## HSBC Holdings plc

## Annual General Meeting 25 May 2012

At the Annual General Meeting of HSBC Holdings plc held on 25 May 2012, all resolutions were passed on a poll.
The following table shows the votes cast on each resolution:

| Resolution | Total Votes For (\%) | Total Votes Against (\%) | Votes Total <br> (\% of Issued Share Capital) | Votes Withheld* |
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| 1. To receive the Annual Report and Accounts 2011 | $\begin{gather*} 8,674,241,734 \\ (98.47) \tag{1.53} \end{gather*}$ | $135,201,316$ | 8,809,443,050 <br> (48.51) | 7,347,647 |
| 2. To approve the Directors' Remuneration Report for 2011 | $\begin{gathered} 7,603,837,582 \\ (89.80) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 863,308,512 \\ (10.20) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8,467,146,094 \\ (46.62) \end{gathered}$ | 342,947,482 |
| 3. (a) To re-elect S A Catz a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,804,928,221 \\ (99.89) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 9,610,127 \\ (0.11) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,538,348 <br> (48.53) | 5,875,570 |
| (b) To re-elect L M L Cha a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,648,658,349 \\ (99.45) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 47,870,917 \\ (0.55) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8,696,529,266 \\ (47.88) \end{gathered}$ | 123,714,457 |
| (c) To re-elect M K T Cheung a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,802,099,054 \\ (99.86) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12,615,523 \\ (0.14) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,714,577 <br> (48.53) | 5,630,308 |
| (d) To re-elect J D Coombe a Director | 8,628,180,910 | 186,062,475 | 8,814,243,385 | 5,852,946 |


|  |  | (97.89) | (2.11) | (48.53) |  |
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| (e) | To elect J Faber a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,796,984,821 \\ (99.80) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 17,580,853 \\ (0.20) \end{gathered}$ | $8,814,565,674$ <br> (48.53) | 5,861,373 |
| (f) | To re-elect R A Fairhead a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,743,788,851 \\ (98.66) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 118,900,468 \\ (1.34) \end{gathered}$ | 8,862,689,319 <br> (48.80) | 5,802,585 |
| (g) | To re-elect D J Flint a Director | 8,619,018,008 (98.09) | $\begin{gathered} 168,004,948 \\ (1.91) \end{gathered}$ | 8,787,022,956 <br> (48.38) | 33,368,432 |
| (h) | To re-elect A A Flockhart a Director | 8,774,240,102 (99.54) | $\begin{gathered} 40,569,601 \\ (0.46) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,809,703 <br> (48.54) | 5,687,412 |
| (i) | To re-elect S T Gulliver a Director | 8,775,424,304 (99.55) | $\begin{gathered} 39,522,674 \\ (0.45) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,946,978 <br> (48.54) | 5,558,005 |
|  | To re-elect J W J Hughes-Hallett a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,771,227,801 \\ (99.51) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 43,514,682 \\ (0.49) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,742,483 <br> (48.53) | 5,732,794 |
| (k) | To re-elect W S H Laidlaw a Director | 8,749,103,878 (99.26) | $\begin{gathered} 65,588,171 \\ (0.74) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,692,049 <br> (48.53) | 5,762,796 |
| (l) | To elect J P Lipsky a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,804,822,657 \\ (99.89) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 9,552,202 \\ (0.11) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,374,859 <br> (48.53) | 5,949,328 |


| (m) To re-elect J R Lomax a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,694,903,617 \\ (99.75) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 21,801,654 \\ (0.25) \end{gathered}$ | 8,716,705,271 <br> (48.00) | 103,551,962 |
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| (n) To re-elect I J Mackay a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,780,813,350 \\ (99.62) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 33,915,545 \\ (0.38) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,728,895 <br> (48.53) | 5,752,704 |
| (o) To re-elect N R N Murthy a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,799,839,273 \\ (99.83) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14,888,406 \\ (0.17) \end{gathered}$ | 8,814,727,679 <br> (48.53) | 5,752,109 |
| (p) To re-elect Sir Simon Robertson a Director | $\begin{gathered} 8,637,007,606 \\ (99.45) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 48,054,956 \\ (0.55) \end{gathered}$ | 8,685,062,562 <br> (47.82) | 123,743,083 |
| (q) To re-elect J L Thornton a Director | $\begin{gather*} 8,248,542,395 \\ (96.08) \tag{3.92} \end{gather*}$ | 336,922,956 | $\begin{gathered} 8,585,465,351 \\ (47.27) \end{gathered}$ | 233,310,057 |
| 4. To reappoint the Auditor at remuneration to be determined by the Group Audit Committee | $\begin{gathered} 8,658,879,219 \\ (98.35) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 145,175,480 \\ (1.65) \end{gathered}$ | 8,804,054,699 <br> (48.48) | 16,773,808 |
| 5. To authorise the Directors to allot shares | $\begin{gathered} 8,598,678,631 \\ (97.57) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 214,223,057 \\ (2.43) \end{gathered}$ | 8,812,901,688 <br> (48.52) | 6,232,394 |
| 6. To disapply pre-emption rights (Special Resolution) | $\begin{gathered} 8,613,126,301 \\ (97.78) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 195,480,323 \\ (2.22) \end{gathered}$ | 8,808,606,624 <br> (48.50) | 12,092,143 |
| 7. To authorise the Company to purchase its own ordinary shares | $\begin{gathered} 8,775,533,630 \\ (99.55) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 39,890,867 \\ (0.45) \end{gathered}$ | 8,815,424,497 <br> (48.54) | 5,250,428 |


| 8. To authorise the Directors to offer a scrip <br> dividend alternative | $8,805,094,483$ <br> $(99.93)$ | $5,763,369$ <br> $(0.07)$ | $8,810,857,852$ <br> $(48.51)$ | $9,412,655$ |
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| 9. To approve general meetings (other than <br> annual general meetings) being called on 14 <br> clear days' notice (Special Resolution) | $7,876,386,438$ <br> $(89.37)$ | $937,298,004$ <br> $(10.63)$ | $8,813,684,442$ <br> $(48.53)$ | $6,966,206$ |

* A "Vote Withheld" is not a 'vote' in law and is not counted in the calculation of the proportion of the votes 'For' and 'Against' the resolution.

