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## **HSBC APPOINTS NEW VICE CHAIRMAN BANKING IN JAPAN**

Yasuki Matsui has been appointed Vice Chairman Banking, The Hongkong Shanghai and Banking Corporation in Japan, effective from 1 July, 2015. In this newly created position, Mr. Matsui will be primarily responsible for managing the bank's financial institution business, in addition to overseeing securities services and M&A.

Mr. Matsui joins HSBC with extensive banking experience spanning both corporate and financial institution sectors. Prior to HSBC, Mr. Matsui was Senior Managing Director and Head of Banking, M&A and Capital Markets at SMBC Nikko Securities Inc. from 2012. Before this he held the position of Managing Director and Co-Head of Banking at UBS Securities Japan Co., Ltd. Between 1998 and 2007, he was Managing Director and Vice Chairman, Head of FIG, at Morgan Stanley Japan Co., Ltd. Mr. Matsui began his career in Sumitomo Bank after graduating from Kyoto University. He received an MBA from Columbia University in 1983.

In Japan, he will report directly to Kaber Mclean, President and CEO Japan and functionally to Surendra Rosha, Head of Financial Institutions Group for Asia-Pacific (designate).

Commenting on the appointment, Kaber Mclean said, "Our financial institution business has expanded significantly in recent years and this appointment demonstrates our commitment to further growing this important franchise in Japan."

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### **Notes to editors:**

#### **1. HSBC Group**

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