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## STANDARD CHARTERED PLC

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## Standard Chartered announces completion of sale of its global aviation finance leasing business to AviLease

**2 November 2023, Dublin, London, Hong Kong** – Following the announcement in August 2023 of the sale of our global aviation finance leasing business to Aircraft Leasing Company ("AviLease"), Standard Chartered ('the Group") confirms the sale closed today, 2 November 2023. AviLease has acquired the business for cash consideration of US\$0.7 billion and has funded the repayment of approximately US\$2.9 billion of net intra-group financing from the Group. The Group will benefit from an increase in Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio of around 19 basis points, which will be included in its year end capital position. Completion of the sale represents significant further progress on the Group's strategic priorities.

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By order of the Board
Standard Chartered PLC
Adrian de Souza
Group Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 2 November 2023

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