

HSBC HOLDINGS PLC  
Form 6-K  
February 19, 2013

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d - 16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of February  
HSBC Holdings plc

42nd Floor, 8 Canada Square, London E14 5HQ, England

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F).

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(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934).

Yes..... No

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NOTICE OF REDEMPTION TO THE HOLDERS OF

HSBC Holdings plc

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(the "Issuer")

GBP250,000,000 9.875% Subordinated Bonds due 2018 (ISIN: XS0043041879) (the "Bonds") issued 8 April 1993

Pursuant to Condition 4(b)(i) and Condition 10 of the Terms and Conditions of the Bonds, Notice is hereby irrevocably given to holders of the Bonds that on 8 April 2013 (the "Redemption Date") the Issuer will exercise its option to redeem all of the Bonds outstanding at their principal amount together with interest accrued to the Redemption Date in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of the Bonds.

Payment in respect of the Bonds will be made against presentation and surrender of the Bonds and coupons relating thereto ("Coupons") at the specified office outside the United States of America of any of the Paying Agents.

Bonds and Coupons will become void unless presented for payment within periods of twelve years and six years respectively from the Redemption Date.

Details of the Paying Agents are set forth below:

Principal Paying Agent:  
Citibank, N.A., London Branch  
21st Floor, Citigroup Centre  
Canada Square, Canary Wharf  
London E14 5LB  
United Kingdom

Sub-Paying Agent:  
BGL BNP Paribas Luxembourg  
50, avenue JF Kennedy  
L-2951 Luxembourg

For and on behalf of HSBC Holdings plc  
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The HSBC Group

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

HSBC Holdings plc

By:

Name: P A Stafford

Title: Assistant Group Secretary

Date: 19 February 2013