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NOTICE OF LISTING ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE OF HONG KONG LIMITED

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited, acting through its Singapore branch

(registered and incorporated in Hong Kong: Number 263876)

as Issuer

SGD300,000,000 Floating Rate Notes due 9 September 2025 (Stock Code: 4323)

to be issued under the Issuer's

U.S.\$20,000,000,000 Medium Term Note Programme

Programme Arranger, Dealer and Lead Manager

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited

Co-Managers

Malayan Banking Berhad Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation Limited United Overseas Bank Limited

Application has been made to The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited for the listing of, and permission to deal in, SGD300,000,000 Floating Rate Notes due 9 September 2025 (the **Notes**) to be issued by The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited, acting through its Singapore Branch, on 9 September 2010 under the U.S.\$20,000,000,000 Medium Term Note Programme (the **Programme**) of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited and HSBC Markets (Bahamas) Limited, as described in the Offering Circular dated 10 March 2010 in respect of the Programme. The terms and conditions of the Notes are further described in the relevant Pricing Supplement dated 27 August 2010 and the permission to deal in the Notes is expected to become effective on or about 10 September 2010.

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