

May 23, 2019

To: The New York Stock Exchange

HSBC - Cash Dividend

Please be advised of the following DR Cash Dividend information - **Final Rate**:

DR Name: HSBC

Country of Incorporation: UNITED KINGDOM

CUSIP: 404280406

Ratio (Underlying Shares:DRs): 5:1 Exchange Rate: 1.0

Underlying Shares DRs

Record Date: May 17, 2019 May 17, 2019
Payable Date: Jul 05, 2019 Jul 05, 2019

Gross Dividend Rate Total: USD0.1 USD0.5 tax exempt

Interim Dividend

Withholding Tax: USD0.0@0.00%

Dividend Fee: USD0.00 Net Dividend Rate: USD0.5

Addendum: - see below

*** 2019 1st Interim Dividend. Optional Dividend with choice of Shares or Cash. Default is Cash. Deadline to elect Shares is June 13, 2019. Scrip Price set at \$41.5110 . Minimum of 84 ADRs required to elect Shares ***

If you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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