:	See Annexes

PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO INDEX-LINKED NOTES AND EQUITY-LINKED NOTES

28	Physical Delivery:	Not applicable
29	Provisions for Equity-Linked Notes:	Not applicable
30	Additional provisions for Equity-Linked Notes:	Not applicable
31	Provisions for Index-Linked Notes:	Applicable

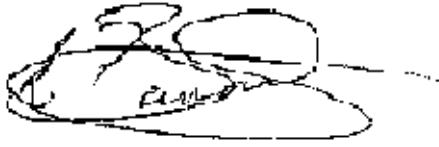
	(i)	Index(ices):	The indices comprising the basket specified in Annex 1 below The EURO STOXX 50 is a Multiple Exchange Index
	(ii)	Index Sponsor:	With respect to each Index, the entity specified as such in respect of such Index in Annex 1
	(iii)	Index Rules:	Not applicable
	(iv)	Exchange(s):	With respect to each Index, each exchange or quotation system specified as such in respect of such Index in Annex 1
	(v)	Related Exchange(s):	With respect to each Index, each exchange or quotation system specified as such in respect of such Index in Annex 1
	(vi)	Initial Index Level:	See Annex 1
	(vii)	Final Index Level:	The definition in Condition 22(a) applies
	(viii)	Strike Date:	04 May 2018
	(ix)	Reference Level:	Not applicable
	(x)	Adjustments to Indices:	Condition 22(f) applies
	(xi)	China Connect Underlying:	No
	(xii)	Additional Disruption Event:	The following Additional Disruption Events apply: Change in Law, Hedging Disruption, Increased Cost of Hedging
	(xiii)	Index Substitution:	Not applicable
32		Valuation Date(s):	06 May 2025, subject to postponement in accordance with Condition 22(e)
	(i)	Specified Maximum Number of Disrupted Days:	The definition in Condition 22(a) applies
	(ii)	Number of local banking days for the purpose of postponing Disrupted Day Related Payment Dates pursuant to Condition 22(e):	3
33		Averaging Dates:	Not applicable
34		Other terms or special conditions relating to Index-Linked Notes or Equity-Linked Notes:	Applicable
	(i)	Knock-in Event:	Not applicable
	(ii)	Knock-out Event:	Not applicable
	(iii)	Automatic Early Redemption Event:	Applicable

- Automatic Redemption Valuation Date(s):	Early	If WO _j (as defined in paragraph 13(ii) above) is greater than or equal to the Automatic Early Redemption Level as of any Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date _j
- Automatic Redemption Valuation Date:	Early	Each date specified as such in Annex 2 ("j" ranking from 2 to 14) (each an " Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date_j "). Each Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date shall be subject to postponement in accordance with Condition 22(e) as if each reference to "Valuation Date" in such Condition was deemed to be a reference to "Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date".
- Automatic Redemption Date(s):	Early	Each date specified as such in the Annex 2 (each an " Automatic Early Redemption Date_j ") ("j" ranking from 2 to 14) subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention
- Automatic Redemption Price(s):	Early	Each level specified as such in the Annex 2 (each an " Automatic Early Redemption Level_j ") ("j" ranking from 2 to 14)
- Automatic Redemption Amount:	Early	Each amount specified as such in Annex 2 ("j" ranking from 2 to 14) (each an " Automatic Early Redemption Amount_j ")
(iv) Interest Adjustment:		Not applicable

DISTRIBUTION

35	(i) If syndicated, names of Relevant Dealer(s):	Not applicable
	(ii) If syndicated, names of other Dealers (if any):	Not applicable
36	Prohibition of Sales to EEA Retail Investors:	Not applicable
37	Selling restrictions: United States of America:	TEFRA D Rules Notes may not be offered or sold within the United States of America or to, or for the account or the benefit of a U.S. Person (as defined in Regulation S).
	Exemption(s) from requirements under Directive 2003/711/EC (as amended) (the " Prospectus Directive "):	The offer is addressed to investors who will acquire Notes for a consideration of at least EUR 100,000 (or equivalent amount in another currency) per investor for each separate offer.
38	Additional selling restrictions:	Not applicable
39	Additional U.S. federal income tax considerations:	The Notes are not Section 871(m) Notes for the purpose of Section 871(m).

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HSBC BANK PLC



By: -----
Authorised Signatory

Date: -----

PART B - OTHER INFORMATION

1 LISTING

- (i) Listing: Application will be made to admit the Notes to listing on the Official List of the Irish Stock Exchange on or around the Issue Date. No assurance can to be given as to whether or not, or when, such application will be granted.
- (ii) Admission to trading: Application will be made for the Notes to be admitted to trading on the Global Exchange Market with effect from the Issue Date. No assurance can to be given as to whether or not, or when, such application will be granted.
- (iii) Estimated total expenses of EUR 600 admission to trading:

2 RATINGS

Ratings: The Notes are not rated

3 INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ISSUE

Save for any fees payable to the Dealer(s) (if any) so far as the Issuer is aware, no person involved in the issue of the Notes has an interest material to the issue. The Dealer(s), and its affiliates have engaged, and may in future engage, in investment banking and/or commercial banking transactions with, and may perform other services for, the Issuer and its affiliates in the ordinary course of business.

4 PERFORMANCE OF INDEX/FORMULA/OTHER VARIABLE, AND OTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING THE UNDERLYING

details of past and future performance and volatility of the Indices can be obtained from NKY, SX5E

OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

- 5 ISIN Code: XS1820791207
- 6 Common Code: 182079120
- 7 CUSIP: Not applicable
- 8 Valoren Number: Not applicable
- 9 SEDOL: Not applicable

- 10** WKN: Not applicable
- 11** New Global Note intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility: No. Whilst the designation is specified as "No" at the date of this Pricing Supplement, should the Eurosystem eligibility criteria be amended in the future such that the Notes are capable of meeting them, then the Issuer may (in its absolute discretion) elect to deposit the Notes with one of the ICSDs as common safekeeper. Note that this does not necessarily mean that the Notes will be recognised as eligible collateral for Eurosystem monetary policy and intra day credit operations by the Eurosystem at any time during their life. Such recognition will depend upon the ECB being satisfied that Eurosystem eligibility criteria have been met.
- 12** Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg and the relevant identification number(s): None
- 13** Delivery: Delivery against payment
- 14** Settlement procedures: Medium Term Note
- 15** Additional Paying Agent(s) (if any): None
- 16** Common Depositary: HSBC Bank plc
- 17** Calculation Agent: HSBC Bank plc
- 18** ERISA Considerations: ERISA Prohibited

ANNEX 1

(This annex forms part of the Pricing Supplement to which it is attached)

Information in relation to underlying Indices

"i"	Indices	Bloomberg	Index Sponsor	Exchange	Related Exchange	Initial Index Level	Trigger Level
1	NIKKEI225	NKY	Nikon Keizai Shinbun, Inc	Tokyo Stock Exchange	All Exchanges	22467.16	16288.69
2	EURO STOXX 50	SX5E	STOXX Limited	The regulated markets or quotation systems (or any substituting market or system) on which the shares which compose the Index are mainly traded	All Exchanges	3550.59	2574.18

ANNEX 2

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"j"	Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date _j	Automatic Early Redemption Date _j	Automatic Early Redemption Level _j	Automatic Early Redemption Amount _j	Variable Coupon Interest Payment Date _j	Coupon Level _j	Coupon _j
1	14 May 2018*	None	None	None	16 May 2018	0.00%	1.75%
2	05 Nov 2018*	16 Nov 2018	95.00%	100.00%	16 Nov 2018	72.50%	3.00%
3	02 May 2019*	16 May 2019	95.00%	100.00%	16 May 2019	72.50%	3.00%
4	05 Nov 2019*	18 Nov 2019	95.00%	100.00%	18 Nov 2019	72.50%	3.00%
5	30 Apr 2020*	18 May 2020	95.00%	100.00%	18 May 2020	72.50%	3.00%
6	02 Nov 2020*	16 Nov 2020	95.00%	100.00%	16 Nov 2020	72.50%	3.00%
7	30 Apr 2021*	17 May 2021	95.00%	100.00%	17 May 2021	72.50%	3.00%
8	02 Nov 2021*	16 Nov 2021	95.00%	100.00%	16 Nov 2021	72.50%	3.00%
9	28 Apr 2022*	16 May 2022	95.00%	100.00%	16 May 2022	72.50%	3.00%
10	02 Nov 2022*	16 Nov 2022	95.00%	100.00%	16 Nov 2022	72.50%	3.00%
11	28 Apr 2023*	16 May 2023	95.00%	100.00%	16 May 2023	72.50%	3.00%
12	06 Nov 2023*	16 Nov 2023	95.00%	100.00%	16 Nov 2023	72.50%	3.00%
13	06 May 2024*	16 May 2024	95.00%	100.00%	16 May 2024	72.50%	3.00%
14	05 Nov 2024*	18 Nov 2024	95.00%	100.00%	18 Nov 2024	72.50%	3.00%
15	None	None	None	None	The Maturity Date	72.50%	3.00%

* Subject to postponement in accordance with Condition 22(e)

ANNEX [3]

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