

Aman Mehta
Chief Executive Officer
The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited

Aman Mehta was born in India in 1946. After graduating from Delhi University with an economics degree in 1967, he joined the Bombay office of Mercantile Bank Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited.

Following training in the Bank's London office, Mr Mehta returned to the Group's operations in India. Since 1969, he has held a number of assignments throughout the Bank, including appointments in Operations, Credit, Branch and Area Management and Merchant Banking. In 1985, he was appointed Manager Corporate Planning at The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's headquarters in Hong Kong. In January 1988, he moved to Riyadh to take up the post of Managing Director of The Saudi British Bank, a 40 per cent owned associate of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

In May 1991, Mr Mehta was appointed Group General Manager and, following a brief strategic planning assignment in North America, he was appointed General Manager International in February 1992 with responsibility for overseas subsidiaries.

In January 1993, Mr Mehta took up the appointment of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of HSBC USA Inc., the New York-based arm of HSBC Holdings plc set up to exercise oversight of Group companies in the Americas, before being appointed in November 1995 as Deputy Chairman of HSBC Bank Middle East, based in Dubai with responsibility for the Group's operations in the Middle East region.

Mr Mehta was re-appointed General Manager International of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in February 1998, Executive Director International in May 1998 and Chief Executive Officer in January 1999. Mr Mehta also became Chairman of HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad on 1 January 1999. He is also a Director of HSBC Bank Australia Limited.

Mr Mehta is married and has two children.

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