

Return of Allotment of Shares

*Please complete in typescript,
or in bold black capitals.*

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Company Number

14259

Company Name in full

HSBC Bank plc

Shares allotted (including bonus shares):

Date or period during which shares
were allotted

(if shares were allotted on one date enter that
date in the "from" box)

From

Day Month Year

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To

Day Month Year

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Class of shares

(ordinary or preference etc)

ORDINARY

Number allotted

1

Nominal value of each share

£1.00

Amount (if any) paid or due on each
share (including any share premium)

£700,000,000.00

List the names and addresses of the allottees and the number of shares allotted to each overleaf

If the allotted shares are fully or partly paid up otherwise than in cash please state:

% that each share is to be treated as
paid up

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Consideration for which the shares
were allotted

(This information must be supported by the duly
stamped contract or by the duly stamped particulars
on Form 88(3) if the contract is not in writing)

**When you have completed and signed the form send it to
the Registrar of Companies at:**

Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ
For companies registered in England and Wales

DX 33050 Cardiff

Companies House, 37 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, EH1 2EB
For companies registered in Scotland

DX 235 Edinburgh



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Names and addresses of the allottees (List joint share allotments consecutively)

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Shareholder details		Shares and share class allotted	
Name HSBC Holdings plc		Class of shares allotted £1.00 ORDINARY	Number allotted 1
Address 8 Canada Square, London, United Kingdom			
UK postcode E14 5HQ			
Name		Class of shares allotted	Number allotted
Address			
UK postcode			
Name		Class of shares allotted	Number allotted
Address			
UK postcode			
Name		Class of shares allotted	Number allotted
Address			
UK postcode			

Please enter the number of continuation sheets (if any) attached to this form

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Signed

[Signature]

Date

22 March 2004

~~A director / secretary / administrator / administrative receiver / receiver manager / receiver~~

Please give the name, address, telephone number and, if available, a DX number and Exchange of the person Companies House should contact if there is any query.

Nicola Black, HSBC Bank plc, 8 Canada Square, Lonon,	
E14 5HQ, United Kingdom	
Tel	
DX number	DX exchange