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## **Overseas Regulatory Announcement**

The attached announcement has been released to the other stock exchanges on which HSBC Holdings plc is listed.

The Board of Directors of HSBC Holdings plc as at the date of this announcement are: D J Flint, S T Gulliver, S A Catz<sup>†</sup>, L M L Cha<sup>†</sup>, M K T Cheung<sup>†</sup>, J B Comey<sup>†</sup>, J D Coombe<sup>†</sup>, J Faber<sup>†</sup>, R A Fairhead<sup>†</sup>, R Fassbind<sup>†</sup>, J W J Hughes-Hallett<sup>†</sup>, W S H Laidlaw<sup>†</sup>, J P Lipsky<sup>†</sup>, J R Lomax<sup>†</sup>, I J Mackay and Sir Simon Robertson<sup>†</sup>.

† Independent non-executive Director

Hong Kong Stock Code: 5

## TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:		HSBC Holdings Plc		
2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):				
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights				
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached.				
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments				
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights				
Other (please specify):				
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:		Legal & General Group Plc (L&G	)	
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):				
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:  09 July 2013				
6. Date on which issuer notified: 10 July 2013				

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:				L&G (Below 3%)				
8. Notified detail	s:		·					
A: Voting rights	attached to	shares						
Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of		Number	_	Number of voting rights		% of voting rights	
	Shares	Voting Rights	of shares	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect	
ORD USD 0.50	696,851,431 (As on 09/03/2010)				Below 3%			

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments					
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/ Conversion Period	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights	

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments						
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction						
Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date	Exercise/ Conversion period	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights	
					Nominal	Delta

Total (A+B+C)				
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights			
Below 3%				
9. Chain of controlled undertakings through v financial instruments are effectively held, if a				
Legal & General Group Plc (Direct and Indirect) (Group)				
Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Limited (LGIMH) (Direct and Indirect)				
Legal & General Investment Management Limited (Indirect) (LGIM)				
Legal & General Group Plc (Direct) (L&	&G) (Below 3% = LGAS, LGPL & PMC)			
Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Limited (Direct) (LGIMHD)	Legal & General Insurance Holdings Limited (Direct) (LGIH)			
Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited (PMC)	Legal & General Assurance Society Limited (LGAS & LGPL)			
	Legal & General Pensions Limited (Direct) (LGPL)			

Proxy Voting:				
10. Name of the proxy holder:	N/A			
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	N/A			
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	N/A			

13. Additional information:	Notification using the total voting rights figure of 18,626,630,156
14. Contact name and telephone number for queries:	Angela Hayter (LGIM) 020 3124 3851
15. Name and signature of duly authorised officer of the listed company responsible for making this notification:	Louisa Jenkinson, Senior Assistant Secretary 020 7991 0593
16. Date of notification	11 July 2013