#### PRICING SUPPLEMENT

Pricing Supplement dated 13 October 2021

#### HSBC Bank plc

(a company incorporated in England with registered number 14259; the liability of its members is limited)

#### Programme for the issue of Notes and Warrants

#### Issue of EUR 31,050,000 Variable Coupon Automatic Early Redemption Index-Linked Notes due October 2026 linked to EURO STOXX Banks Price EUR

#### 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 plc trading as Euronext Dublin ("**Euronext Dublin**") and must be read in conjunction with the offering memorandum dated 2 June 2021 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. The Alternative Note General Conditions do not apply.

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 <u>www.hsbc.com</u> (please follow the links to 'Investors', 'Fixed income investors', 'Issuance programmes') and copies may be obtained from HSBC Bank plc, 8 Canada Square, London E14 5HQ, United Kingdom.

The Offering Memorandum does not comprise (i) a base prospectus for the purposes of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, as amended (the "EUWA") (the "UK Prospectus Regulation") or (ii) a base prospectus for the purposes of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 (as amended, the "EU Prospectus Regulation"). The Offering Memorandum has been prepared solely with regard to Notes that are not to be admitted to listing or trading on any regulated market for the purposes of Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, "MiFID II") or Regulation (EU) No 600/2014 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the EUWA ("UK MiFIR") and not to be offered to the public in the United Kingdom (the "UK") (other than pursuant to one or more of the exemptions set out in Section 86 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (as amended, the "FSMA")) or a Member State of the European Economic Area (other than pursuant to one or more of the exemptions set out in Article 1(4) of the EU Prospectus Regulation).

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) Settlement Currency:	Euro (EUR)
	(ii) Denomination Currency:	EUR
4.	Aggregate Principal Amount of Notes:	
	(a) Series:	EUR 31,050,000
	(b) Tranche:	EUR 31,050,000
5.	Issue Price:	100 per cent of the Aggregate Principal Amount
6.	(i) Denomination(s): (Condition 2)	EUR 1,000
	(ii) Calculation Amount:	The Denomination
	(iii) Aggregate Outstanding Nominal Amount Rounding:	Not applicable
7.	(i) Issue Date:	14 October 2021
	(ii) Interest Commencement Date:	Issue Date
	(iii) Trade Date:	30 September 2021
8.	<b>Maturity Date:</b> ( <i>Condition 7(a</i> ))	7 October 2026, subject to early redemption on an Automatic Early Redemption Date and adjusted in accordance with the Following Business Day Convention.
9.	Change of Interest Basis or Redemption basis:	Not applicable
PROVIS	SIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) I	PAYABLE
10.	<b>Fixed Rate Note Provisions:</b> (Condition 4)	Not Applicable
11.	<b>Floating Rate Note provisions:</b> (Condition 5)	Not applicable
12.	<b>Zero Coupon Note provisions:</b> (Condition 6)	Not applicable
13.	Equity/Index-Linked Interest Note/ other variable-linked interest Note provisions	Applicable
	(i) Index/formula/other variable:	The Index as defined in the paragraph 31(i) below.

 Provisions for determining interest where calculated by reference to Equity/ or purchased and Index and/or formula and/or other variable;
 Unless the Notes or purchased and Conditions:

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<sub>j</sub> (as defined in paragraph 35(iii) below), the Perfj is greater than or equal to75.0000 per cent. of the Initial Index Level (as defined in paragraph 31 (vi) below), the Variable Coupon (the "**Coupon**<sub>j</sub>") payable on the immediately succeeding Variable Coupon Interest Payment Date<sub>j</sub> shall be an amount in the Settlement Currency determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$\text{Coupon}_{j} = i \times y \% - \sum_{k=0}^{j-1} \text{Coupon}_{k}$$

Otherwise, no coupon will be paid.

(b) if the Calculation Agent determines that, on the Valuation Date (as defined in paragraph 33 below), thePerfj is greater than or equal to 75.0000 per cent. of the Initial Index Level, the Variable Coupon (the "**Coupon**<sub>j=5</sub>" payable on the Maturity Date shall be an amount in the Settlement Currency determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

 $\text{Coupon}_{j=5} = 5 \times y \% - \sum_{k=0}^{5-1} \text{Coupon}_{k}$ 

Where:

"y" equals 6.7200%

**"i"** means, for 1 to 5, each a Variable Coupon Payment Date<sub>i</sub>

(For avoidance of doubt, "Coupon<sub>i=0</sub>" means zero.

Otherwise, no Variable Coupon will be paid.

Where:

Perfj = Sj/Sinitial

"Sj"means, in respect of the Securities and Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Datej or the Val uation Date, the price of such Securities, at the Valuation Time on such Date

"Sinitial" means the Initial Price of the Securities

- (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(xii) below.
- (iv) Interest or Calculation Period(s): Not applicable
- (v) Interest Payment Date(s): Each date specified as such in Annex 1 (each a "Variable Coupon Interest Payment Date<sub>j</sub>"), adjusted in accordance with Business Day Convention and subject (except in the case of the Maturity Date) to early redemption on an Automatic Early Redemption Date.
- (vi) Business Day Convention Following Business Day
- (vii) Business Centre: TARGET
- (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): Not applicable (Condition 7(c)) 15. Not applicable Noteholders optional redemption (Put **Option**): (Condition 7(d)) 16. See paragraph 17 below **Final Redemption Amount of each Note:** (Condition 7(a)) 17. Applicable Final Redemption Amount of each Note in cases where the Final Redemption Amount is Equity-Linked/ Index-Linked or other variablelinked: (i) Index/formula/other variable: The Index as defined in paragraph 31(i) below. (ii) Provisions for determining Final Unless previously redeemed or purchased and Redemption Amount where calculated cancelled, if, on the Valuation Date, the Calculation by reference to Equity/ Index and/or Agent determines that : formula and/or other variable;

(a) the Final Index Level (as defined in paragraph 31(vii) below) is greater than or equal to 85.00 per cent, the Issuer shall redeem the Notes on the Maturity Date at EUR 1,000 per Calculation Amount;

(b) the Final Index Level is less than the 85.00 per cent a Trigger Event has not occurred, the Issuer shall redeem the Notes on the Maturity Date at EUR 1,000 per Calculation Amount; or

(c) the Final Index Level is less than 85.00 per cent, and a Trigger Event has occurred, 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:

Calculation Amount x Final Index Level / Strike Level

Where:

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**"Strike Level"** means 100.0000% of the Initial Index Level.

**"Trigger Event"** means that the Final Index Level, as determined by the Calculation Agent, is **less** than the Trigger Level..

**"Trigger Level"** means 50.0000% of the Inital (as defined in paragraph 31(vi) below) Index Level

(i	<ul> <li>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 otherwis disrupted:</li> </ul>	
(i	iv) Minimum Final Redemption Amount:	Not applicable
(	v) Maximum Final Redemption Amount:	Not applicable
	<b>nstalment Notes:</b> <i>Condition 7(a)</i> )	Not applicable
E	Carly Redemption:	Applicable
(i	i) Early Redemption Amount (upon redemption for taxation reasons or illegality):	Fair Market Value

(Condition 7(b) or 7(f))

	(ii)	Early Redemption Amount (upon redemption following an Event of Default): ( <i>Condition 11</i> )	Fair Market Value
	(iii)	Early Redemption Amount (upon redemption following an FX Disruption Event or Benchmark Trigger Event):	Fair Market Value
		(Condition $9(f)(Y)$ or $15A$ )	
	(iv)	Other redemption provisions:	Not applicable
GENERAL	PRO	VISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOT	TES
20.		n of Notes: dition 2(a))	Bearer Notes
21.	New	Global Note:	No
22.	If iss	ued in bearer form:	Applicable
	(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:	Temporary Global Note exchangeable for a Permanent Global Note which is exchangeable for Definitive Notes only in limited circumstances
		(Condition 2(a))	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 disadvantage following a change in law or regulation:	Yes
	(iv)	Coupons to be attached to Definitive Notes:	Yes
	(v)	Talons for future Coupons to be attached to Definitive Notes:	No
23.	Excl Glob	nange Date for exchange of Temporary	Not earlier than 40 days after the Issue Date.

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**Global Note:** 

24.		ued in registered form (other than ertificated Registered Notes):	Not applicable
25.	-	nents: dition 9)	
	(i)	Relevant Financial Centre Day:	TARGET
	(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.		enomination: dition 10)	Not applicable
27.	Other	r Terms:	See Annex[es]
27.	Other	r Terms:	See Annex[es]
			The definition of Alternative Exchange in the Offering Memorandum shall be deleted and replaced with the following:
			"Alternative Exchange" means, in relation to any Securities, an exchange or quotation system on which the Securities are re-listed, re-traded or re-quoted and which is located in the same country as the Exchange (or, where the Exchange is within the European Union or the United Kingdom, in any member state of the European Union or the United Kingdom), unless (in any such case) the Calculation Agent determines that the listing, trading or quotation on such exchange or quotation system will materially alter the risk profile of the Notes (in which case such exchange or quotation system shall not constitute an "Alternative Exchange");".

# 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.	Prov	isions for Index-Linked Notes:	Applicable
	(i)	Index(ices):	EURO STOXX Banks Price EUR
			Bloomberg Code: SX7E
			The EURO STOXX Banks Price EUR Index (Bloomberg Code: SX7E) is a Multiple Exchange Index
	(ii)	Index Sponsor:	STOXX Limited
	(iii)	Index Rules:	Not applicable
	(iv)	Exchange(s):	The regulated markets or quotation systems (or any substituting market or system) on which the shares which compose the Index are mainly traded.
	(v)	Related Exchanges(s):	All Exchanges
	(vi)	Initial Index Level	100.31
	(vii)	Final Index Level	The definition in Condition 22(a) applies
	(viii)	Strike Date:	30 Sep 2021
	(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
	(xiv)	Alternative Pre-nominated Index:	Not applicable
32.	Valu	ation Date(s):	30 September 2026 subject to postponement in accordance with Condition 22(e)
	(i)	Specified Maximum Number of Disrupted Days:	Eighth Scheduled Trading Day
	(ii)	Number of local banking days for the purpose of postponing Disrupted Day Related Payment Dates pursuant to Condition 22(e):	3
33.	Valu	ation Time:	The definition in Condition 22(a) applies
34.	Aver	aging Dates:	Not applicable

	er terms or special conditions relating to x-Linked Notes or Equity-Linked Notes:	Applicable
(i)	Knock-in Event:	Not applicable
(ii)	Knock-out Event:	Not applicable
(iii)	Automatic Early Redemption Event:	The Perfj is greater than or equal to the Automa Early Redemption Level as of any Automatic Ear Redemption Valuation Date <sub>j</sub>
		Where:
		Perfj = Sj/Sinitial
		"Sj"means, in respect of the Securities and Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Datej or to Valuation Date, the price of such Securities, at the Valuation Time on such Date
		"Sinitial" means the Initial Price of the Securities
	-Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date(s):	<sup>1</sup> Each date specified as such in Annex 1 ( ranking from 1 to 4) (each an " <b>Automatic Ea</b> <b>Redemption Valuation Date</b> <sub>j</sub> ").
		Each Automatic Early Redemption Valuation D shall be subject to postponement in accordance w Condition 22(e) as if each reference to "Valuati Date" in such Condition was deemed to be a referen to "Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date"
	- Automatic Early Redemption Level:	Each price specified as such in the Annex 1, (each an " <b>Automatic Early Redemption Level</b> <sub>j</sub> ") ("j" ranking from 1 to 4 )
	- Automatic Early Redemption Date(s):	Each date specified as such in Annex 1 ( ranking from 1 to 4) (each an "Automa Early Redemption Date <sub>j</sub> "), subject to adjustme
		in accordance with the Following Business D Convention
	- Automatic Early Redemption Amount:	in accordance with the Following Business D Convention Each amount specified as such in the Annex 1, (ea
	<ul> <li>Automatic Early Redemption Amount:</li> <li>Accrued interest payable on Automatic Early Redemption Date:</li> </ul>	in accordance with the Following Business D Convention Each amount specified as such in the Annex 1, (ea an "Automatic Early Redemption Amount <sub>j</sub> ") ( ranking from 1 to 4 )

## **DISTRIBUTION:**

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36.	(i)	If syndicated, names of Relevant	Not applicable
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Dealer (s) / Lead Manager(s): Not applicable (ii) If syndicated, names of other Dealers / Manager (if any): 37. **Prohibition of Sales to EEA Retail** Not applicable **Investors:** 39. Prohibition of Sales to UK Retail Investors: Not applicable 39. **Selling Restrictions: TEFRA D Rules** Notes may not be offered or sold within the United United States of America: States of America or to, or for the account or the benefit of a U.S. Person (as defined in Regulation S). 40-Day Distribution Compliance Period: Not applicable 40. Exemption(s) from requirements under The offer is addressed to investors who will acquire Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 (as amended, the Notes for a consideration of at least EUR 100,000 (or "EU Prospectus Regulation"): equivalent amount in another currency) per investor for each separate offer. 41. Exemption(s) from requirements under The offer is addressed to investors who will acquire Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 as it forms part of Notes for a consideration of at least EUR100,000 (or domestic law by virtue of the EUWA (the "UK equivalent amount in another currency) per investor **Prospectus Regulation**"): for each separate offer. Additional U.S. federal income tax 42. The Notes are not Section 871(m) Notes for the considerations: purpose of Section 871(m). 43. Additional selling restrictions: Not applicable

## CONFIRMED

Signed on behalf of HSBC Bank plc:

Ben Ware 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 Euronext Dublin on or around the Issue Date. No assurance can 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 be given as to whether or not, or when, such application will be granted.
(iii)	Estimated total expenses of admission to trading:	EUR 1,000.00

# 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 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 underlying can be obtained from *Bloomberg*.

## 5. **REASONS FOR THE OFFER**

Not applicable

#### **OPERATIONAL INFORMATION**

6.	ISIN Code:	XS2395175958
7.	Common Code:	239517595
8.	CUSIP:	Not applicable
9.	Valoren Number:	Not applicable
10.	SEDOL:	Not applicable
11.	WKN:	Not applicable
12.	Other identifier code:	Not applicable

13.	Intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility:	Not applicable
14.	Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg and the relevant identification number(s):	None
15.	Delivery:	Delivery against payment
16.	Settlement procedures:	Medium Term Note
17.	Additional Paying Agent(s) (if any):	None
18.	Common Depositary:	HSBC Bank plc
19.	Calculation Agent:	HSBC Bank plc
20.	ERISA Considerations:	ERISA Prohibited

# ANNEX 1

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

"j"	Automatic Early Redemption Valuation Date <sub>j</sub>	Automatic Early Redemption Date <sub>j</sub>	Variable Coupon Interest Payment Date <sub>j</sub>	Automatic Early Redemption Level <sub>j</sub>	Automatic Early Redemption Amount <sub>j</sub>
1	30 Sep 2022	7 Oct 2022	7 Oct 2022	100.00%	100.00%
2	29 Sep 2023	6 Oct 2023	6 Oct 2023	95.00%	100.00%
3	30 Sep 2024	7 Oct 2024	7 Oct 2024	90.00%	100.00%
4	30 Sep 2025	7 Oct 2025	7 Oct 2025	85.00%	100.00%
5	30 Sep 2026	None	The Maturity Date	None	None

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

## ANNEX 2

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

## STATEMENTS REGARDING THE EURO STOXX® Banks INDEX

## The following statement is required by the licensor of the EURO STOXX® Banks Index:

STOXX Limited ("**STOXX**") has no relationship to the Issuer other than the licensing of the EURO STOXX® Banks Index and the related trademarks for use in connection with the Notes.

#### STOXX does not:

 $\cdot$  Sponsor, endorse, sell or promote the Notes.

· Recommend that any person invest in the Notes or any other securities.

 $\cdot$  Have any responsibility or liability for or make any decisions about the timing, amount or pricing of Notes.

· Have any responsibility or liability for the administration, management or marketing of the Notes.

 $\cdot$  Consider the needs of the Notes or the owners of the Notes in determining, composing or calculating the EURO STOXX® Banks Index or have any obligation to do so.

STOXX will not have any liability in connection with the Notes. Specifically,

STOXX does not make any warranty, express or implied and disclaim any and all warranty about:

• The results to be obtained by the Notes, the owner of the Notes or any other person in connection with the use of the EURO STOXX® Banks Index, and the data included in the EURO STOXX® Banks Index;

The accuracy or completeness of the EURO STOXX® Banks Index and its data;

· The merchantability and the fitness for a particular purpose or use of the EURO STOXX® Banks Index and its data;

STOXX will have no liability for any errors, omissions or interruptions in the EURO STOXX® Banks Index or its data;

Under no circumstances will STOXX be liable for any lost profits or indirect, punitive, special or consequential damages or losses, even if STOXX knows that they might occur.

The licensing agreement between the Issuer and STOXX is solely for their benefit and not for the benefit of the owners of the Notes or any other third parties.