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## 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 March 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 X

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DEBT ISSUANCE PROGRAMME UPDATE DATED 7 MARCH 2014

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The following documents have been approved by the UK Listing Authority and copies submitted to the National Storage Mechanism:

- A base prospectus dated 7 March 2014 relating to the Debt Issuance Programme of HSBC Holdings plc;
- A registration document dated 7 March 2014 in respect of HSBC Holdings plc; and
- Form 20-F of HSBC Holdings plc dated 28 February 2014.

The above documents will shortly be available for inspection at the UK Listing Authority's viewing facility via the National Storage Mechanism which is located at: http://www.hemscott.com/nsm.do

To view the full documents, please paste the following URLs into the address bar of your browser:

- Base Prospectus: http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/8972B\_-2014-3-10.pdf
- Registration Document: http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/8972B\_1-2014-3-10.pdf
- Form 20-F: http://www.hsbc.com/investor-relations/financial-results

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Note to editors:

HSBC Holdings plc

HSBC Holdings plc, the parent company of the HSBC Group, is headquartered in London. The Group serves customers worldwide from around 6,300 offices in 75 countries and territories in Europe, Hong Kong, Rest of Asia-Pacific, Middle East and North Africa, North America and Latin America. With assets of US\$2,671bn at 31 December 2013, HSBC is one of the world's largest banking and financial services organisations.

#### **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: Ben J S Mathews

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Title: Group Company Secretary

Date: 10 March 2014