

## WARNING

Dear Customer,

As you may be aware, the Financial Services Committee has reported that there is email correspondence circulating in Mauritius which purports to advise recipients that a substantial payment is due to them, and asking for various personal and bank account details. Some of these letters mention HSBC by name. These letters are no more than unsophisticated attempts to acquire bank account details in order to defraud the account holder. Citing the name of HSBC or another international bank is merely intended to confer credibility. Clients are reminded that under no circumstances should bank account, credit card or password details be provided by email, telephone or any other channel, electronic or otherwise, as this information can be exploited by criminals causing potential losses to account holders as well as to the bank.

If you are in any doubt as to the bona fides of anyone contacting you, please take no action and contact us on

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