

HSBC HOLDINGS PLC

12 March 2021

Notification of Transactions by Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibilities ("PDMRs")

Annual Incentive awards (Performance Year 2017)

Deferred awards (the "Awards") of US\$0.50 ordinary shares (the "Shares") in HSBC Holdings plc (the "Company") were granted in 2018 as a part of variable pay for the performance year ended 31 December 2017.

On 11 March 2021, tranches of the Awards granted in 2018 vested and the following transactions took place in London:

Directors

| Name | Total number of Shares vested | Number of Shares sold at £4.25384 per Share ¹ |
|------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Noel Quinn | 21,504 | 10,107 |

Other PDMRs

| Name | Total number of Shares vested | Number of Shares sold at £4.25384 per Share ¹ |
|------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Colin Bell | 14,943 | 7,024 |
| Georges Elhedery | 22,303 | 6,812 |
| Pam Kaur | 15,631 | 7,347 |
| Nuno Matos | 21,154 | 7,847 |
| Stephen Moss | 13,660 | 6,421 |
| Barry O'Byrne | 7,054 | 3,316 |
| Ian Stuart | 13,488 | 6,340 |
| Peter Wong | 22,809 | 3,422 |

¹ Includes shares sold to cover withholding tax.

The PDMRs are required to retain a number of Shares equivalent in value to those that vested under the Awards (net of tax liabilities) for 12 months from the original vesting date, with the exception of Stephen Moss and Barry O'Byrne who are subject to a 6 month retention period.

The vesting price for the Awards is based on the closing Share price on the London Stock Exchange on 8 March 2021 of £4.5550.

The following disclosures are made in accordance with the UK version of the EU Market Abuse Regulation 596/2014.

1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated

Name of natural person Noel Quinn

2 - Reason for the notification

Position/status Group Chief Executive

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)

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | ansaction | Currency |
|--|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stoo Exchange, Market (XLC | <i>l</i> lain | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran Acquisition und Share Plan 201 | er the HSBC | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | Aggregated | £4.56 £4.555 | 21,504 21,504 | £97,950.72 £97,950.72 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | ansaction | Currency |
|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------|---------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary | GB0005405286 | London Stoo | | GBP – British |
| | shares of | | Exchange, Main | | Pound |
| | US\$0.50 | | Market (XLC |)N) | |
| | each | | | | |
| Nature of Tran | saction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Disposal | | | | | |
| | | | £4.25 | 10,107 | £42,993.56 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 10,107 | £42,993.56 |

1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated

Name of natural person Colin Bell

2 - Reason for the notification

Position/status Chief Executive, HSBC Bank plc and HSBC

Europe

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

| Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | insaction | Currency |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | Exchange, N | /lain | GBP – British Pound |
| er the HSBC | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | £4.56 | 14,943 | £68,065.36 £68,065.36 |
| | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each saction: | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each saction: | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each saction: Price £4.56 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each saction: Price Volume £4.56 14,943 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | ansaction | Currency |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stoo Exchange, Market (XLC | <i>l</i> lain | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran | saction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Disposal | | | | | |
| | | | £4.25 | 7,024 | £29,878.97 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 7,024 | £29,878.97 |

1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated

Name of natural person Georges Elhedery

2 - Reason for the notification

Position/status Co-Chief Executive, Global Banking and Markets

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)

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|--------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stoo Exchange, Market (XLC | /lain | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran | | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Acquisition und Share Plan 201 | | | | | |
| | | | £4.56 | 22,303 | £101,590.16 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.555 | 22,303 | £101,590.16 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stoo Exchange, Market (XLC | <i>l</i> lain | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran Disposal | saction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| · | | | £4.25 | 6,812 | £28,977.16 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 6,812 | £28,977.16 |

| 1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| Name of natural person | Pam Kaur | | |
| 2 - Reason for the notification | | | |
| Position/status | Group Chief Risk Officer | | |
| Initial notification/amendment | Initial Notification | | |
| 3 - Details of the issuer, emission allow auction monitor | ance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or | | |

Full name of the entity HSBC Holdings plc

Legal Entity Identifier code MLU0ZO3ML4LN2LL2TL39

4 - Details of the transaction(s)

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | ansaction | Currency |
|--|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stoo Exchange, Market (XLC | /lain | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran Acquisition und Share Plan 201 | er the HSBC | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | | £4.56 | 15,631 | £71,199.20 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.555 | 15,631 | £71,199.20 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | ansaction | Currency |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stoo Exchange, Market (XLC | <i>l</i> lain | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran | saction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Disposal | | | | | |
| | | | £4.25 | 7,347 | £31,252.96 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 7,347 | £31,252.96 |

| 1 - Details of the person discharging manage | gerial responsibilities / person closely associated |
|---|---|
| Name of natural person | Nuno Matos |
| 2 - Reason for the notification | |
| Position/status | Chief Executive, Wealth and Personal Banking |
| Initial notification/amendment | Initial Notification |
| 3 - Details of the issuer, emission allowance auction monitor | e market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or |
| 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 |
|--|---|---------------------|---|--------|------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Transaction: Acquisition under the HSBC Share Plan 2011 | | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | | £4.56 | 21,154 | £96,356.47 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.555 | 21,154 | £96,356.47 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------|---------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary | GB0005405286 | London Stock | | GBP – British |
| | shares of | | Exchange, Main | | Pound |
| | US\$0.50 | | Market (XLON) | | |
| | each | | | | |
| Nature of Tran | saction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Disposal | Disposal | | | | |
| | | | £4.25 | 7,847 | £33,379.88 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 7,847 | £33,379.88 |

| 1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Name of natural person | | | Stephen Moss | | | |
| 2 - Reason for the | e notification | | | | | |
| Position/status | | | Chief Executive, Middle Turkey | East, North Africa and | | |
| Initial notification | n/amendment | | Initial Notification | | | |
| 3 - Details of the auction monit | • | ion allowance ma | rket participant, auction | platform, auctioneer or | | |
| Full name of the | entity | | HSBC Holdings plc | | | |
| Legal Entity Iden | tifier code | | MLU0ZO3ML4LN2LL2TL39 | | | |
| 4 - Details of the | transaction(s | | | | | |
| Transaction(s) summary table | | | | | | |
| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | Currency | | |

| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary | GB0005405286 | London Stock | | GBP – British |
|-----------------|------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | shares of | | Exchange, N | <i>I</i> lain | Pound |
| | US\$0.50 | | Market (XLON) | | |
| | each | | , | | |
| Nature of Tran | Nature of Transaction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | | | | |
| Acquisition und | er the HSBC | | | | |
| Share Plan 201 | | | | | |
| | | | £4.56 | 13,660 | £62,221.30 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.555 | 13,660 | £62,221.30 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|---|--------|------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | | GBP – British Pound |
| | Nature of Transaction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Disposal | | | £4.25 | 6,421 | £27,313.91 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 6,421 | £27,313.91 |

| 1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Name of natural person | Barry O'Byrne | | | | | |
| 2 - Reason for the notification | | | | | | |
| Position/status | Chief Executive, Global Commercial Banking | | | | | |
| Initial notification/amendment | Initial Notification | | | | | |
| 3 - Details of the issuer, emission allowand auction monitor | 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) | | | | | | |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Tra | ansaction | Currency |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|---|-----------|------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran | saction: | | Price | Volume | Total |

| Acquisition under the HSBC Share Plan 2011 | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|-------|------------|
| | | £4.56 | 7,054 | £32,130.97 |
| | Aggregated | £4.555 | 7,054 | £32,130.97 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Tran | Nature of Transaction: Disposal | | Price | Volume | Total |
| · | | Aggregated | £4.25 £4.254 | 3,316 3,316 | £14,105.73 £14,105.73 |

| 1 - Details of the person discharging | managerial responsibilities / person closely associated |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| | |
| Name of natural person | Ian Stuart |

2 - Reason for the notification

Position/status Chief Executive, HSBC UK Bank plc

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)

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|--|---|---------------------|---|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Transaction: Acquisition under the HSBC Share Plan 2011 | | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | Aggregated | £4.56 £4.555 | 13,488 13,488 | £61,437.84 £61,437.84 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------|---------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary | GB0005405286 | London Stock | | GBP – British |
| | shares of | | Exchange, Main | | Pound |
| | US\$0.50 | | Market (XLON) | | |
| | each | | | | |
| Nature of Tran | Nature of Transaction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
| Disposal | | | | | |
| | | | £4.25 | 6,340 | £26,969.35 |
| | | Aggregated | £4.254 | 6,340 | £26,969.35 |

1 - Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated

Name of natural person Peter Wong

2 - Reason for the notification

Position/status Deputy Chairman and Chief Executive, The

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

Limited

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)

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | | Currency |
|---|---|---------------------|---|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | | GBP – British Pound |
| Nature of Transaction: Acquisitions under the HSBC Share Plan 2011 | | | Price | Volume | Total |
| | | Aggregated | £4.56 £4.555 | 22,809 22,809 | £103,895.00 £103,895.00 |

| Date of Transaction | Financial Instrument | Identification Code | Place of Transaction | Currency |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|---|------------------------|
| 2021-03-11 | Ordinary shares of US\$0.50 each | GB0005405286 | London Stock Exchange, Main Market (XLON) | GBP – British Pound |

| Nature of Transaction: | | Price | Volume | Total |
|------------------------|------------|--------|--------|------------|
| Disposal | | | | |
| | | £4.25 | 3,422 | £14,556.64 |
| | Aggregated | £4.254 | 3,422 | £14,556.64 |

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