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HSBC Holdings plc

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 comprises: Mark Tucker*, Noel Quinn, Laura Cha†, Henri de Castries†, James Anthony Forese†, Steven Guggenheimer†, Irene Lee†, José Antonio Meade Kuribreña†, Heidi Miller†, Eileen K Murray†, David Nish†, Ewen Stevenson, Jackson Tai† and Pauline van der Meer Mohr†.

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HSBC HOLDINGS PLC

2 November 2020

Notification of a Transaction by a Person Discharging Managerial Responsibilities (“PDMR”)

On 29 October 2020, James Forese acquired 23,000 American Depositary Shares (“ADS”)¹, representing 115,000 US\$0.50 ordinary shares in HSBC Holdings plc. The ADS were acquired at a price of US\$20.97677 per ADS.

¹ADS are categorised as equity derivatives under Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance of Hong Kong. Each ADS represents five HSBC Holdings plc ordinary shares. ADS are traded in New York.

The following disclosure is made in accordance with Article 19 of the EU Market Abuse Regulation 596/2014.

1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated					
Name of natural person		James Forese			
2 - Reason for the notification					
Position/status		Non-executive Director			
Initial notification/amendment		Initial Notification			
3 - Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor					
Full name of the entity		HSBC Holdings plc			
Legal Entity Identifier code		MLU0ZO3ML4LN2LL2TL39			
4 - Details of the transaction(s)					
Transaction(s) summary table					
Date of Transaction	Financial Instrument	Identification Code	Place of Transaction	Currency	
2020-10-29	American Depositary Shares (“ADS”). Each ADS represents five HSBC Holdings plc ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each.	GB0005405286	The New York Stock Exchange	USD – United States Dollar	
Nature of Transaction:			Price	Volume	Total

Acquisition				
		US\$20.98	23,000	US\$482,465.71
	Aggregated	US\$20.977	23,000	US\$482,465.71

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