



# HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad (“HSBC”) Universal Terms & Conditions

(July 2019 Edition)

## **EFFECTIVE DATE:**

- ▶ 22 July 2019 for all new customers of HSBC Bank.
- ▶ 12 August 2019 for all existing customers of HSBC Bank as at 22 July 2019.
- ▶ except for Cardholder Agreement which shall follow the effective dates as stated on page 40.

## **These Universal Terms & Conditions consist of:**

- ▶ Generic Terms & Conditions (applicable to every account/product/service (including banking & financing facilities) opened with or provided by HSBC);
- ▶ Specific Terms & Conditions for HSBC Premier and HSBC Advance;
- ▶ Specific Terms & Conditions for Retail Banking and Wealth Management; and
- ▶ Cardholder Agreement for HSBC Visa Platinum/Platinum Mastercard®/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Visa Signature/HSBC Premier World Mastercard® Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard® Credit Card.

These Universal Terms & Conditions are available on request and on HSBC’s website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) (uploaded on 22 July 2019). Please take the time to read them as they are binding on you.

Please contact your nearest HSBC branch if you require any clarification.

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These Generic Terms & Conditions (applicable to every account/product/service (including banking & financing facilities) opened with or provided by HSBC) should be read together with the Specific Terms & Conditions of the relevant account/product/service opened with or provided by HSBC and HSBC Bank's Terms and Conditions for Personal Internet Banking as may be amended from time to time at the absolute discretion of the Bank.

### Account Statements

1. (i) Where account statements are applicable, they are sent monthly or, at such other intervals as instructed by the Customer or as stated in the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions or account-related documentation.

The Customer agrees to promptly check and reconcile the contents of each account statement and transaction record from the Bank with the Customer's own records to see if there are any errors, omissions, discrepancies or irregularities (collectively "Irregularities").

If the Customer does not notify the Bank in writing of any Irregularities within 60 days from the account statement date, the contents of the account statement including the Irregularities shall be taken to be in order and conclusively authorised by and binding on the Customer.

- (ii) The Customer agrees that if the Customer did not register: (a) for email statements, or provide the Bank with any e-mail address; and/or (b) did not register for PIB e-statements, or as a user of PIB, the account statement would be sent via paper statement in hard copy to the last known address in the Bank's record and a fee (as stated in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my)) would be charged for each account statement issued.

### Consolidation & Set-Off

2. If the Customer owes any debt (whether actual, contingent, present or future) to the Bank and/or HSBC Amanah Malaysia Berhad ("HSBC Amanah") (the Bank's wholly-owned subsidiary) solely or jointly with any other person including any unpaid withholding tax (collectively "Indebtedness"), the Customer agrees that the Bank may do the following:
  - (a) consolidate the credit balances in all the Customer's accounts with the Bank (where balances are in different currencies, the Bank may convert one currency to another using its spot rate of exchange on the day of conversion);
  - (b) put a hold on such amount of the credit balances which the Bank estimates in good faith to be sufficient, including taking into account exchange rate fluctuations (if applicable) of the amount of the Indebtedness plus any accruing interest or other charges;
  - (c) after the end of 7 days' prior notice, apply such credit balances (even if it involves uplifting any deposit before maturity date) against the Indebtedness (where the balances and Indebtedness are in different currencies, the Bank may convert one currency to another using its spot rate of exchange on the day of conversion); and
  - (d) the remaining credit balances, if any, shall be held on substantially the same terms as before the consolidation or on such other terms as the Bank considers appropriate in the circumstances.

The Bank's right and authorisation under this Clause shall not be affected by the Customer's death, bankruptcy, insolvency, composition with other creditors or any legal proceedings against the Customer.

### Customer's Details and Obligations

3. (i) The Customer agrees to promptly notify the Bank of any changes in the Customer's address, telephone, mobile phone and/or e-mail address in writing or via channels made available by the Bank. Pending receipt of such notice, the Bank shall send all communications to the latest address, e-mail address and/or number stated in the Bank's records and shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.
- (ii) The Customer agrees that the Customer's account shall not be used for any other purpose except for personal use.
- (iii) Any change in identification of the Customer (and of the Child for minor accounts) shall be notified to the Bank with supporting documents.

### Joint Accounts

4. For an account opened and maintained in more than one name:
  - (i) each Customer's liabilities and obligations is joint and several and notice to one Customer shall be taken as notice to all;
  - (ii) words indicating singular in these Generic Terms & Conditions shall be read to include plural and vice versa, and reference to "Customer's signature" shall be read to include each Customer's signature;

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4. (iii) a Customer shall remain bound by these Generic Terms & Conditions even if the other Customer(s) is(are) in fact not bound;
- (iv) the Bank has the right to deal with each Customer separately on any matter including discharging any liabilities to any extent without affecting the liabilities of the other Customer(s);
- (v) all Customers are jointly and severally liable for the use of any personal identification number (PIN) Security Device or Card even if it was applied for or used by only one of the Customers;
- (vi) in case of death of any of the Customers, the Bank shall hold the credit balances in the account to the sole order of the survivor(s) subject to the Bank's prior rights or claims, and payment to the survivor(s) is a complete discharge to the Bank;
- (vii) if any Customer withdraws his mandate for the other Customer(s) to operate the joint account, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customers due to putting a hold on the joint account pending receipt of joint written instructions from all the holders of the joint account; and
- (viii) the operation or closure of the joint account shall be based on the instruction or authorisation given by any one Customer which shall bind all Customers, and amounts payable to or collected for any one Customer may be credited to the joint account.

### Corporate/Limited Liability Partnership/Conventional Partnership Accounts

5. Not applicable.

### Specimen Signature of Authorised Signatory(ies)

6. The Customer(s) shall give the Bank their names and specimen signature(s) of all the authorised signatory(ies) on the Bank's specimen signature cards. In case of changes to the specimen signature(s) and/or authorised signatory(ies), the Customer agrees to promptly notify the Bank in writing. The Customer acknowledges that such changes shall take effect after the Bank confirms in writing that its records have been updated.

The Customer agrees that the Bank has the right to reject cheques, instructions and communications with signature(s) which do not match the specimen signature(s) on record, but that the Bank also has the right to act on the same if the Bank has reasonable grounds to believe that it did in fact come from the Customer.

### Amendment of Terms & Conditions

7. These Generic Terms & Conditions, the Specific Terms & Conditions and any of the Bank's products or services (including its features or limits) may be changed, added to, deleted, terminated or suspended (without affecting liabilities for any prior breaches) by way of prior notice given in any of the following manner:
- (i) notice on any of the Bank's internet websites;
- (ii) notice in the account statement;
- (iii) notice at automated teller machines (ATM), electronic funds transfer at point of sale (EFTPOS) terminals or other electronic terminals;
- (iv) notice at any of the Bank's branches;
- (v) sending a notice to the Customer's address according to Clause 3 and Clause 4(i) above, such notice to take effect on the 3rd day after posting even though the notice may later be returned undelivered;
- (vi) notice via emails or electronic messages which shall be taken to have been received at the time of transmission; or
- (vii) any other mode the Bank views suitable.

Changes or additions which:

- impose or increase charges;
- increase the Customer's liability for losses; or
- adjust ATM card transaction limits;

for electronic fund transfers via ATM, automated cash deposit facilities and/or telegraphic transfers, shall take effect after 21 days' prior written notice to the Customer.

The Customer shall be taken to have accepted the change(s), addition(s), deletion(s), termination or suspension unless the Customer takes positive action to close the account or terminate the service before the end of the relevant notice period. The Customer remains liable for all transactions before the closure or termination.

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8. The terms in this Clause shall continue to apply even after the Bank ceases to provide any accounts, products and/or services to the Customer. *(Please refer to Clause 41 for the definitions applicable to this Clause.)*
- (i) The Customer acknowledges that the holding of accounts and use of products and/or services provided by the Bank are subject to the laws of Malaysia and other relevant jurisdictions, and to the supervisory authority of Bank Negara Malaysia and other applicable Authorities in Malaysia and other relevant jurisdictions.
  - (ii) The Bank and members of the HSBC Group are required, and may take any action to meet Compliance Obligations relating to or in connection with the detection, investigation and prevention of Financial Crime ("Financial Crime Risk Management Activity"). Such action may include, but is not limited to: (1) screening, intercepting and investigating any instruction, communication, drawdown request, application for any accounts, products and/or services, or any payment sent to or by the Customer, or on the Customer's behalf, (2) investigating the source of or intended recipient of funds, (3) combining Customer Information with other related information in the possession of the HSBC Group, and/or (4) making further enquiries as to the status of a person or entity, whether they are subject to a sanctions regime, or confirming the Customer's identity and status.
  - (iii) Exceptionally, such Financial Crime Risk Management Activity may lead to the Bank delaying, blocking or refusing the making or clearing of any payment, the processing of the customer instructions or application for any accounts, products and/or services or the provision of all or part of any accounts, products and/or services. To the extent permissible by law, neither the Bank nor any member of the HSBC Group shall be liable to the Customer or any third party for any loss (however it arose) that was suffered or incurred by the Customer or a third party, caused in whole or in part in connection with the undertaking of such Financial Crime Risk Management Activity.
  - (iv) In certain circumstances, such Financial Crime Risk Management Activity may prevent or cause a delay in the processing of certain information. Therefore, neither the Bank nor any member of the HSBC Group warrants that any information on the Bank's systems relating to any payment messages or other information and communications which are the subject of any action taken pursuant to such Financial Crime Risk Management Activity is accurate, current or up-to-date at the time it is accessed, whilst such action is being taken.
  - (v) Where the Bank or a member of the HSBC Group has suspicions regarding Financial Crime or an associated risk, the Bank may:
    - (a) be unable to provide new, or continue to provide all or part of, the accounts, products and/or services to the Customer and reserve the right to terminate the banking relationship with the Customer;
    - (b) take actions necessary for the Bank or a member of the HSBC Group to meet the Compliance Obligations; and/or
    - (c) close the Customer's account(s).

### Suspension/Closure of Account

9. The Customer acknowledges that the Bank has absolute discretion:
- (i) not to carry out any instructions or suspend the use of an account if the Bank doubts its authenticity or considers it appropriate to do so; or in the event of any dispute between the joint account holders, authorised signatories, partners (whether in respect of a conventional partnership or a limited liability partnership) or directors of a company or if the Bank were to receive conflicting instructions from the foregoing persons; or if the Customer fails to pay any fees and charges; or if the Customer fails to provide sufficient information in relation to any payment instructions (including but not limited to purpose of payment) and/or;
  - (ii) to close an account by giving 2 weeks' written notice to the Customer at the Customer's address or email address according to Clause 3 and Clause 4(i) above by :
    - (a) personal delivery and shall be taken to have been received at the time of delivery;
    - (b) ordinary/registered post (either AR or non-AR registered) or courier and shall be taken to have been received on the 3rd day after posting or the 3rd day after despatch to the courier service provider, as the case may be, even though it may later be returned undelivered, or the Bank is not in receipt of the signed AR card or the Customer's acknowledgement of receipt; or
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- The Bank is not obliged to give its reasons for exercising its discretion to close the account.

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## Collection, Processing and Sharing of Customer Information

10. The terms in this Clause shall continue to apply even after the Bank ceases to provide any accounts, products and/or Services to the Customer. *(Please refer to Clause 41 for the definitions applicable to this Clause.)*
- (i) Customer Information will be processed, transferred and disclosed by the Bank and/or members of the HSBC Group in connection with the purposes (the "Purposes") as stated in the Notice to Customers relating to the Personal Data Protection Act 2010 ("PDDPA Notice") available at [www.hsbc.com.my/www.hsbcamanah.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my/www.hsbcamanah.com.my).
  - (ii) By using any of the accounts, products and/or Services provided by the Bank, the Customer agrees that the Bank may, as necessary and appropriate for the Purposes, process, transfer and disclose any Customer Information to the recipients (the "Recipients") as set out in the PDDPA Notice (who may also subsequently process, transfer and disclose such Customer Information for the Purposes) subject at all times to any laws (including regulations, standards, industry code of practice, guidelines, obligations, and/or directives from any regulatory authorities) applicable to the financial institution
  - (iii) The Customer agrees to inform the Bank promptly, and in any event, within 30 days in writing if there are any changes to Customer Information supplied to the Bank from time to time, and to respond promptly to any request from the Bank.
  - (iv) Where:
    - (a) the Customer fails to provide promptly Customer Information that the Bank reasonably requested; or
    - (b) the Customer withholds or withdraws any consents that the Bank may need to process, transfer or disclose Customer Information for the Purposes (except for purposes connected with marketing or promoting products and Services to the Customer); or
    - (c) the Bank or a member of the HSBC Group has suspicions regarding Financial Crime or an associated risk; the Bank may:
      - (1) be unable to provide new, or continue to provide all or part of, the accounts, products and/or Services to the Customer and reserve the right to terminate the banking relationship with the Customer;
      - (2) take actions necessary for the Bank or a member of the HSBC Group to meet the Compliance Obligations; and/or
      - (3) close the Customer's account(s).

## Tape Recording

11. The Bank may choose (but is not obliged) to record the Customer's verbal instructions and/or communication with the Bank. Such recordings, being the sole property of the Bank, shall be conclusively binding on the Customer and the Bank reserves the right to destroy the recordings after such period of time it sees fit.

## Document Management

12. The Customer acknowledges that the Bank is not obliged to provide copies of any cheques, cashier's orders, bank drafts, receipts, confirmations, advices, vouchers, documents, recordings or other items (collectively, "Documents") relating to any type of account:

- after the Bank has completed the relevant transaction;
- after microfilming, scanning or storing in whatever medium; or
- after the account has been closed by the Customer or by the Bank.

The Customer agrees that the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer due to the unavailability of the Documents which have been dealt with by the Bank according to the Bank's document retention policy.

## "Know Your Customer"

13. (i) The Customer acknowledges that the Bank is required to carry out a due diligence to identify and to find out the background of its customer. The Customer agrees to sign such declarations, do such acts and/or provide such documents requested by the Bank for this purpose within the required time period, and that not doing so may result in the Bank suspending, closing or limiting the usage of the account including but not limited to disallowing any transfer of funds to third parties. If the account is to be closed, the Bank reserves the right to return the funds in the account to the source from where it came.

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- (ii) If the Customer or a shareholder (whether direct or indirect, legal or beneficial) of the Customer is a company incorporated in a country that permits issuance of bearer shares, the Customer confirms and warrants that neither it nor such shareholder has issued any bearer shares and further undertakes that neither it nor such shareholder will issue or convert any of its shares or such shareholder's shares (as the case may be) to bearer form without the prior written consent of the Bank, failing which the Bank reserves the right to terminate the banking relationship with the Customer.

### Tax Compliance

14. The terms in this Clause shall continue to apply even after the Bank ceases to provide any accounts, products and/or services to the Customer. *(Please refer to Clause 41 for the definitions applicable to this Clause.)*
- (i) Certain countries may have tax legislation with extra-territorial effect regardless of the Customer's or Connected Person's place of domicile, residence, citizenship or incorporation. Neither the Bank nor any member of the HSBC Group provides tax advice. The Customer is advised to seek independent legal and/or tax advice. Neither the Bank nor any member of the HSBC Group has responsibility in respect of the Customer's tax obligations in any jurisdiction which they may arise including any that may relate specifically to the opening and use of accounts, products and/or services provided by the Bank and/or members of the HSBC Group.
- (ii) The Customer acknowledges that the Customer is solely responsible for understanding and complying with the Customer's tax obligations (including but not limited to, tax payment or filing of returns or other required documentation relating to the payment of all relevant taxes) in all jurisdictions in which those obligations arise and relating to the opening and use of accounts, products and/or services provided by the Bank and/or members of the HSBC Group. The Customer confirms and warrants that each Connected Person acting in their capacity as a Connected Person (and not in their personal capacity) also makes the same acknowledgement in their own regard.
- (iii) The Customer agrees to inform the Bank promptly, and in any event, within 30 days in writing if there are any changes to Customer Information supplied to the Bank from time to time, and to respond promptly to any request from the Bank.
- (iv) Where the Customer fails to provide promptly Customer Information that the Bank reasonably requested, the Bank may:
- be unable to provide new, or continue to provide all or part of, the accounts, products and/or services to the Customer and reserve the right to terminate the banking relationship with the Customer;
  - take actions necessary for the Bank or a member of the HSBC Group to meet the Compliance Obligations (such as that described in paragraph (v) below); and/or
  - close the Customer's account(s).
- (v) The Customer acknowledges that failure to supply promptly, the Customer's or a Connected Person's Tax Information and accompanying statements, waivers and consents, as may be requested, may result in the Bank making its own judgment with respect to the Customer's status, including whether the Customer is reportable to a Tax Authority, and may require the Bank or other persons to withhold amounts as may be legally required by any Tax Authority and paying such amounts to the appropriate Tax Authority.

### Breach of Terms & Conditions

15. If the Customer does not comply with these Generic Terms & Conditions, the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions or account-related documentation, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.

### Customer Complaints

16. The Customer accepts that the complaints procedure is as follows:
- Complete and submit a Complaints Form or send a letter providing adequate details to the Bank.
  - The Bank will carry out an investigation into the complaint.
  - The Bank will notify the Customer of the outcome of the investigation.
  - If the Customer is not satisfied with the findings of the investigation, the Customer may appeal to the Manager, Customer Experience Team and/or refer the complaint to the Ombudsman for Financial Services, Securities Industry Dispute Resolution Center or Bank Negara Malaysia (as applicable).



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### Customer's Security Duties

17. In these Generic Terms & Conditions:

"**ATM**" means automated teller machine.

"**Available Balance**" means funds in the account based on the Bank's records including unused overdraft limits (if any) but excluding uncleared cheques and any hold on any sums.

"**Card**" means (a) ATM cards and includes credit cards when used in an ATM, and (b) debit cards which function as ATM cards and as payment instruments linked to the Customer's deposit account(s) with the Bank which can be used to pay for goods and services at point-of-sale terminals ("POS terminals").

"**PIN**" means personal identification number.

"**Security Device**" means the security devices designated by the Bank for use by Customer to generate Security Codes (one-time passwords) to access and transact HSBC Personal Internet Banking and HSBC Mobile Banking services.

The Customer agrees that:

(a) It is the Customer's responsibility to abide by the terms and conditions for the use of any of the accounts, products and/or Services provided by the Bank including but not limited to using the accounts, products and/or Services responsibly and not for any unlawful activity and shall keep all Cards, PINs, passwords, Security Devices, cheque books and any other means of obtaining access to accounts secure and under personal control at all times, including at the Customer's place of residence, and if the Customer fails to do so, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer. The Customer must take precautionary measures to prevent security breaches such as, but not limited to:

(i) not changing the PIN or password to a number and/or name which:

- may be easy to guess such as dates of birth, telephone numbers, names, initials, passport number, driving license details, etc; or
- is a sequence of numbers associated with the account number;

(ii) not disclosing the PIN or password to anyone (including the Bank's staff) and not stating it in any instructions given to the Bank whether verbally or in writing;

(iii) not allowing any other person to use the Card Pin and Security Device;

(iv) never making a record of the PIN or password in a way that might be understood by someone else;

(v) never writing the PINs or password on the Card or account statement or anything that is connected with the Bank;

(vi) promptly destroying any advice from the Bank concerning the PIN after receipt; and

(vii) informing the Bank immediately if the Customer knows or suspects that someone else knows the PIN or password.

(b) The Customer shall promptly notify the Bank:

(i) as soon as reasonably practicable after having discovered that the Card and/or Security Device is lost, stolen or that an unauthorised transaction had occurred or the PIN may have been compromised;

(ii) immediately without undue delay of any change to Customer's contact number or upon receiving transaction alert (SMS) for unauthorised transaction or discovered any discrepancy in the Customer's account statement.

(c) All transactions carried out using any Card, PIN, Security Device or password shall be taken as "authorised transactions" if:

(i) the Card and the corresponding PIN or password was used and the security of the Bank's fund transfer system was fully functional on that day; and

(ii) the officers of or agents appointed by the Bank were not fraudulent or negligent in carrying out the transaction.

### Use of Card

18. (i) The Bank shall charge applicable fees for Card usage and the amounts are as stated in the Bank's Tariff and Charges on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).

(ii) Any Card retained by the ATM or automated cash deposit facilities located:

- within the Bank's or HSBC Amanah's premises and not collected after 2 banking days from date of retention; or

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- outside the Bank's or HSBC Amanah's premises; shall be destroyed.
- Issuance fee for new Card will apply if Customer later requests for a Card.
- (iii) The Bank shall cancel any Card that has not been used to carry out a withdrawal or purchase within such period prescribed by the Bank. Issuance fee for new Card will apply if Customer later requests for a Card and such fee will be debited to the Customer's account.
  - (iv) The Customer must notify the Bank immediately of any loss or theft of any Card or Security Device disclosure (or suspected disclosure) of any PIN or password. The Customer remains liable for all transactions entered into before such notification to the Bank.
  - (v) All Cards remain the property of the Bank and must be surrendered by the Customer upon the Bank's request, conversion or closure of account, and returned to the Bank upon the Customer's death. The Bank has the right to withdraw, limit or prohibit the use of the Card at any time at its discretion, and if this happens, the Card will be retained by the ATM machine.
  - (vi) Any Customer to a joint account who has ceased to have joint authority shall cease using the Card and immediately surrender the Card to the Bank. The Bank shall not be held liable for any action, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, losses, costs, damages and any expense which may be incurred in connection with the continued use of the Card by such Customer and for any losses caused.
  - (vii) All cash withdrawals from ATM are subject to:
    - (a) a daily limit of RM5,000 or such other amount as notified by the Bank from time to time and which may be reduced by the Customer by giving written instructions over the counter to the Bank;
    - (b) charges as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my); and
    - (c) the Available Balance in the account being enough to cover both the amount to be withdrawn and the charges.
  - (viii) The Customer agrees that cash withdrawals carried out at ATM outside Malaysia will be debited to the account after conversion to Ringgit Malaysia at the exchange rate determined by Visa International, on the date of conversion in addition to a foreign currency conversion cost of 1% as well as any transaction fee charged by Visa International. This is not applicable to transactions performed overseas on the Everyday Global Debit Card and settled in the currencies supported in Everyday Global Account.
  - (ix) The Customer acknowledges that the credit or debit balance on the ATM video screen, the internet, any other terminal or channel, or advice slip may be pending verification and/or clearance and cannot be taken as a conclusive statement of the account balance.
  - (x) The Customer also acknowledges that ATM and other automated facilities are not currently configured for use by the print handicapped or visually impaired persons and such Customer will not hold the Bank liable for the grant of a Card to the Customer at the Customer's request and for all actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, losses, costs, damages and any expense which may be incurred in connection with using the Card at the ATM or other automated facilities.
  - (xi) For Everyday Global Account, the usage of the Card is also subject to the terms stated in the Specific Terms and Conditions applicable to it.

### Use of Debit Card

#### 19. Use of debit card

- (i) The Customer acknowledges and agrees that:
  - (a) the Customer must sign the debit card immediately on receipt from the Bank;
  - (b) the debit card is not transferable and can only be used by the person to whom it is issued;
  - (c) the debit card may only be used during the validity period stated on the card;
  - (d) the debit card may be linked to the Customer account(s) for ATM transactions. However, the Everyday Global Debit Card can only be linked to the Everyday Global Account and vice versa;
  - (e) For Everyday Global Account the Customer may choose to designate and link only one account to the debit card from which payments at POS terminals will be debited to;
  - (f) purchases at POS terminals are subject to the limits set by the Bank which may be increased or decreased by the Customer up to the specified limit as stated for the time being on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) by giving written instructions over the counter to the Bank;
  - (g) the Customer will not use the debit card for or in connection with any unlawful activity or purpose (including without limitation online gambling) and which may result in the Bank rejecting transactions at POS terminals and terminating the debit card immediately, without any liability on the Bank; and

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- (h) the Customer will not hold the Bank liable, responsible or accountable in any way whatsoever by reason of any loss, damage, or injury howsoever caused or if the debit card is not honoured, due to any mechanical defect or malfunction of any ATM, POS terminal, internet network or such other terminals or channels available or due to a loss or interruption of power supply.
- (ii) The Customer agrees that all transactions on the debit card are subject to:
- (a) the respective ATM daily withdrawal and debit card daily purchase limits;
  - (b) fees as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my); and
  - (c) the Available Balance in the designated account being enough to cover any amount to be withdrawn from ATM, purchases at POS terminals and fees.
- (iii) The Customer acknowledges that for payments at POS terminals:
- (a) the Customer must enter PIN when prompted for PIN entry to complete the purchase or the transaction may be declined;
  - (b) the Customer may not be required to enter PIN for transactions performed overseas in which case the Customer's signature will be required;
  - (c) the Customer may not be required to sign or enter PIN for contactless transactions performed locally below RM250 or such other amount as determined by Visa and/or the Bank
  - (d) the merchant may check to ensure there are sufficient funds in the designated account by sending an authorisation request to the Bank;
  - (e) on approval for some transactions, part of the account balance may be blocked until the transaction is concluded;
  - (f) for Automated Fuel Dispenser ("AFD") transactions for petrol purchases, the block shall be held for T + 3 working days with "T" being the transaction day; and
  - (g) for non AFD transactions, the block shall be held until the transaction is finalized and the final amount debited from the account;
  - (h) the Bank is not liable for any act or omission of any merchant establishment including any refusal to honour the debit card, or any defect or deficiency in any goods or services supplied to the Customer by such merchant;
  - (i) the Customer shall resolve all complaints, claims and disputes against the merchants directly and the Customer agrees not to involve the Bank in any such claims, dispute or legal proceedings; and
  - (j) the Bank shall not be liable for any payment remitted to the merchant notwithstanding any claims and/or disputes that the Customer may have against the merchant.
- (iv) The Customer agrees that withdrawal and purchase transactions carried out in a currency other than Ringgit Malaysia will be debited to the account after conversion to Ringgit Malaysia at the exchange rate determined by Visa International, on the date of conversion in addition to a foreign currency conversion cost of 1% as well as any transaction fee charged by Visa International. This is not applicable to transactions performed overseas (including online transactions transacted in foreign currencies) on the Everyday Global Debit Card and settled in the currencies supported in Everyday Global Account.
- (v) The Customer shall not use or attempt to use the debit card unless there are sufficient funds in the account.
- (vi) (a) In the situation of a card-present unauthorised transaction which require PIN verification, the Customer shall not be liable for the disputed transaction, unless the Customer is proven to have:
- (i) acted fraudulently;
  - (ii) delayed in notifying the Bank as soon as reasonably practicable after having discovered the loss or unauthorised use of the Customer's debit card;
  - (iii) voluntarily disclosed Customer's PIN to another person;
  - (iv) recorded the PIN on Customer's debit card, or on anything kept in close proximity with the debit card, which could be lost or stolen together with the debit card;
- (b) In the situation of a card-present unauthorised transaction which require signature verification or the use of a contactless card, the Customer shall not be liable for the disputed transaction, unless the Customer is proven to have:
- (i) acted fraudulently;
  - (ii) delayed in notifying the Bank as soon as reasonably practicable after having discovered the loss or unauthorised use of the Customer's debit card;

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- (iii) left the debit card or an item containing the debit card unattended, in places visible and accessible to others, except at the Customer's place of residence. However, the Customer is expected to exercise due care in safeguarding the debit card even at the Customer's place of residence; or
- (iv) voluntarily allowed another person to use the Customer's debit card.
- (c) To facilitate the Bank investigating into any report of lost or stolen debit card, the Bank will require the assistance of the Customer to perform the following:
  - (i) notwithstanding that the Customer may have lodged a verbal report, the Bank will require the Customer to complete a written report, which may include the completion of a questionnaire; and
  - (ii) to provide the Bank with a copy of a police report filed in relation to the lost or theft of the debit card.
- (vii) The Customer also acknowledges that ATM, POS terminals and other automated facilities are not currently configured for use by the print handicapped or visually impaired persons and such Customer will not hold the Bank liable for the grant of a debit card to the Customer at the Customer's request and for all actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, losses, costs, damages and any expense which may be incurred in connection with using the debit card at the ATM, POS terminals or other automated facilities.

### Cheque & Cash Deposits

- 20. (i) The Customer agrees to follow the prescribed procedures correctly when using the automated facilities provided by the Bank for cheque and cash deposits. The Customer agrees that all uncrossed cheques should be crossed by drawing 2 parallel diagonal lines across the top left hand corner of the cheque before depositing and the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer as a result of failing to do so.
- (ii) The Customer acknowledges that all cash deposits (other than through the automated cash deposit facilities) must be handed directly to the Bank's teller. The Customer agrees not to leave cash unattended until the Bank's teller has physically accepted it and further agrees to:
  - count all cash received before leaving the counter as the Bank will not be responsible for any shortfall once the cash has been handed over to the Customer;
  - check all debit or credit transaction advices as against counter transactions; and the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer as a result of failing to do so.
- (iii) Every deposit made by whatever means, shall be taken to have been made only when verified by 2 members of the Bank's staff, duly cleared and entered into the Bank's records.
- (iv) The Customer acknowledges that the deposited amount on the video screen of the automated facilities or advice slip may be pending verification and/or clearance and cannot be taken as a conclusive statement of the account balance.
- (v) The Customer also acknowledges that cheque and cash deposits made through the automated facilities provided by the Bank will be processed in accordance with the Bank's cut-off times as specified on the video screen of the facility and if not specified on the facility, at the Express Banking lobby of the Bank.

### Foreign Currency Cheques

- 21. (i) The Customer acknowledges that:
  - the Bank may be subject to foreign laws when collecting foreign currency cheques on behalf of the Customer from a paying bank outside Malaysia ("foreign collection"); and
  - the foreign laws may allow the paying bank to demand refund from the Bank within 6 years after the cheque has cleared.
- (ii) The Customer agrees:
  - that the Bank reserves the right to debit the Customer's account for the refund;
  - that the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer; and
  - to indemnify the Bank against all actions, claims, demands, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses of whatever nature which the Bank may sustain, suffer or incur as a result of the foreign collection. This indemnity shall continue in spite of the termination of any service and/or closure of any account.
- (iii) The Customer further acknowledges and agrees:

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- that the Bank may at its absolute discretion refuse to accept for collection or purchase any foreign currency cheque, bill or other instrument notwithstanding that there is no irregularity or alteration on such foreign currency cheque, bill or other instrument or that an alteration has been countersigned by the Customer;
- that the Bank is not obliged to give its reasons for exercising its discretion to refuse to accept for collection or purchase any foreign currency cheque, bill or other instrument; and
- that the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.

### Inward Remittances

22. (i) The Bank reserves the right:

- to debit the Customer's account with the same amount credited earlier, when the relevant cheque, instrument, payment order or instruction is subsequently returned unpaid or cannot be presented or cleared due to loss or destruction or misplaced in the process of presenting or, if the amount was wrongly credited in the first place, and the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer;
- to amend under advice, the pay-in-slip due to errors, wrong addition, missing items or third party account payee cheques collected in error;
- to stop any inward remittance in favour of the Customer if the originator's information received by the Bank is incomplete or if the originator does not furnish the Bank with the purpose of the remittance, and the Bank shall not be liable to the Customer for the delay or rejection of the inward remittance;
- to reverse any payments received through Interbank GIRO from a resident or external account for credit to the Customer's external account with the Bank, if the originator does not furnish the Bank with the purpose of the payments, or if the amount is more than RM10,000 per day and/or if it is from a non-permitted source under BNM Notices on Foreign Exchange Administration Rules.

(ii) The Customer agrees:

- that the Bank shall not be liable to the Customer for any loss, error, omission or delay by the correspondent, clearing or intermediary bank which may take place in the transfer or transmission of inward remittances into the Customer's Bank account; and
- that the Bank can only credit the funds into the Customer's account upon receipt of the same from the correspondent, clearing or intermediary bank.

### Outward Remittances

23. (i) The Customer acknowledges that:

- all applications for outward remittances (e.g. telegraphic transfers, demand drafts, cashier's orders, RENTAS, Interbank GIRO) are subject to the Bank's daily cut-off times;
- applications for same day value are also subject to cut-off times based on the geographical location of the recipient;
- applications for outward remittances received after the relevant cut-off time will only be processed on the next banking day; and
- for remittances dependent on other institutions, the Bank will process the application according to the Bank's daily cut-off times and forward the same to the other institution for their processing and the Bank shall not be liable to the Customer for any delay and/or error in processing on the part of the other institution.

(ii) The Customer agrees that:

- the application for telegraphic transfers or demand drafts will be carried out by the Bank in the same currency in which the Customer pays the Bank, unless the Customer specifically instructs the Bank in writing differently;
- where applicable, if the Bank is unable to give a firm quotation for the rate of exchange, the Bank shall carry out the remittance based on a provisional rate and when the actual rate is known, any difference between the provisional rate and the actual rate shall be debited or credited to the relevant Customer's account; and
- all charges for remittances are to be debited to the relevant Customer's account.

(iii) The Bank reserves the right to draw the telegraphic transfer or the demand draft on a different place from that specified by the Customer if the Bank's operational circumstances require it.

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- (iv) The Bank has the discretion to send the telegraphic transfer literally or in cipher. The Customer acknowledges that telegraphic transfers (including demand drafts if sent on behalf of the Customer at the Customer's request), are sent at the Customer's sole risk.
- (v) The Customer acknowledges that transfer of funds from a credit card account to any third party account through Interbank GIRO is treated as a cash advance and the relevant Cardholder Agreement applies.
- (vi) The Customer agrees that the Bank shall not be liable to the Customer:
- for any loss or delay which may take place in the transfer, transmission and/or application of funds; or
  - in the case of telegraphic transfers (as instructed by the Customer or deemed necessary by the Bank), for any error, omission or mutilation which may take place in the transmission of the message (literally or in cipher) or for its misinterpretation by the receiving party when received; and the Customer agrees to indemnify the Bank against any actions, legal proceedings, claims and/or demands that may arise in connection with such loss, delay, error, omission, mutilation and/or misinterpretation.
- (vii) The Customer acknowledges that crediting of funds transfer through Interbank GIRO shall be identified based on the account number provided. The Customer may also provide additional identification to effect the crediting and shall be limited to the identification fields accepted in the Interbank GIRO payment format.

### Carrying Out Payment/Remittance Instructions

24. (i) The Bank reserves the right to carry out the Customer's payment or remittance instructions by any method the Bank sees fit in spite of any specific instructions from the Customer. The Customer acknowledges that any request for cancellation of a payment or remittance instruction must be made in writing and the Bank has the discretion whether or not to cancel the same subject to the Bank's right to debit the Customer's account for all charges and any foreign exchange losses arising from the cancellation.
- (ii) If the Customer's payment or remittance instructions need to be carried out via a payment or clearing system operated by a third party, the Customer agrees that the Bank may use any correspondent, agent, sub-agent, agency or any other financial institution (collectively, "Intermediary"), and the Customer consents to the Bank disclosing all necessary information to the same. The Customer acknowledges that such payment or remittance less any applicable charges, shall be credited to the beneficiary's account based solely on the account number given by the Customer.
- (iii) The Customer agrees that the Bank or relevant Intermediary shall not be liable for any failures, delays, errors, omissions, interruptions, misinterpretation or any other outcome due to the payment or remittance instructions being sent or received through whatever channels of communication.
- (iv) The Customer consents to the Bank disclosing the Customer's name and account number in the transaction details sent to the recipient financial institution and/or the payee.

### Carrying Out Standing/Periodic Instructions

25. (i) The Customer agrees to notify the Bank in writing or via channels made available by the Bank, of any changes or amendments to the:
- payment amount or payment limit;
  - method of payment; and/or
  - periodicity of payment;
- for standing or periodic payment instructions and subject to Clause 27 below, the Customer acknowledges that such changes or amendments shall take effect after 1 week from the Bank's receipt of such notice.
- (ii) The Customer agrees that the Bank has the discretion to terminate the standing or periodic payment instructions with regard to future payments at any time, by written notice to the Customer or after receipt of written confirmation from the payee named in the standing or periodic payment instructions that no further payment is required.
- (iii) The Customer acknowledges that the standing or periodic payment instructions will be carried out provided there are sufficient funds in the account and the Bank shall not be liable to the Customer for any missed payment due to insufficient funds.
- (iv) If the standing or periodic payment instructions are given for a payment limit, the Customer acknowledges that the Bank does not have any responsibility to verify the correctness of the amounts charged by the payee, and any disputes over the amounts are to be settled by the Customer directly with the payee.

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### Autopay Services

26. In these Generic Terms & Conditions:

"Autopay" means batch payments using a numerically based system.

"Autopay In" means payments to the Customer using Autopay.

"Autopay Out" means payments by the Customer using Autopay.

"Autopay Services" means either Autopay In or Autopay Out.

- (i) The Customer acknowledges that Autopay Services is dependent on a numerically based system and therefore the Bank is not obliged to ensure that the account/payee names given by the Customer are identical or similar to the account names in the Bank's records, and agrees that a transfer to or from an account having the same number as that given by the Customer shall be a good and complete discharge by the Bank of the Customer's instructions.
- (ii) The Customer authorises the Bank to debit the Customer's account with the charges for Autopay Services as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).
- (iii) The Customer acknowledges that:
  - if a payment due date falls on a holiday, entries will be passed on the banking day prior to the holiday;
  - if there is insufficient funds in the Customer's account or any occasion under Autopay Out, it will cause the Customer's instructions to be automatically cancelled;
  - Autopay Services may be terminated by the Bank at any time by giving 7 days' prior written notice to the Customer.
- (iv) The Customer acknowledges that the Bank is not liable for any loss or delay which may take place in the transfer, transmission, input and/or application of funds and the Customer agrees to indemnify the Bank against any actions, proceedings, claims, demands or liabilities which may arise in connection with such loss or delay.
- (v) The Customer agrees to indemnify the Bank against any actions, proceedings, claims, demands, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses which the Bank may incur as a result of carrying out the Customer's instructions under Autopay Services.

### Priority of Payment

27. The Customer agrees that the Bank has full discretion to conclusively determine the order of priority of payment from the funds of the Customer, of any cheque drawn on the Customer's account or any standing or payment instructions from the Customer.

### Customer's Instructions

28. The Customer acknowledges that the Customer's instructions may be carried out even though:

- (a) they conflict with or are inconsistent with other instructions or mandates given by the Customer to the Bank; and/or
- (b) account(s) which are for the time being in credit or overdrawn, may become or remain overdrawn as a result.

In any of the above cases, the Customer shall be liable for any resulting advance or credit facilities created subject to interest at the rate determined by the Bank, and Clause 2 above shall apply. The Customer shall ensure that there are sufficient funds in the Customer's account or prearranged credit facilities to meet all payment instructions.

All instructions by a Customer shall remain effective for the protection of the Bank for payments made or instructions carried out in good faith in spite of death, bankruptcy or winding-up or the revocation of any such instructions by any means by the Customer, until written notice with documents evidencing such death, bankruptcy, winding-up or such revocation is received by the Bank.

### Beyond Bank's Control

29. The Customer shall not hold the Bank responsible for any loss or damage which the Customer may suffer directly or indirectly relating to any service, including but not limited to breakdown or malfunction of the computer, its terminal connection lines, data processing system or transmission line or any other equipment whether or not belonging to the Bank, due to attempted or actual acts of terrorism, outbreak of epidemics, acts of God or any circumstances beyond the Bank's control.

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### Telecommunications

30. (i) Subject to Clause 31:

(a) at the request of the Customer, the Bank is authorised to release information relating to the Customer's account, exchange rates or interest rates (subject to fluctuation) at its discretion via telephone or telex. Information or rates given via telephone shall not be binding on the Bank unless subsequently confirmed by the Bank in writing;

(b) the Customer authorises the Bank to send any account information, updates and reminders pertaining to the Customer's account via short messaging service ("SMS") or multimedia messaging service ("MMS") to the Customer's mobile phone number according to Clause 3, including outstanding balance, available balance, overdraft limit (if any) and any other updates that the Bank may make available from time to time.

(ii) The Bank is authorised to rely and act on the instructions received by the Bank from the Customer via telephone, mobile phone (including SMS or MMS sent from the Customer's mobile phone number according to Clause 3), electronic medium (i.e. online communications including but not limited to instructions received via mobile banking applications), telex or (excluding instructions received for Credit Card accounts) or other means of telecommunication ("collectively, Telecommunication Instructions") and the Customer agrees that the Bank is authorised to treat any Telecommunication Instructions which the Bank in its sole discretion believes came from the Customer (after taking reasonable steps to verify the identity of the person giving or the source of the Telecommunication Instructions) as fully authorised by the Customer and to rely and act on it, and the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer if such Telecommunication Instructions did not in fact come from the Customer.

In spite of what is stated in this Clause, the Bank is not obliged to accept and act upon Telecommunication Instructions regarding:

- change in account mandate;
- change of authorised signatories;
- grant of Power of Attorney to another person or entity;
- payment instructions;
- closure of account(s) and transfer of the remaining balance.

(iii) The Customer agrees to indemnify the Bank against all actions, claims, demands, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses of whatever nature which the Bank may sustain, suffer or incur as a result of the Bank acting on the Telecommunication Instructions in good faith, and the Bank is authorised to debit any account(s) of the Customer with such sums and Clause 2 above shall apply. This indemnity shall continue in spite of any revocation of authorisation, termination of any service and/or closure of any account.

(iv) The Bank may at its discretion, introduce further security measures to ensure, as far as possible, that the Telecommunication Instructions have been authorised by the Customer.

(v) The Customer may revoke the authorisation in this Clause 30(i)(a) or (b) and/or Clause 30(ii) by written notice signed according to the account mandate and given to the branch of account.

### Indemnity from Customer

31. The Customer shall discharge the Bank from all liabilities and indemnify the Bank against all losses, damages, fees, costs, charges, taxes, duties, imposts and expenses (including legal costs) which the Bank may sustain or incur and which have arisen either directly or indirectly in relation to the circumstances set out below, and the Bank is authorised to debit any account(s) of the Customer with such sums and Clause 2 above shall apply:

- (a) the maintaining of, use or purported use of the Bank's services, products or facilities and/or the Card, PIN or password by the Customer or any other person (the Customer shall be liable for all transactions effected until the PIN has been cancelled by the Bank);
- (b) the Customer's breach of or non-compliance with these Generic Terms & Conditions, the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions, any account-related documentation or any applicable laws and regulations;
- (c) the Customer's negligent acts or omissions;
- (d) the Bank accepting instructions from the Customer or which the Bank believes in good faith to have come from the Customer (whether so authorised or not) and acting or failing to act on the same, unless due to the negligence or fraud of the Bank;
- (e) enforcement by the Bank of its rights under these Generic Terms & Conditions, the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions or any account-related documentation;
- (f) any delay in payment or the debit or credit into the Customer's account as a result of Clause 8 and/or Clause 9(i) above.

This indemnity shall continue in spite of the termination of any service and/or closure of any account.



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### Legal Expenses

32. The Customer agrees that:

- all legal expenses incurred by the Bank for the recovery of any amount from the Customer under any credit facilities or account shall be borne by the Customer; and
- the judgment sum shall carry interest at the existing interest rate(s) applicable to the credit facilities or account from the date of judgment to the date of full payment.

### Conflict & Order of Priority

33. If there is any inconsistency between these Generic Terms & Conditions, the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions and any account-related/Services-related documentation, the terms and conditions shall prevail in the following order: (*please refer to Clause 41 for the definition of "Services"*)

- Clauses 8, 9, 10, 14 and 41 of these Generic Terms & Conditions;
- the account-related/Services-related documentation
- the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions; and
- lastly, all the other clauses of these Generic Terms & Conditions not specified in paragraph (a) above.

### Notices

34. Any statement, notice, communication or demand for which the manner of delivery is not specifically stated in these Generic Terms & Conditions, the applicable Specific Terms & Conditions or the Client Charter (available on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my)):

- that is required to be in writing, may be given by the Bank to the Customer:
  - at the Customer's address or email address or handphone number according to Clause 3 and Clause 4(i) above by:
    - personal delivery and shall be taken to have been received at the time of delivery;
    - ordinary/registered post (either AR or non-AR registered) or courier and shall be taken to have been received on the 3rd day after posting or the 3rd day after despatch to the courier service provider, as the case may be, even though it may later be returned undelivered, or the Bank is not in receipt of the signed AR card or the Customer's acknowledgement of receipt; or
    - email and electronic message shall be taken to have been received at the time of transmission.
  - posting on the Bank's website, and shall be taken to have been received immediately after such posting by the Bank.
- shall be given by the Customer to the Bank in writing by:
  - delivery; or
  - post;to the branch of account, and shall be received on the day of actual receipt by the Bank.

### No Waiver & No Assignment

- No act, omission, failure or delay by the Bank in exercising any power, right or remedy under these Generic Terms & Conditions shall be taken as a waiver by the Bank unless the waiver is confirmed by the Bank in writing. A single or partial exercise by the Bank of any power, right or remedy does not prevent further exercise or the exercise of any other power, right or remedy.
- The Customer is not allowed to assign or transfer any of the Customer's rights or obligations to any person unless with the Bank's prior written agreement.

### Illegality

36. Any term or condition in these Generic Terms & Conditions which is unenforceable shall not affect the remaining terms and conditions.

### Dormant Account

- An account with no deposits and withdrawals for a continuous period of 12 months (excluding those initiated by the Bank) shall be classified by the Bank as dormant. An account which is dormant for a continuous period of 7 years shall be classified as unclaimed monies and dealt with in accordance with the requirements of unclaimed monies.
- The Customer will not be able to transact on a dormant account until the Customer reactivates the account at the Bank's counter or Bank's Telebanking Centre with proper verification before the account is classified as unclaimed monies.

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### Fraud

38. The Customer agrees to co-operate with the Bank and the police in trying to recover any losses resulting from the Bank acting on instructions which the Customer subsequently informs the Bank were not in fact given or authorised by the Customer. The Customer consents to the Bank disclosing information about the Customer and/or the Customer's account to the police or other third parties including in legal proceedings, if the Bank is of the view that it will help to prevent or recover losses.

### Fees, Charges & Rates

39. The Customer acknowledges that:

- (i) the applicable fees and charges are found in the Bank's Tariff and Charges on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) (as updated from time to time) and forms part of these Generic Terms & Conditions binding on the Customer, and that the Bank reserves the right to impose and/or revise from time to time such fees and charges as the Bank in its discretion sees fit and to debit any account of the Customer with the applicable fees and charges; and
- (ii) the applicable interest rates for deposits are found on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) (as updated from time to time).

### Jurisdiction

40. The Customer submits to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in Malaysia.

### Definitions

41. For the purpose of 8, 10, 14 and 33:

**"Authorities"** includes any judicial, administrative, public or regulatory body, any government, any Tax Authority, securities or futures exchange, court, central bank or law enforcement body, or any of their agents with jurisdiction over any member of the HSBC Group.

**"Compliance Obligations"** means obligations of the HSBC Group to comply with: (1) Laws or international guidance and internal policies or procedures, (2) any demand from Authorities or reporting, disclosure or other obligations under Laws, and (3) Laws requiring the Bank to verify the identity of customers.

**"Connected Person"** a person or entity (other than the Customer) whose information (including Personal Data or Tax Information) is provided by, or on behalf of, the Customer to any member of the HSBC Group or which is otherwise received by any member of the HSBC Group in connection with the provision of any accounts, products and/or services. A "Connected Person" may include, but is not limited to, any guarantor, a director or officer of a company, partners or members of a partnership, any "substantial owner", "controlling person", or beneficial owner, trustee, settlor or protector of a trust, account holder of a designated account, payee of a designated payment, representative, agent or nominee of the Customer, or any other persons or entities having a relationship to the Customer that is relevant to the Customer's relationship with the HSBC Group.

**"controlling persons"** means individuals who exercise control over an entity. For a trust, these are the settlor, the trustees, the protector, the beneficiaries or class of beneficiaries, and any other individual who exercises ultimate effective control over the trust, and for entities other than a trust, these are persons in equivalent or similar positions of control.

**"Customer Information"** means (1) Personal Data, (2) confidential information (including information about the Customer, the Customer's accounts, transactions and use of the Bank's products and Services, and the Customer's relationships with the HSBC Group) and/or (3) Tax Information of either the Customer or a Connected Person.

**"Financial Crime"** means money laundering, terrorist financing, bribery, corruption, tax evasion, fraud, evasion of economic or trade sanctions, and/or any acts or attempts to circumvent or violate any Laws relating to these matters.

**"Financial Crime Risk Management Activity"** means detection, investigation, reporting and prevention of Financial Crime.

**"HSBC Group"** means HSBC Holdings plc, its affiliates, subsidiaries, associated entities and any of their branches and offices (together or individually), and "member(s) of the HSBC Group" has the same meaning.

**"Laws"** include any local or foreign law, regulation, judgment or court order, voluntary code, sanctions regime, agreement between any member of the HSBC Group and an Authority, or agreement or treaty between Authorities and applicable to the Bank or a member of the HSBC Group.

**"Personal Data"** means any information relating to an individual from which the individual can be identified including any expression of opinion about the individual.

**"Services"** include financing and banking facilities, and other banking services.

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**"substantial owners"** means any individuals entitled to more than 10% of the profits of or with an interest of more than 10% in an entity either directly or indirectly.

**"Tax Authority"** means local or foreign tax, revenue or monetary authorities.

**"Tax Certification Forms"** means any forms or other documentation as may be issued or required by a Tax Authority or by the Bank from time to time to confirm the tax status of the Customer or of a Connected Person.

**"Tax Information"** means documentation or information about the Customer's tax status and the tax status of any owner, "controlling person", "substantial owner" or beneficial owner of the Customer, that the Bank considers, acting reasonably, is needed to comply (or demonstrate compliance, or avoid non-compliance) with any member of the HSBC Group's obligations to any Tax Authority. "Tax Information" includes, but is not limited to, information about: tax residence and/or place of organisation (as applicable), tax domicile, tax identification eCertification Forms, certain Personal Data (including name(s), residential address(es), age, date of birth, place of birth, nationality, citizenship).

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## Specific Terms & Conditions (July 2019) for HSBC Premier and HSBC Advance

These Specific Terms & Conditions (not applicable to credit cards) should be read together with the Generic Terms & Conditions and the Specific Terms & Conditions for Retail Banking and Wealth Management of the relevant account/product/service opened with or provided by HSBC.

**\* Note: Deposit products are eligible for protection by PIDM as stated below. The maximum limit of coverage is RM250,000 per depositor per bank as prescribed under PIDM guideline available at [www.pidm.gov.my](http://www.pidm.gov.my).**

### 1. Premier and Advance Account

*[Premier Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

*[Advance Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. Interest shall be:

- calculated on a daily basis;
- on the balance at the end of each day;
- at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time.

The interest earned (to the nearest sen) will be credited to the account on a monthly basis.

- b. The Customer is required to maintain the account minimum eligibility criteria stated in [www.hsbc.com.my/1/2//hsbcpremier/hsbc-premier](http://www.hsbc.com.my/1/2//hsbcpremier/hsbc-premier) for HSBC Premier and [www.hsbc.com.my/1/2//hsbcadvance/hsbc-advance](http://www.hsbc.com.my/1/2//hsbcadvance/hsbc-advance) for HSBC Advance, as determined by the Bank which is subject to change from time to time ("Eligibility Criteria") for the account failing which a monthly account fee as stated for the time being in the Bank's tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) shall be imposed.
- c. The Customer confirms that it has not been reported by any bank to the credit bureau set up by Bank Negara Malaysia, and acknowledges that the Bank has the right to close the account if the Customer is so reported.
- d. The Customer agrees:
- not to write any notations on the face of a cheque, and if any are written, the Bank has the right to ignore the notations without being liable to the Customer; and
  - not to make any changes on a cheque, and the Bank has the right to dishonour and return a cheque which the Bank views as having any changes, even if countersigned by the authorised signatories.
- e. The Customer agrees that it is the Customer's responsibility to keep the cheque book secure (preferably locked) and under its sole control at all times, and if the Customer fails to do so, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.
- (i) The Customer agrees not to write cheques in a way which may allow the cheque to be tampered with or facilitates fraud, and to take precautionary measures such as, but not limited to:
- using only non-erasable ink (not erasable ballpoint pens, pencils, electronic typewriter or any other instruments);
  - not leaving signed or unsigned cheques unattended;
  - not pre-signing cheques in blank; and
  - destroying completely spoilt cheques;
- failing which no liability shall attach to the Bank.
- f. The Customer acknowledges that a stop payment instruction may only be carried out if the cheque has not been presented for payment, and once carried out, cannot be reversed and:
- the words "stop payment" will be stamped on the cheque;
  - re-presentation of the cheque is not allowed; and
  - handling fees and penalty charges (if the account has insufficient funds for the cheque) will be charged and debited to the account.
- g. The Customer agrees to check upon receipt, that:
- the Customer has received the correct number of cheque books;
  - each cheque book has the correct number of cheque leaves;
  - account details printed are correct; and
  - to read and carry out all the instructions printed on the inside front cover of the cheque book;
- and if the Customer fails to do any of it, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.

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6. Services - Premier Account

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7. Services - Advance Account

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### 1. Premier and Advance Account (continued)

- h. The Customer agrees not to issue cheques when there are insufficient funds in the account. Penalty charges for returned cheques due to insufficient funds as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) will be charged and debited to the account.
- i. The terms and conditions for Current Account shall also apply.

### 2. Premier and Advance Flexitime Deposit Account

*[Premier Flexitime Deposit Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

*[Advance Flexitime Deposit Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. Deposits will earn simple interest, unless otherwise stated in writing by the Bank.
- b. Duration of placement is subject to a minimum of 1 month and a maximum of 60 months.
- c. Payment of interest on Flexitime deposits that are withdrawn before maturity date shall be:
  - where the Flexitime deposit is held for 3 months or longer, interest will be paid at half the contracted rate for each completed month; and
  - where the Flexitime deposit is held for less than 3 months, no interest shall be paid.
- d. All deposits plus interest earned shall be automatically renewed for the same period on maturity date, unless instructions in writing or via channels made available by the Bank are received by the Bank from the Customer or its successors in title beforehand. The Customer has the right to give and/or to amend any instructions up to the maturity date.
- e. If the maturity date falls on a non-banking day, it will be automatically adjusted to the next banking day.
- f. Placement of funds by cheque is subject to clearance of the cheque.
- g. The payment of interest, if any, shall be paid:
  - on the maturity date; or
  - at periodic intervals at the Bank's discretion.
- h. Premature partial upliftments of the FlexiTime Deposits are allowed subject to payment of penalty interest on the uplifted amount.

### 3. Premier/Advance with EasiGrow (optional for link with the Premier/Advance Account)

*(Note: This Product has been discontinued. The terms herein apply to existing accountholders only)*

*[Premier Account with EasiGrow: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

*[Advance Account with EasiGrow: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. Premier/Advance Account customers may open a Premier/Advance with EasiGrow Account ("PME") and:
  - select a time period of three (3), five (5) or ten (10) years ("Selected Tenure"); and
  - set up a monthly Standing Instruction ("SI") authorising the Bank to transfer a fixed sum subject to a minimum amount of RM250 from the Premier/Advance Account to the PME on a specific date every month throughout the Selected Tenure ("SI Date").
 The Customer is only required to set up one SI for each PME.
- b. Interest will be calculated on a daily basis and credited to the PME monthly.
- c. No debit card, chequing facilities and Short Message Service will be provided for the PME.
- d. In accordance with paragraph (a) above, the Customer may only set up one (1) SI throughout the Selected Tenure of the PME. No variation or amendment may be made to the sum, mode of payment and Selected Tenure.
- e. Overdraft facility (if any) granted to the Premier/Advance Account will not be used to effect the SI.
- f. In addition to the SI to be effected every month, the Customer may directly transfer or deposit any additional sum into the PME anytime during the Selected Tenure.
- g. The Customer agrees that the Bank will execute the SI every month on the SI Date. There will be no contribution to the PME for that month if the Bank cannot execute the SI due to insufficient funds in the Premier/Advance Account.
- h. If the Bank is unable to execute the SI for three (3) consecutive months, the PME shall be closed on the day before the next SI is to be effected unless the Customer has funded the Premier/Advance Account with the total amount of the SI which were not earlier effected, for such to be effected to the PME. On closure of the PME, the balance in the PME less any applicable fees shall be transferred to the Premier/Advance Account.

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### 3. Premier/Advance with EasiGrow (optional for link with the Premier/Advance Account) (continued)

- i. (i) The Customer agrees that for withdrawals from PME:
  - Only one (1) withdrawal is allowed per calendar month up to 10% of the total balance in the PME or such other sum as may be notified by the Bank from time to time (the "Limit");
  - it can only be effected from the Premier/Advance Account and the Customer must first transfer the requisite sum from the PME to the Premier/Advance Account; and
  - it will be subject to the terms and conditions applicable to a Premier/Advance Account.

### 3. Premier/Advance with EasiGrow (optional for link with the Premier/Advance Account) (continued)

- (ii) In the event the Customer wishes to withdraw a sum in excess of the Limit or makes more than one (1) withdrawal per month from the PME, the PME will be closed and the balance less any fee will be transferred to the Premier/Advance Account.
- (iii) Credit balances in the PME are not available for payment of cheques issued under the Premier/Advance Account.
- j. The Customer agrees that a Premature Account Closure Fee as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges (which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my)) will be deducted from the PME if it is prematurely closed prior to the expiration of the Selected Tenure due to:
  - the Bank's inability to execute the SI within 3 months in accordance with paragraphs (a) and (d) above; or
  - the Customer failing to set up an SI within three (3) months from the date of opening of the PME; or
  - the Customer makes more than one (1) withdrawal per calendar month; or
  - the Customer withdraws an amount in excess of 10% of the total balance of the PME or such other sum as may be notified by the Bank from time to time.

If there are insufficient funds in the PME, the Customer authorises the Bank to deduct the Premature Account Closure Fee from the Premier/Advance Account or any other credit balance held with the Bank.

- k. The Customer can personalise the PME with a name of up to twenty eight (28) characters via Personal Internet Banking ("PIB"). The personalised name of the PME will appear on PIB for the Customer's reference only and is not intended to constitute the PME as a trust account. The Customer agrees that the Bank is not responsible to monitor that the PME is used for its intended purpose (if it is reflected in the name of the account) and the Customer holds the Bank harmless from any claim and shall indemnify the Bank for any losses and damages arising from any such claim.
- l. At the end of the Selected Tenure:
  - the PME will automatically be closed; and
  - the credit balance less any fee will be transferred to the Premier/Advance Account.

### 4. Premier/Advance PLUS Plan

*(Note: This Product has been discontinued. The terms herein apply to existing accountholders only)  
[Premier Account with EasiGrow component is Eligible for protection by PIDM']  
[Advance Account with EasiGrow component is Eligible for protection by PIDM']*

- a. Premier/Advance Account Customers may participate in the Premier/Advance PLUS Plan ("PLUS Plan"), which consists of:
  - (i) Premier/Advance with EasiGrow PLUS Account ("PEPLUS Account") and
  - (ii) Unit Trust Investment Account ("UT Account").The Customer will enjoy free coverage under the Takaful Personal Accident (PA) Certificate ("PA Coverage") underwritten by Zurich Takaful (Malaysia) Berhad ("the Takaful Operator") during the Selected Tenure of the Plus Plan subject to the terms and conditions herein and as provided in the Takaful certificate issued by the Takaful Operator.
- b. The Customer may select one of the plans listed in the table below. Once selected, the Bank will transfer the respective portions of the total monthly contribution according to the Customer's Standing Instruction ("SI") from the Customer's Premier/Advance Account to the Customer's PEPLUS Account and the UT Account.

The SI will be effected on the 8th day of each calendar month ("SI Date") throughout the tenure of the selected plan ("Selected Tenure"). The Bank has the right to change the SI Date.

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### 4. Premier/Advance PLUS Plan (continued)

#### PREMIER

PLAN	Tenure (years)	PEPLUS account (RM)	Unit Trust Investment Account (RM)	Total monthly contribution (RM)	Sum covered (RM)	Period of Takaful coverage (years)
A	3	250	250	500	18,000	3
B	3	500	500	1,000	36,000	3
C	5	250	250	500	30,000	5
D	5	500	500	1,000	60,000	5

#### ADVANCE

PLAN	Tenure (years)	PEPLUS account (RM)	Unit Trust Investment Account (RM)	Total monthly contribution (RM)	Sum covered (RM)	Period of Takaful coverage (years)
A	3	250	250	500	18,000	3
B	3	500	500	1,000	36,000	3
C	5	250	250	500	30,000	5
D	5	500	500	1,000	60,000	5
E	5	150	150	300	18,000	5

- c. If there are insufficient funds in the Premier/Advance Account to effect both the SI for PEPLUS Account and UT Account under the PLUS Plan, priority will be given to the SI for the UT Account.
- d. The Customer agrees that for unit trust investments, a front end fee as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) will be deducted from the monthly unit trust contribution and the balance will be invested in the UT Account in accordance with paragraph (b) above.
- e. The PLUS Plan is only available to:
  - sole Premier/Advance Account Customers; and
  - joint Premier/Advance Account Customers whose mandate is either one to sign.
- f. The Customer agrees that no variation may be made to the:
  - total monthly contribution;
  - SI Date;
  - mode of payment;
  - Selected Tenure;
  - period of Takaful Coverage; and
  - switching or transfer of unit trust funds.
- g. The PA Coverage will terminate upon premature closure of the PEPLUS Account or redemption of the UT Account prior to the expiry of the Selected Tenure.
- h. For joint accounts, only one of the joint accountholders (as nominated in the account opening form) may enjoy the free PA Coverage.
- i. Standing Instructions ("SI")
  - (i) The Bank has the right to change the SI Date if the SI Date falls on a weekend, public holiday or a day where it is a non banking day in Kuala Lumpur.
  - (ii) If the PEPLUS Account or the UT account are closed/redeemed ("the Affected Account") or the SI for either the PEPLUS Account or UT Account is/are cancelled, the SI for the Affected Account will automatically cease. The Customer may continue the SI for the remaining account.

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### 4. Premier/Advance PLUS Plan (continued)

m. The PLUS Plan operates as follows:

(i) If held to maturity:

- the SI for both the PEPLUS Account and the UT Account will lapse;
- the PEPLUS Account will automatically be closed and the balance in the PEPLUS Account less any fee will be transferred to the Premier/Advance Account;
- the UT Account will remain and the Customer may redeem the unit trust funds purchased under the PLUS Plan as and when required by the Customer; and
- the PA Coverage will lapse.

(ii) If the PEPLUS Account or the UT Account within the PLUS Plan is prematurely closed or redeemed or the SI for either the PEPLUS Account or the UT Account is cancelled, then:

- the SI for the Affected Account will be terminated. The SI for the remaining account will continue until maturity of the Selected Tenure; and
- the PA Coverage will lapse.

(iii) If there is any PA Coverage claim under PLUS Plan and benefits are paid by the Takaful Operator under the terms and conditions of the PA Coverage for sole and joint accounts, then the PA Coverage for such PLUS Plan will no longer apply for the rest of the Selected Tenure.

### 5. Premier Junior Account

*(Note: This product has been discontinued with effect from 6 May 2019. The terms herein are applicable to existing accountholders only)*

*[Premier Junior Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. The Premier Junior Account ("Junior Account"):

- is an exclusive savings account for Premier Customers who have a child/children under the age of 18 years old; and
- maintain the minimum Premier eligibility criteria ("Eligibility Criteria").

The Eligibility Criteria may be updated from time to time and can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).

b. The Bank reserves the right to close the Junior Account if the Customer fails to maintain the Eligibility Criteria.

c. Although the Junior Account will be registered in the name of the Customer and the Customer's nominated child ("the Child"), only the Customer shall be:

- the holder of the Junior Account; and
- granted access to the Junior Account to perform banking transactions including ATM, Internet Banking and Telebanking services.

In the event such transactions are performed by the Child, it shall be deemed to be performed by the Customer. For avoidance of doubt, all services offered in relation to the Junior Account is for the sole benefit of the Customer unless otherwise stated in writing by the Bank.

d. The Junior Account is not a trust account and the Child does not acquire any legal and/or beneficial interest in the Junior Account. The Customer agrees that the Bank is not responsible to monitor that the Junior Account is used for its intended purpose by the Customer and the Customer holds the Bank harmless from any claim and shall indemnify the Bank for any losses and damages arising from any such claim.

e. In the event the Customer's Premier Account is closed for any reason whatsoever, the Junior Account will consequently be closed and the balance in the Junior Account less any fee will be returned to the Customer.

f. (i) Notwithstanding paragraphs (c) and (d) above, a Premier Recognition Card ("the Card") will be issued to the Child for the purpose of identifying the Child to the Junior Account.

The Card:

- cannot be used to perform any banking transactions;
- is by no means transferable to any other party; and
- is the property of the Bank and must be returned to the Bank by the Customer immediately upon the closure of the Junior Account or as and when requested by the Bank.

(ii) The Bank reserves the right to withdraw at its absolute discretion the Card and/or any benefits from the Card at any time upon the death, bankruptcy or insolvency of the Customer or in such circumstances that the Bank deems fit.



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### 4. Premier/Advance PLUS Plan (continued)

m. The PLUS Plan operates as follows:

(i) If held to maturity:

- the SI for both the PEPLUS Account and the UT Account will lapse;
- the PEPLUS Account will automatically be closed and the balance in the PEPLUS Account less any fee will be transferred to the Premier/Advance Account;
- the UT Account will remain and the Customer may redeem the unit trust funds purchased under the PLUS Plan as and when required by the Customer; and
- the PA Coverage will lapse.

(ii) If the PEPLUS Account or the UT Account within the PLUS Plan is prematurely closed or redeemed or the SI for either the PEPLUS Account or the UT Account is cancelled, then:

- the SI for the Affected Account will be terminated. The SI for the remaining account will continue until maturity of the Selected Tenure; and
- the PA Coverage will lapse.

(iii) If there is any PA Coverage claim under PLUS Plan and benefits are paid by the Takaful Operator under the terms and conditions of the PA Coverage for sole and joint accounts, then the PA Coverage for such PLUS Plan will no longer apply for the rest of the Selected Tenure.

### 5. Premier Junior Account

*(Note: This product has been discontinued with effect from 6 May 2019. The terms herein are applicable to existing accountholders only)*

*[Premier Junior Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. The Premier Junior Account ("Junior Account"):

- is an exclusive savings account for Premier Customers who have a child/children under the age of 18 years old; and
- maintain the minimum Premier eligibility criteria ("Eligibility Criteria").

The Eligibility Criteria may be updated from time to time and can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).

b. The Bank reserves the right to close the Junior Account if the Customer fails to maintain the Eligibility Criteria.

c. Although the Junior Account will be registered in the name of the Customer and the Customer's nominated child ("the Child"), only the Customer shall be:

- the holder of the Junior Account; and
- granted access to the Junior Account to perform banking transactions including ATM, Internet Banking and Telebanking services.

In the event such transactions are performed by the Child, it shall be deemed to be performed by the Customer. For avoidance of doubt, all services offered in relation to the Junior Account is for the sole benefit of the Customer unless otherwise stated in writing by the Bank.

d. The Junior Account is not a trust account and the Child does not acquire any legal and/or beneficial interest in the Junior Account. The Customer agrees that the Bank is not responsible to monitor that the Junior Account is used for its intended purpose by the Customer and the Customer holds the Bank harmless from any claim and shall indemnify the Bank for any losses and damages arising from any such claim.

e. In the event the Customer's Premier Account is closed for any reason whatsoever, the Junior Account will consequently be closed and the balance in the Junior Account less any fee will be returned to the Customer.

f. (i) Notwithstanding paragraphs (c) and (d) above, a Premier Recognition Card ("the Card") will be issued to the Child for the purpose of identifying the Child to the Junior Account.

The Card:

- cannot be used to perform any banking transactions;
- is by no means transferable to any other party; and
- is the property of the Bank and must be returned to the Bank by the Customer immediately upon the closure of the Junior Account or as and when requested by the Bank.

(ii) The Bank reserves the right to withdraw at its absolute discretion the Card and/or any benefits from the Card at any time upon the death, bankruptcy or insolvency of the Customer or in such circumstances that the Bank deems fit.

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### 5. Premier Junior Account (continued)

- g. The Customer agrees that the Bank may disclose information on the Junior Account to the Child.
- h. A monthly composite statement for the Junior Account(s) will be issued to the Customer .
- i. So long as the Child is still a minor, the Customer will enjoy interest rates on the Junior Account as stated for the time being in the Bank's Interest Rates Listing on the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my). Interest will be calculated on a daily basis and credited into the Junior Account monthly.
- j. (i) When the Child reaches the age of majority (18 years of age), the Customer may:
  - close the Junior account and open a new Premier Account in the joint names of the Customer and the Child; or
  - open a new Premier Account in the sole name of the Customer; or
  - open a new Premier Account in the sole name of the Child;provided that the Eligibility Criteria is met.  
(ii) If the Junior Account is not dealt with in the manner above within 6 months of the Child attaining the age of majority, the Junior Account will no longer:
  - enjoy the interest rate as stipulated in paragraph (g) above; and
  - the prevailing interest rate applicable to a Premier Account will apply.
- k. A minimum initial deposit as determined by the Bank is required.

### 5A. Premier Junior Savers Account

*[Premier Junior Savers Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. The Premier Junior Savers Account ("Junior Savers Account") is an exclusive savings account for children of Premier Customers under the age of 18 years old where:
  - the Premier Customer ("Parent") maintains the minimum Premier eligibility criteria ("Eligibility Criteria"); and
  - a minimum initial deposit as determined by the Bank is maintained in the Junior Savers Account.
- b. The Eligibility Criteria may be updated from time to time and can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my). The Bank reserves the right to close the Junior Savers Account if the Parent fails to maintain the Eligibility Criteria.
- c. The Junior Savers Account is an account held on trust by the Parent for the benefit of the Parent's nominated child ("the Child"),
- d. A Parent may open multiple Junior Savers Accounts but the Junior Savers Account can only be opened for one (1) Child per Parent per account.
- e. The Junior Savers Account is not a joint account even though the Bank will maintain records for both the Parent and the Child. The Junior Savers Account shall be operated by the Parent, and the Bank shall act on the instructions of the Parent in relation to the account operations and shall not accept instructions from the Child (except for limited ATM and POS as below mentioned).
- f. The Parent may close the Junior Savers Account without the Child in attendance prior to the Child attaining the age of 18 years old. Upon the Child attaining the age of 18 years old, the Parent and Child are both required to close and withdraw all funds in the Junior Savers Account in person. Subsequently, the Child can choose to open a new Premier Account with the Bank in his/her sole name or joint name with the Parent provided the Eligibility Criteria is met.
- g. Upon the Child attaining the age of 12, the Parent may apply for a debit card for the Child's use and to be issued in the Child's name
- h. The Parent agrees that the Bank is not responsible to monitor that the Junior Savers Account is used for its intended purpose by the Parent and/or the Child and the Parent holds the Bank harmless from any claim and shall indemnify the Bank for any losses and damages arising from any such claim except where losses and damages are directly attributable to the Bank's negligence or default.
- i. In the event the Parent's Premier Account(s) is closed for any reason whatsoever, the Junior Savers Account will consequently be closed and the balance in the Junior Savers Account less any fee will be returned to the Parent as the trustee.
- j. The Parent agrees that the Bank may disclose information on the Junior Savers Account to the Child.
- k. A composite statement for the Junior Savers Account(s) will be issued to the Parent and a standalone statement will be issued to the Child at such intervals selected by the Parent upon request by the Parent.

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- l. Interest as stipulated in the Bank's website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) (as updated from time to time) will be calculated on a daily basis and credited into the Junior Savers Account monthly.
- m. If the Junior Savers Account is not closed in the manner stated in paragraph (f) above within 6 months of the Child attaining 18 years of age, the Junior Account will no longer:
  - (i) enjoy the interest rate as stipulated in paragraph (l) above; and
  - (ii) the prevailing interest rate applicable to a Premier Account will apply.
- n. If the Junior Savers Account is still not closed when the Child has reached the age of 24 years, the Bank has the right to close the Junior Savers Account. In such an event, the monies will be transferred to the Parent's active sole Premier Account maintained with the Bank and if there is no such active account, the monies will be forwarded to the Parent as the trustee.
- o. In the event of death of the Parent or the Child, the Bank must be notified immediately. The Bank shall close the Account upon any such death.
  - (i) In the event of death of the Child, funds in the Account will be paid to or to the order of the Parent.
  - (ii) In the event of death of the Parent, funds in the Account will be paid as follows:
    - where the Child has reached the age of majority (18 years of age), to the Child or any authorised representative of the Child;
    - where the Child has not reached the age of majority (below 18 years of age), to the legal guardian of the Child.
- p. The Bank shall be entitled to withhold payment of funds in the Account without liability to pay interest after account closure.

### 6. Services - Premier Account

#### Cheque Protection Facility

- a. (i) The Cheque Protection facility (by way of cheque issuance of up to RM500);
  - is an overnight excess allowed by the Bank;
  - must be regularised by the end of the next banking day;
  - is subject to the Bank's customary overriding right of repayment on demand; and
  - may be withdrawn at the discretion of the Bank which includes cheque returns or failure to regularise excesses as required above.
- (ii) The Customer accordingly holds the Bank free from all liability and agrees to indemnify the Bank against any actions, legal proceedings, claims and/or demands, cost, loss and expenses that may arise in connection with such withdrawal. If the facility is withdrawn, all outstandings, if any, shall be charged at the prevailing unauthorised overdraft rate as determined by the Bank.

#### Account Statements

- b. A consolidated monthly account statement shall be issued to the Customer and:
  - sent in hard copy; or
  - made available in electronic format for download; and
  - shall consist of information on accounts held in the Customer's name at the Bank or third party products/services/investments marketed by the Bank.

#### Re-designation, etc of Premier Accounts

- c. Re-designation, etc of Premier Accounts
  - (i) The Bank may, at its sole discretion allocate, vary, withdraw, re-designate, convert, ("re-designation/re-designate") any or all of the HSBC Premier Accounts, if the Eligibility Criteria are not complied with, or for any other reasons without any obligation to furnish reasons for the same. The Customer in retaining any one or more of the services shall continue to be governed by the respective Terms and Conditions.
  - (ii) If the Customer does not maintain the Eligibility Criteria as determined by the Bank for the HSBC Premier Account for a consecutive 12 months, the Bank has the discretion to downgrade the HSBC Premier Account to any other account automatically ("auto-conversion/auto-convert").
  - (iii) If the Bank exercises its discretion to re-designate/auto-convert, the Bank shall notify the Customer and adjust and/or vary all features currently enjoyed by the Customer.

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- (iv) Following a re-designation/auto-conversion, the applicable provisions of these Specific Terms and Conditions and other terms and conditions governing the use of any features terminated shall continue to bind the Customer until all obligations and liabilities owing by the Customer to the Bank with respect to such features have been fully paid and satisfied. All applicable provisions of these Specific Terms and Conditions and other terms and conditions governing the use of any new or additional features/account that the Customer shall enjoy as a result of the variation shall immediately become binding on the Customer.
- (v) The Premier Debit Card and/or Premier World Mastercard/Premier Travel Credit Card which can only be held together with an HSBC Premier Account shall no longer be operational and shall be cancelled/terminated on the date as specified in the notice of re-designation/auto-conversion by the Bank to the Customer. The Premier Debit Card and/or Premier World Mastercard/Premier Travel Credit Card must be destroyed by the Customer and the outstanding amounts shall become immediately due and payable in full to the Bank on the date of re-designation/auto-conversion.
- (vi) The Bank cannot be held liable or responsible for any loss incurred by or inconvenience to a Customer as a result of any re-designation/auto-conversion and this shall include without limitation, any loss incurred by or inconvenience to a Customer as a result of the granting, termination, cancellation or adjustment of any features in connection therewith.
- (vii) For avoidance of doubt, should the Customer requests to close/re-designate his/her HSBC Premier Account, the Premier Debit Card and/or Premier World MasterCard Credit Card/Premier Travel Credit Card will be terminated immediately, must be destroyed by the Customer and any outstanding balances shall become immediately due and payable in full to the Bank on the date of account closure/re-designation. The Customer shall remain liable to the Bank for any recurring transactions billed into his/her account, Debit Card and/or Credit Card resulting from existing standing instructions/payment arrangements notwithstanding the termination. It is the Customer's sole duty and obligation to cancel or transfer such standing instructions/payment arrangements to another medium of payment before the Customer requests to close/re-designate his/her Premier Account.

#### **Premier Facilities**

- d. The provision of internet and meeting room facilities (the "Facilities") at the Bank's and HSBC Amanah Malaysia Berhad's ("HSBC Amanah") selected branches are for the convenience of the Customer. The Bank and/or HSBC Amanah shall not be directly or indirectly responsible or liable for:
  - (i) any delays, errors or malfunction in the transmission or receipt of messages sent via the facsimile or internet facilities; or
  - (ii) any loss, damage or injury caused to the Customer during the Customer's use of the Facilities; or
  - (iii) any acts/omissions of the Customer in using the Facilities, as they do not represent the Bank's or HSBC Amanah's endorsement of such acts/omissions of the Customer.

#### **HSBC Premier/HSBC Amanah Premier Services**

- e. HSBC Premier/HSBC Amanah Premier Services ("Premier Services") are offered exclusively to HSBC Premier/HSBC Amanah Premier customers. A description of the Premier Services can be:
  - found in the HSBC Premier Welcome Pack; and
  - viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my); and
  - shall form part of and be read with these Terms and Conditions.

#### **Emergency Encashment Service**

- f. The Customer agrees and acknowledges that:
  - the Bank is authorised to debit the Customer's account(s) with an equivalent amount of any withdrawal made through the Emergency Cash Service; and
  - if this causes the Customer's account(s) to be overdrawn, interest at the Bank's prevailing unauthorised overdraft rate shall be charged on the overdrawn amount.

#### **HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card Services supported by Mastercard International Incorporated**

- g. (i) Mastercard International Incorporated ("Mastercard"), its agents and third party service providers appointed by Mastercard or otherwise also provide selected credit card services to HSBC Premier/HSBC Amanah Premier credit cardholders ("the Cardholder").

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(ii) The Cardholder agrees that the Bank:

- shall not be liable for any actions, claims, losses, damages or liabilities of whatever nature arising out of any act or omission of Mastercard or its agents or third party service providers; and
- does not give any warranty as to the provision of services by the Global Service Assistance Centre or any third party service providers.

(iii) The Cardholder also agrees that the Cardholder is responsible for all charges incurred for the provision of services by Mastercard, its agents and/or third party service providers including physicians, hospitals, clinics, lawyers, ticket brokers, luxury shops and any other entity providing assistance, goods or services pursuant to a referral by Mastercard or its agent to the Cardholder.

(iv) These services or any part thereof may be varied, suspended or withdrawn by Mastercard from time to time. The Bank shall not be liable in any way for any loss, damage or liability arising as a result of the variation, suspension or withdrawal of all or any part of the services provided.

### 7. Services - Advance Account

#### **Cheque Protection Facility (where applicable)**

a. (i) The Cheque Protection facility (by way of cheque issuance of up to RM200);

- is an overnight excess allowed by the Bank;
- must be regularised by the end of the next banking day;
- is subject to the Bank's customary overriding right of repayment on demand; and
- may be withdrawn at the discretion of the Bank which includes in the event of unsatisfactory conduct of account which includes cheque returns or failure to regularise excesses as required above.

(ii) The Customer accordingly holds the Bank free from all liability and agrees to indemnify the Bank against any actions, legal proceedings, claims and/or demands, cost, loss and expenses that may arise in connection with such withdrawal. If the facility is withdrawn, all outstandings, if any, shall be charged at the prevailing unauthorised overdraft rate as determined by the Bank.

#### **Account Statements**

b. A consolidated monthly account statement shall:

- be made available in hard copy form or in electronic format for download ("E-Statement") to the Customer; and
- consist of information on accounts held in the Customer's name at the Bank or third party products/services/investments marketed by the Bank.

c. The E-statement may be sent to the Customer via electronic mail to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") if the Customer is a registered user.

#### **Re-designation, etc of Advance Accounts**

d. Re-designation, etc of Advance Accounts

- (i) The Bank may, at its sole discretion allocate, vary, withdraw, re-designate, convert, ("re-designation/re-designate") any or all of the HSBC Advance Accounts, if the Eligibility Criteria are not complied with, or for any other reasons without any obligation to furnish reasons for the same. The Customer in retaining any one or more of the services shall continue to be governed by the respective Terms and Conditions.
- (ii) If the Customer does not maintain the Eligibility Criteria as determined by the Bank for the HSBC Advance Account for a consecutive 12 months, the Bank has the discretion to downgrade the HSBC Advance Account to any other account automatically ("auto-conversion/auto-convert").
- (iii) If the Bank exercises its discretion to re-designate/auto-convert, the Bank shall notify the Customer and adjust and/or vary all features currently enjoyed by the Customer.
- (iv) Following a re-designation/auto-conversion, the applicable provisions of these Specific Terms and Conditions and other terms and conditions governing the use of any features terminated shall continue to bind the Customer until all obligations and liabilities owing by the Customer to the Bank with respect to such features have been fully paid and satisfied. All applicable provisions of these Specific Terms and Conditions and other terms and conditions governing the use of any new or additional features/account that the Customer shall enjoy as a result of the variation shall immediately become binding on the Customer.

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### 7. Services - Advance Account (continued)

- (v) The Advance Debit Card and/or Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card which can only be held together with an HSBC Advance Account shall no longer be operational and shall be cancelled/terminated on the date as specified in the notice of re-designation/auto-conversion by the Bank to the Customer. The Advance Debit Card and/or Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card must be destructed by the Customer and the outstanding amounts shall become immediately due and payable in full to the Bank on the date of re-designation/auto-conversion.
- (vi) The Bank cannot be held liable or responsible for any loss incurred by or inconvenience to a Customer as a result of any re-designation/auto-conversion and this shall include without limitation, any loss incurred by or inconvenience to a Customer as a result of the granting, termination, cancellation or adjustment of any features in connection therewith.
- (vii) For avoidance of doubt, should the Customer requests to close/re-designate his/her HSBC Advance Account, the Advance Debit Card and/or Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card will be terminated immediately, must be destroyed by the Customer and any outstanding balances shall become immediately due and payable in full to the Bank on the date of account closure/re-designation. The Customer shall remain liable to the Bank for any recurring transactions billed into his/her account, Debit Card and/or Credit Card resulting from existing standing instructions/payment arrangements notwithstanding the termination. It is the Customer's sole duty and obligation to cancel or transfer such standing instructions/payment arrangements to another medium of payment before the Customer requests to close/re-designate his/her HSBC Advance Account.

#### **HSBC Advance/HSBC Amanah Advance Services**

HSBC Advance/HSBC Amanah Advance Services ("Advance Services") are offered exclusively to HSBC Advance/HSBC Amanah Advance customers. A description of the Advance Services can be:

- found in the HSBC Advance e-Welcome Pack; and
- viewed at [www.hsbcadvance.com.my](http://www.hsbcadvance.com.my); and
- shall form part of and be read with these Terms and Conditions.

#### **Emergency Encashment Service**

The Customer agrees and acknowledges that:

- the Bank is authorised to debit the Customer's account(s) with an equivalent amount of any withdrawal made through the Emergency Cash Service; and
- if this causes the Customer's account(s) to be overdrawn, interest at the Bank's prevailing unauthorised overdraft rate shall be charged on the overdrawn amount.

\* **Note: Deposit products are eligible for protection by PIDM as stated below. The maximum limit of coverage is RM250,000 per depositor per bank as prescribed under PIDM guideline available at [www.pidm.gov.my](http://www.pidm.gov.my).**

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These Specific Terms & Conditions (not applicable to credit cards) should be read together with the Generic Terms & Conditions.

**\* Note: Deposit products are eligible for protection by PIDM as stated below. The maximum limit of coverage is RM250,000 per depositor per bank as prescribed under PIDM guideline available at [www.pidm.gov.my](http://www.pidm.gov.my).**

### 1. Toprate Statement Savings

*[TopRate Statement Savings: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. Account statements in hard copy form or electronic format ("E-statement") shall be issued to the Customer on a quarterly basis. The E-statement may be sent to the Customer via electronic mail to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") if the Customer is a registered user.

b. Interest shall be:

- calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
- credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen.

If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.

### 2. Toprate Passbook Savings/Junior Toprate Savings

*(Note: This Product has been discontinued. The terms herein apply to existing accountholders only)*

*[TopRate Passbook Savings: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

*[Junior TopRate Savings: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. All terms and conditions appearing in the respective passbooks shall form part of these Specific Terms & Conditions.

b. The Customer agrees that it is the Customer's responsibility to keep the passbook secure and under its sole control at all times, and if the Customer fails to do so, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.

If the passbook is lost, the Customer must:

- notify the Bank immediately; and
- furnish the Bank with a signed letter of indemnity in the Bank's required format (stamp duty to be borne by the Customer);

before a new passbook can be issued and the Customer agrees that a fee for issuance of a new passbook as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) shall be imposed.

c. Interest shall be:

- calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
- credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen.

If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.

d. For Toprate Passbook Savings Accounts, a monthly account fee as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) shall be imposed.

e. For the Junior TopRate Savings Account:

- the minimum interest as prescribed by Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM) shall apply;
- there is a limit of 1 withdrawal per month only; and
- the Customer agrees to attend at the Bank in person with the beneficiary to convert the Junior TopRate Savings Account into Basic Savings Account when the beneficiary attains the age of 18.

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### 3. Junior Toprate Statement Savings (Applicable to accounts opened from 7 January 2012 onwards)

*[Junior TopRate Savings: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. The Junior TopRate Statement Savings Account ("the Account") is an account held in trust by the Parent ("Parent") for the benefit of the Child ("Child").
- b. The Account may only be opened with one (1) Child per Parent per account. However, a Parent may open multiple Junior TopRate Statement Savings Accounts with other children.
- c. The Child must be a child under the age of 18 years old.
- d. The Account is not a joint account even though the Bank will maintain records for both the Parent and the Child.
- e. A minimum initial deposit of RM1.00 is required.
- f. Withdrawal from the Account is restricted to one (1) withdrawal per calendar month. This withdrawal limit is inclusive of over-the-counter withdrawals and transfers via Internet Banking.
- g. The Account shall be operated by the Parent, and the Bank shall act on the instructions of the Parent in relation to the Account (including, without limitation, instructions for withdrawal or payment out of, the Account) and shall not accept instructions from the Child. The Parent may close the Account without the Child in attendance prior to the Child attaining the age of 18 years old. However, upon the Child attaining the age of 18 years old, the Parent agrees to attend at the Bank in person with the Child to close the Account and open a new account with the Bank. In any event, upon the Child attaining the age of 18 years old, the Bank will convert the interest rate payable on the Account to that of the prevailing Basic Savings Account interest rate.
- h. The Parent agrees that the Bank may disclose information on the Account to the Child.
- i. No debit card, passbook, cheque book or overdraft facility will be issued for the Account. However, upon request, the Parent may register for Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") services.
- j. Account statements in hard copy form or electronic format ("E-Statement") shall be issued and sent to the Parent on a quarterly basis. The E-statement may be sent to the Customer via electronic mail to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through PIB if the Customer is a registered user.
- k. Interest shall be:
  - calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
  - credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen.

If the Account is closed, the interest accruing to the Account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.

### 4. Basic Savings Account

*[Basic Savings Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. Interest shall be:
  - calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
  - credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen.

If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.
- b. Account statements will be generated but not sent to the Customer. However, upon request, quarterly statements or at such other intervals determined by the Bank from time to time, may be made available to the Customer at a fee to be determined by the Bank or sent to the Customer in electronic format to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") if the Customer is a registered user.
- c. A minimum of RM20 (or such other minimum amount as may be specified by the Bank and/or the relevant regulatory authorities) is required to be maintained in the account at all times.



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### 5. Basic Savings Account (Applicable to accounts opened from 1 September 2009 onwards)

*[Basic Savings Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. Interest accruing shall be:

- calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
- credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen.

If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.

b. Account statements in hard copy form or electronic format ("E-statement") shall be issued and sent to the Customer on a quarterly basis. The E-statement may be sent to the Customer via electronic mail to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") if the Customer is a registered user.

c. A minimum balance of RM20 (or such other minimum amount as may be specified by the Bank and/or the relevant regulatory authorities) is required to be maintained in the account at all times.

### 6. Current Account

*[Current Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

a. The Customer confirms that the Customer has not been reported by any bank to the credit bureau set up by Bank Negara Malaysia, and acknowledges that the Bank has the right to close the account if the Customer is so reported.

b. The Customer agrees to check upon receipt, that:

- the Customer has received the correct number of cheque books;
- each cheque book has the correct number of cheque leaves;
- account details printed are correct; and

• to read and carry out all the instructions set out in the inside covers of cheque book;

and if the Customer fails to do any of it, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.

c. The Customer agrees that it is the Customer's responsibility to keep the cheque book secure (preferably locked) and under its sole control at all times, and if the Customer fails to do so, the Bank shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Customer.

The Customer agrees not to write cheques in a way which may allow the cheque to be tampered with or facilitates fraud, and to take precautionary measures such as, but not limited to:

- using only non-erasable ink (not erasable ballpoint pens, pencils, electronic typewriter or any other instruments);
- not leaving signed or unsigned cheques unattended;
- not pre-signing cheques in blank; and
- destroying completely spoilt cheques;

failing which no liability shall be attached to the Bank.

d. The Customer agrees:

- not to write any notations on the face of a cheque, and if any are written, the Bank has the right to ignore the notations without being liable to the Customer; and
- not to make any changes on a cheque, and the Bank has the right to dishonour and return a cheque which the Bank views as having any changes, even if countersigned by the authorised signatories.

e. The Customer agrees not to issue cheques when there are insufficient funds in the account. Penalty charges for returned cheques due to insufficient funds as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) will be charged and debited to the account.

f. The Customer acknowledges that a stop payment instruction may only be carried out if the cheque has not been presented for payment, and once carried out, cannot be reversed and:

- the words "stop payment" will be stamped on the cheque;
- re-presentation of the cheque is not allowed; and
- handling fees and penalty charges (if the account has insufficient funds for the cheque) will be charged and debited to the account.

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### 7. Basic Current Account

*[Basic Current Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. An account statement shall be issued containing information relating to account(s) held in the Customer's name at the Bank on a monthly basis or such other permitted intervals determined by the Bank. The statement in electronic format may be sent to the Customer via electronic mail to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") if the Customer is a registered user.
- b. Overdrawing is not allowed under the account. In the event of an unauthorised overdrawing, the Bank shall be entitled to debit the account or any other account of the Customer with the Bank for the amount overdrawn with interest at the prevailing unauthorised overdraft rate (subject to fluctuation) or a minimum of RM50 or such other minimum amount as allowed to be imposed by the Bank from time to time.
- c. The Bank reserves the right to refuse payment of withdrawal instruction or cheque encashment (through issuance of a cheque to a third party) from the Customer's account, to a third party whether authorised or purportedly authorised by the Customer at the branch of account.
- d. The terms and conditions for the Current Account shall also apply.

### 8. Basic Current Account (applicable to accounts opened from 1 September 2009 onwards)

*[Basic Current Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. An account statement in hard copy form or electronic format ("E-statement") shall be issued containing information relating to the account and sent to the Customer on a monthly basis or such other permitted intervals determined by the Bank. The E-statement may be sent to the Customer via electronic mail to the Customer's e-mail address last known to the Bank or through Personal Internet Banking ("PIB") if the Customer is a registered user.
- b. Overdrawing is not allowed under the account. In the event of an unauthorised overdrawing, the Bank shall be entitled to debit the account or any other account of the Customer with the Bank for the amount overdrawn with interest at the prevailing unauthorised overdraft rate (subject to fluctuation) or a minimum of RM50 or such other minimum amount as allowed to be imposed by the Bank from time to time.
- c. The Bank reserves the right to refuse payment of withdrawal instruction or cheque encashment (through issuance of a cheque to a third party) from the Customer's account, to a third party whether authorised or purportedly authorised by the Customer at the branch of account.
- d. The Customer agrees that a fee as stated for the time being in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my) shall be imposed if the account is closed within 3 months of its opening.
- e. The terms and conditions for the Current Account shall also apply.

### 9. Time Deposit Account

*[Time Deposit Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. A minimum initial deposit as determined by the Bank is required.
- b. Deposits will earn simple interest, unless otherwise indicated in writing by the Bank.
- c. Duration of placement is subject to a minimum of 1 month and a maximum of 60 months.
- d. Payment of interest on time deposits that are withdrawn before maturity date shall be,
  - where the time deposit is held for 3 months or longer, interest will be paid at half the contracted rate for each completed month; and
  - where the time deposit is held for less than 3 months, no interest shall be paid.
- e. All deposits plus interest earned shall be automatically renewed for the same period on maturity date, unless instructions in writing or via channels made available by the Bank are received by the Bank from the Customer or its successors in title beforehand. The Customer has the right to give and/or to amend any instructions up to the maturity date.
- f. If the maturity date falls on a non-banking day, it will be automatically changed to the next banking day.
- g. Placement of funds by cheque is subject to clearance of the cheque.
- h. The placement advice only serve as a record of transaction and is not required to be presented during withdrawal.
- i. The payment of interest, if any, shall be paid:
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*[Not eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

1. The amount invested in HSBC Gold Account ("the Account") shall be recorded as GLD, where 1 (one) GLD unit represents 0.1 unit of XAU (international standard currency code for gold).

**Note:** 1.00 XAU represents 1 troy ounce of gold, where 1.00 XAU = 10.00 GLD (calculated to two decimal places, decimal places after the second shall be rounded off).

2. The GLD unit is a proprietary measurement unit used by the Bank only and cannot be transferred to other accounts or other banks. The GLD value in the Account represents the equivalent cash value of the investment.
3. No physical deposit or withdrawal of Gold to or from the Account is allowed. The Account **does not** involve physical delivery of gold and Customer's GLD balance in the Account does not represent a purchase of a corresponding quantity of physical gold. Customer **does not** at any time acquire any rights, ownership and possession of any physical gold.
4. Customers (including each joint account holder, if more than one) must be 18 years old and above to be eligible to open an Account, but any requests for the opening of the Account is subject to the discretion of the Bank.
5. The Customer must maintain a Malaysian Ringgit (MYR) denominated savings or current account with the Bank to convert:
  - MYR to the required GLD amount to be credited to the Account;
  - From GLD unit to MYR;

and for the debiting of charges, stamp duty and penalties (if any) applicable to the Account.

If the Customer also opens and maintains a foreign currency denominated demand deposit account with the Bank, direct conversions into and from GLD to the relevant currency of account may be permissible for certain foreign currency-to-XAU pairings or in circumstances determined by the Bank (please consult the Bank's personal banking personnel on which of the GLD to foreign currency denominated accounts may be directly convertible, and when).

Information relating to the GLD balances in the HSBC Gold Account will be included in the periodic statements for the said MYR account.

6. Citizens, residents or permanent residents or green card holders of the United States or Canada are not eligible to invest in an HSBC Gold Account.
7. The account can be operated as a sole or joint accounts opened in the names of two (2), but no more than two (2), persons.
8. The Account **does not pay any interest or yield**. International gold prices, to which the value of GLD is linked, fluctuate, which may cause capital gain, **or loss**, to the Customer. The GLD value amount payable to or receivable by the Customer is based on the buying and selling prices quoted by the Bank from time to time. These prices are calculated with reference to the price of the gold reference value, the foreign currency exchange rate of USD (or other foreign currency adopted) and Ringgit Malaysia, and subject to the Bank's profit margins. Price movements in gold might not directly correlate with similar percentages of buying or selling price movements of GLD.
9. The Account is not protected under the deposit insurance scheme of the Perbadanan Insurans Deposit Malaysia (PIDM).
10. Customer may instruct the Bank to buy and sell GLD against MYR, or such other foreign currency as may be made available for transacting from time to time (please consult the Bank) during the Bank's business hours (from 9am to 4.30pm, Kuala Lumpur time), on a day which is an ordinary banking day in the relevant designated branch of the Bank and in the following sites: Kuala Lumpur, New York and London AND if not already one of the aforementioned sites, Sydney (if linked currency to XAU/GLD is AUD), Singapore (if linked currency to XAU/GLD is SGD), or if the linked currency is some other foreign currency, the relevant financial center for that foreign currency. If there are changes to the trading times mentioned above, the times stated in the public announcements of the Bank's website shall prevail.
11. A minimum initial deposit of 10 GLD is required. All minimum subsequent deposit/withdrawal will be in multiples of 1 GLD or any other amount determined by the Bank. Only withdrawal for closure of GLD can be in any amount/quantity according to the amount held in the Account.
12. The Account can be closed only by the Customer(s) in person at the branch where the Account was opened.
13. The operation of the Account is subject to the prevailing Foreign Exchange Administration regulations.

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### 10. HSBC Gold Account (continued)

14. The Customer is able to check the Bank's buying and selling prices of GLD (quoted against MYR) on the Bank's website, or may visit in person any of the branches of the Bank. Foreign Exchange Indicative Rate Sheets showing conversion rates for GLD (quoted against such foreign currencies) may be made available on request. However, as the price of gold is subject to wide movements even within the same day, and the buying and selling prices of GLD would react correspondingly, the actual settlement price or value can only be made known on or about the time the GLD transaction request is received, and only when the Customer acknowledges and agrees to the GLD transaction price (which may need to be confirmed subsequently if the price has since moved from when initially quoted) will a transaction be executed in accordance with the instructions of the Customer.
15. The Customer must visit designated branches in person to execute HSBC Gold Account transactions. The Customer should use his/her/their Malaysian Ringgit (MYR), or where permissible, foreign currency, denominated savings or current account maintained with the Bank to execute the transactions, and agree to authorise the Bank to directly debit from such demand deposit account an amount to pay for the purchase of GLD units, while the amount obtained from any sale of GLD units shall be credited directly into such demand deposit account. If the Customer has not opened an account in the designated trading currency, he shall only be allowed to trade in the said currency after he has opened the account.
16. No transfer between Accounts is allowed, and the Bank does not provide service for inter-bank remittance in gold.
17. No Debit/ATM card and no chequebook will be issued for the Account.
18. The Account is not assignable without the prior permission of the Bank, which shall be at its discretion to refuse, and shall not be used as collateral/security of any kind (including but not limited to any pledge, charge or mortgage) for loan or credit facilities other than if obtained from the Bank or other members of the HSBC Group (security acceptance being at the Bank's, or relevant HSBC Group lender's or financier's, discretion).
19. In addition to any Banker's lien or other common law or equitable rights the Bank has arising from the banker-customer relationship, the Bank shall be at liberty at any time to combine and consolidate all or any of Customer's account(s) (be it overdraft, loan or any time or demand deposit accounts, all aforesaid of any description, including the Account) with the Bank now or hereafter, and may set-off and or transfer any monies, rights or interests owing to Customer by the Bank in or under any one or more of such accounts, towards satisfaction of any liabilities or sums due or owing by the Customer to the Bank, whether actual, contingent, primary or collateral, regardless of currencies due or owed.
20. Customer agrees that the Bank shall have full and absolute discretion in respect of the timing, price and terms of sale of the GLD in the process of exercising any of the Bank's rights herein which entail liquidating the GLD in the Customer's Account for the exercise of such right, which shall be final, conclusive and binding against the Customer. There shall be no implied duty on the Bank to obtain the best possible price or return in liquidating the Account's GLD balances or part(s) thereof in the exercise of the Bank's rights aforesaid, and any such duty is agreed to be waived by the Customer.
21. Unless the context otherwise requires, words used herein denoting the singular shall include the plural and vice versa, and words denoting the masculine gender shall include all genders.

### Combinations Account – Foreign Currency (FCY) Accounts

*[CombiNations Accounts – Foreign Currency (FCY) Accounts: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

The Customer must first open or have a Ringgit account.

### 11. FCY Current Account

*[FCY Current Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. A minimum initial deposit as determined by the Bank is required.  
Account credit balances do not earn interest, no cheque book will be issued and no overdrawing is allowed.
- b. The Customer must open or have a Ringgit account to convert:
  - Ringgit to the required foreign currency to be credited to the account; or
  - foreign currency into Ringgit;  
as cash deposit/withdrawal in foreign currency is not allowed and information relating to this account will be included in the account statement for the said Ringgit account.

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### 11. FCY Current Account (continued)

- c. The Customer acknowledges that foreign currency deposits in currency other than USD, GBP, HKD, SGD and EUR will receive value 2 banking days after the date of deposit.
- d. The Customer acknowledges that the amount deposited cannot be assigned, transferred or charged either by endorsement or otherwise except with the prior written consent of the Bank.
- e. The Customer acknowledges that the operation of the account is subject to the prevailing Foreign Exchange Administration regulations.
- f. The Customer agrees that if the amount deposited exceeds any limit prescribed by the exchange control regulations, the Bank may debit the account, convert the excess into Ringgit at the Bank's prevailing spot buying rate and credit the Customer's Ringgit account with the Bank.

### 12. FCY Savings Account

*[FCY Savings Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. A minimum initial deposit as determined by the Bank is required.  
The Bank may impose fees and charges at its discretion and as stipulated in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).
- b. The Customer must open or have a Ringgit account to convert:
  - Ringgit to the required foreign currency to be credited to the account; or
  - foreign currency into Ringgit;  
as cash deposit/withdrawal in foreign currency is not allowed and information relating to this account will be included in the account statement for the said Ringgit account.
- c. The Customer acknowledges that foreign currency deposits in currency other than USD, GBP, HKD, SGD and EUR will receive value 2 banking days after the date of deposit.
- d. The Customer acknowledges that the amount deposited cannot be assigned, transferred or charged either by endorsement or otherwise except with the prior written consent of the Bank.
- e. Interest shall be:
  - calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
  - credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen or its equivalent currency.  
If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.
- f. The Customer acknowledges that the operation of the account is subject to the prevailing Foreign Exchange Administration regulations.
- g. The Customer agrees that if the amount deposited exceeds any limit prescribed by the Foreign Exchange Administration regulations, the Bank may debit the account, convert the excess into Ringgit at the Bank's prevailing spot buying rate and credit the Customer's Ringgit account with the Bank.

### 13. FCY Time Deposit Account

*[FCY Time Deposit Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM\*]*

- a. A minimum initial deposit as determined by the Bank is required.
- b. The Customer must open or have a Ringgit account to convert:
  - Ringgit to the required foreign currency to be credited to the account; or
  - Foreign currency into Ringgit;  
as cash deposit/withdrawal in foreign currency is not allowed and information relating to this account will be included in the account statement for the said Ringgit account.
- c. The Customer acknowledges that the amount deposited cannot be assigned, transferred or charged either by endorsement or otherwise except with the prior written consent of the Bank.
- d. If the maturity date falls on a non-banking day, it will be automatically adjusted to the next banking day.
- e. Deposits:
  - will earn simple interest payable at maturity;
  - may not be withdrawn before maturity date and if exceptionally allowed, no interest is payable on the deposits and the Customer shall compensate the Bank for the penalty charges and any loss calculated at prevailing market rates; and
  - may be placed for a duration of 1, 3, 6, 9 or 12 months only.

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- f. The Customer acknowledges that foreign currency deposits in currency other than USD, GBP, HKD, SGD and EUR:
- will receive value 2 banking days after the date of deposit; and
  - written disposal instructions must be received by the Bank 2 banking days before maturity date, if not the deposit (plus any interest earned/less interim interest paid) will be automatically renewed for the same period on maturity date.

### 14. Hexagold

*(Note: This Product has been discontinued. The terms herein apply to existing accountholders only)  
[Hexagold: Eligible for protection by PIDM']*

- a. "Sweep facility" means the transfer of any amount from the Hexagold Account to a Current Account as designated by the Customer in the application form for the purposes of meeting payments drawn on the Current Account.
- b. Interest shall be:
- calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
  - credited to the account every June and December, to the nearest sen.
- If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.
- c. The Bank will maintain an automatic sweep facility on the Customer's Hexagold Account subject to:
- the Hexagold Account having cleared and available funds; and
  - if so elected by the Customer.
- d. Where the Customer has been granted a credit facility, the Customer cannot exceed the limit set by the Bank from time to time, with interest calculated on daily rests at the Bank's prevailing rate for such facilities. Such interest will be payable by the Customer and debited from the Hexagold Account or any other account standing in credit in the name of the Customer.

### 15. Everyday Global Account

*[Everyday Global Account: Eligible for protection by PIDM']*

- a. The Everyday Global Account is a multi-currency savings account offering a few foreign currencies and Ringgit Malaysia in one account. The availability of the currencies will be made known in [hsbc.com.my](http://hsbc.com.my). A multi-currency Everyday Global Debit Card will be issued for Everyday Global Accountholder(s).
- b. The Bank may impose fees and charges at its discretion and as stipulated in the Bank's Tariff and Charges which can be viewed at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).
- c. (i) Cash deposit/withdrawal within Malaysia is allowed only for Ringgit Malaysia;  
(ii) Cash withdrawal in any foreign currency is only allowed outside of Malaysia;  
(iii) Cash deposits in any foreign currency within or outside Malaysia is not allowed.
- d. No passbook or cheque book will be issued for the Everyday Global Account.
- e. When the Customer uses the Everyday Global Debit Card for ATM withdrawal or purchase transactions outside Malaysia, such transaction shall be charged in the official currency of the country where the Everyday Global Debit Card is used, and the Bank shall debit the account with the amount of the debit card transaction in the currency it was performed, if such currency is held in the account and where there are sufficient credit balances in the foreign currency intended in the account.
- f. Where a currency is not held or supported, or if there are insufficient funds in the foreign currency intended:
- (i) the amount of ATM withdrawal transaction performed at a HSBC Group ATM will be automatically converted into Ringgit Malaysia at the Bank's prevailing exchange rate at such times and the amount will be debited from the Ringgit Malaysia account balances.
  - (ii) Where such transactions are carried out over VISA Plus network, the Customers agrees that the transaction shall be debited to the account after conversion to Ringgit Malaysia, subject to sufficient credit balances, at the exchange rate determined by Visa International, on the date of conversion. ATM Operator Fees may be incurred at non-HSBC ATMs.

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- g. The Customer agrees that overseas debit card purchase transactions in a currency other than any of the supported currencies will be debited from the Ringgit Malaysia account balances, subject to sufficient credit balances, after conversion to Ringgit Malaysia at the prevailing exchange rate determined by Visa International, on the date of the conversion in addition to a foreign currency conversion of 1% as well as any transaction fee charged by Visa International.
- h. The Customer acknowledges that foreign currency deposits in currency other than USD, GBP, HKD, SGD and EUR will receive value 2 banking days after the date of deposit via transfer.
- i. The Customer acknowledges that the amount deposited cannot be assigned, transferred or charged either by endorsement or otherwise except with the prior written consent of the Bank.
- j. Interest, where applicable, shall be:
  - calculated on a daily basis on the balance at the end of each day at a rate to be determined by the Bank from time to time; and
  - credited to the account every month, to the nearest sen (or its equivalent currency).
  - If the account is closed, the interest accruing to the account will be calculated up to the last completed day before its closure.
- k. The Customer acknowledges that the operation of the account is subject to the prevailing Foreign Exchange Administration regulations.
- l. The Customer agrees that if the amount deposited exceeds any limit prescribed by the Foreign Exchange Administration regulations, the Bank may debit the account, convert the excess into Ringgit at the Bank's prevailing spot buying rate and credit the Customer's Ringgit account with the Bank.
- m. In the event of any inward remittance to the Everyday Global Account of any currency where the access is not yet opened, the Bank reserves the right to convert and place the deposit in Ringgit Malaysia denominated currency without the Accountholder's prior consent.

\* **Note: Deposit products are eligible for protection by PIDM as stated below. The maximum limit of coverage is RM250,000 per depositor per bank as prescribed under PIDM guideline available at [www.pidm.gov.my](http://www.pidm.gov.my).**

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Effective date:

- ▶ 5 August 2019 except Clause 2 (xvii)
- ▶ 2 October 2019 for Clause 2 (xvii)

Applicable to all new and existing customers of HSBC

- ▶ HSBC Visa Platinum/Platinum Mastercard® Credit Card.
- ▶ HSBC Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card
- ▶ HSBC Visa Signature Credit Card
- ▶ HSBC Premier World Mastercard® Credit Card
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Please take the time to read this Cardholder Agreement before using your Credit Card as this Cardholder Agreement is binding on you upon usage. This Cardholder Agreement is also available on HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad's ("HSBC") website at [www.hsbc.com.my](http://www.hsbc.com.my).

**IMPORTANT!** You must read the Cardholder Agreement printed below before using your Credit Card issued by HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad (Company No. 127776-V). By using the Credit Card, you confirm that you have read and understood and are accepting the Terms and Conditions set out below and will be bound by them.

The Credit Card is to be used subject to the following Terms and Conditions ("this Agreement"):

### A. Acceptance of this Agreement

1. The Credit Card can only be used by the person to whom the Credit Card is issued ("the Cardholder"), failing which any unauthorised usage will be borne by the Cardholder. The Cardholder must immediately sign the Credit Card upon receipt thereof. The Cardholder is treated as agreed to be bound by this Agreement on application of the Credit Card and usage of the Credit Card is subject this Agreement. If the Cardholder does not wish to be bound by this Agreement, the Cardholder must observe Clause 16(a) below.

### B. Definitions

2. The terms used in this Agreement shall bear the following definitions:
  - (i) "Annual Fee" means the annual fee payable by the Cardholder for each Credit Card and Supplementary Credit Card as stated in the Bank's Tariff and Charges.
  - (ii) "Balance Transfer" means the facility of transferring outstanding balances from another credit card held by the Cardholder with another bank, financial institution or credit card issuer to the Card Account, subject to the Balance Transfer terms and conditions applicable at the time of application for Balance Transfer.
  - (iii) "Bank" means HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad (Company No. 127776-V).
  - (iv) "Card Account" means an account maintained by the Bank corresponding to the relevant Credit Card issued.
  - (v) "Card Statement" means the monthly statement issued by the Bank for the Card Account.
  - (vi) "Card Transactions" means transactions effected by the use of the Credit Card including Retail Transactions, Balance Transfer, Cash Advance, and Credit Card Instalment Plan.
  - (vii) "Cardholder" means the person to whom the Credit Card is issued, which includes the Supplementary Cardholder.
  - (viii) "Cash Advance" means the facility of withdrawing of cash from the Card Account subject to the terms of this Agreement.
  - (ix) "Credit Card" means the HSBC Visa Platinum/Platinum Mastercard®/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Visa Signature/HSBC Premier World Mastercard® Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard® Credit Card issued by HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad (Company No. 127776-V), including both the primary and supplementary credit card.
  - (x) "Credit Card Instalment Plan(s)" means all credit card instalment plans including but not limited to card instalment plan (IPP), cash instalment plan (CIP), balance conversion plan (BCP), and auto balance conversion (ABC) granted by the Bank which enables the Cardholder to pay for certain credit card spend or outstanding balance on instalment basis, subject to the respective instalment plans' terms and conditions.
  - (xi) "Credit Limit" means a credit limit assigned by the Bank to a Credit Card.



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- (xii) "Current Balance" means the outstanding amount which comprises of Retail Transactions (if any), Balance Transfer (if any), Cash Advance (if any), Finance Charge (if any), applicable fees and charges as stated in the Bank's Tariff and Charges (if any) and prevailing service tax (if any).
- (xiii) "Due Date" means the payment due date, as specified in the Card Statement.
- (xiv) "Finance Charge" means the finance charge imposed by the Bank where the Statement Balance is not settled in full by the specified Due Date:
- (a) in respect of Retail Transactions, the Finance Charge is imposed on the outstanding Retail Transactions that remain unpaid after the Due Date, and is calculated on a daily rest basis from the Posting Date until payments are credited to the Card Account and thereafter on the reduced balance (if any) and at the following applicable rates:
- (i) Tier-I: 15% per annum for Cardholders who promptly settle the Minimum Monthly Payment as specified in the Card Statement for 12 consecutive months;
- (ii) Tier-II: 17% per annum for Cardholders who promptly settle the Minimum Monthly Payment as specified in the Card Statement for 10 months or more in a 12-month cycle; and
- (iii) Tier-III: 18% per annum for Cardholders who do not fall within Tier-I and Tier-II;
- (b) in respect of Cash Advance, the Finance Charge shall be charged at a fixed rate of 18% per annum on the Cash Advance amount taken, calculated from the date of disbursement until payment in full; and
- (c) In respect of Balance Transfer and Credit Card Instalment Plans, the Finance Charge shall be charged a fixed rate of 18% per annum on the Balance Transfer or Credit Card Instalment Plan balances.
- (d) Payment will be applied in the following order: to settle taxes, Cash Advance, monthly installment for Credit Card Instalment Plan(s), Retail transactions, Balance Transfer from highest to the lowest interest rate and fees (annual fee and late payment fee). Payment received will be applied towards settlement of the outstanding finance charges followed by outstanding principal balance and fees and charges.
- (xv) "Grace Period" means a interest-free/finance charge-free period of at least 20 days from the posting date of all outstanding balances to the Card Account.
- (xvi) "Late Payment Fee" means a fee calculated at 1% of the outstanding balance of the Credit Transactions (except annual fees and applicable taxes if any), subject to a minimum of RM10 and a maximum of RM100.
- (xvii) "Minimum Monthly Payment" means a minimum monthly payment payable on the Due Date, which is calculated based on:
- (a) 5% of Current Balance + 100% monthly instalment of Credit Card Instalment Plans (if any) + any unpaid minimum payment specified in the preceding month's Card Statement; OR RM50, whichever is higher; or
- (b) if the Card Account exceeds the Credit Limit, 5% of the Current Balance + 100% monthly instalment of Credit Card Instalment Plans (if any) + any unpaid minimum payment specified in the preceding month's Card Statement + Overlimit.
- (xviii) "Personal Identification Number (PIN)" means a number code assigned by the Bank or determined by the Cardholder to enable the Cardholder to avail to certain services related to the usage of the Credit Card. The PIN for the Credit Card will be issued and delivered to the Cardholder at the Cardholder's own risk. The PIN is strictly confidential and should not be disclosed to any person under any circumstance or written down, failing which any unauthorised usage will be borne by the Cardholder subject to clause 13 below.
- (xix) "Overlimit" means the amount effected by the use of the Credit Card in excess of the prescribed Credit Limit.
- (xx) "Posting Date" means the date the applicable Card Transactions are debited to the Card Account.
- (xxi) "Rate" means the applicable rate used to calculate the Finance Charges.
- (xxii) "Retail Transactions" means all purchases of goods or services charged to the Credit Card, excluding Cash Advance, Credit Card Instalment Plans, Balance Transfer, fees and charges.
- (xxiii) "Statement Date" means the date which the Card Statement is issued.
- (xxiv) "Statement Balance" means the outstanding amount specified in the Card Statement.
- Masculine terms in this Agreement include the feminine and neuter genders and vice versa and the singular includes the plural and vice versa.

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3. The Credit Card is the property of the Bank and must be returned to the Bank by the Cardholder on the Bank's request.
4. (a) The Cardholder remains solely liable to the Bank for the use of the Credit Card and must take reasonable steps to safeguard the Credit Card, failing which any unauthorised usage of the Credit Card will be borne by the Cardholder subject to Clause 13 below.  
 (b) The Cardholder must enter their PIN when prompted for PIN entry to complete the Card Transactions, or the transaction may be declined.  
 (c) For overseas transactions, PIN may or may not be supported and signature may be required at attended point of sale terminals.  
 (d) For contactless transactions, no PIN or signature is required for retail transactions below RM250 or such other amount as determined by Visa/Mastercard and/or the Bank.  
 (e) For mobile card transactions which are credit card transactions performed through the Cardholder's mobile wallet, the terms and conditions in Appendix 1 (Terms and Conditions for Mobile Wallet) in this Cardholder Agreement shall apply.  
 (f) If the Bank issues an additional card ("the Supplementary Credit Card") at the joint request of the Cardholder and the additional cardholder ("the Supplementary Cardholder"), both the primary Cardholder and the Supplementary Cardholder will be jointly and severally liable to the Bank for the use of the Supplementary Credit Card.  
 (g) The Supplementary Cardholder hereby agrees to be bound by this Agreement.
5. (a) The Card Account will reflect all Card Transactions, fees and charges performed or incurred in relation to the corresponding Credit Card.  
 (b) (i) The Cardholder agrees not to use the Credit Card for or in connection with payment of any gambling, unlawful activity or illegal transaction  
 (ii) If the Bank suspects, believes or knows that any Card Transaction is or relates to any gambling, unlawful activity or illegal transaction, the Bank reserves the right to decline processing or pay that Card Transaction and/or to reverse or cancel the Card Transaction, without any liability on the Bank.  
 (iii) The Cardholder continues to be fully liable for the amount due in respect of such transactions, and will not use this as a defence to refuse payment of amounts due to the Bank.  
 (c) (i) The Credit Card carries a credit limit which will be indicated on:
  - (1) the card jacket or welcome letter in which the Credit Card was initially delivered to the Cardholder; or
  - (2) the Credit Card monthly statements, with the total Credit Limit for all and/or the respective Credit Card held by the Cardholder and Supplementary Cardholder(s) individually, if any.
 (ii) The Cardholder is required to comply with the Credit Limit for the Credit Card and;
  - (1) must immediately pay the Overlimit (if any) to the Bank by the Due Date, or immediately upon the Bank's request, whichever is earlier ; and
  - (2) remains liable for all transactions effected through the use of the Credit Card.
 (iii) The Bank may suspend further use of the Credit Card or Card Account until the Overlimit is settled in full.  
 (iv) The Bank assigns a Credit Limit to the Credit Card and may review it from time to time. The Bank may at its discretion assign a different credit limit on the Credit Card at any time based on assessment of the credit risks associated with the Card Account (including any spending or repayment pattern), and notice of any increase or reduction of the Credit Limit shall be given to the Cardholder with three (3) banking days notice. The Bank may also at its discretion restrict, limit, withhold credit or terminate use of the Credit Card, including where the Card Account is current and not in default of any payments by giving reasonable notice to the Cardholder, unless otherwise required by regulatory bodies/agencies/court orders.
- (d) The Cardholder further agrees that where the Cardholder enjoys other banking facilities with the Bank and/or HSBC Amanah Malaysia Berhad ("HSBC Amanah") and if the other banking facilities and/or this credit card facility are/is not conducted in a manner satisfactory to the Bank and/or HSBC Amanah, the Bank and HSBC Amanah have the right to reduce the Cardholder's credit limit, after giving three (3) banking days notice or to restrict, limit or terminate the use of the Credit Card, after giving reasonable notice to the Cardholder unless otherwise required to do so by regulatory bodies/agencies.
- (e) If the Cardholder uses the Credit Card in a currency other than Ringgit Malaysia, such amount shall be converted at the exchange rate as determined by Visa International or Mastercard International, as the case may be, on the date of conversion in addition to a foreign currency conversion cost of 1.25% as well as any transaction fee charged by Visa International or Mastercard International.

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6. The Cardholder shall be responsible for all facilities and services granted by the Bank in respect of the Credit Card and for all related charges even if this Agreement is terminated for any reason. The Cardholder is liable for all Card Transactions even if there is a failure to sign the sales draft/enter PIN (where applicable) or where such failure and/or omission is due to the nature of the transaction or due to oversight on the part of the Cardholder and/or the merchant and/or VISA/Mastercard member bank.
7. (a) A Card Statement will normally be sent to or made available for download by the Cardholder monthly on a date of the month to be determined by the Bank.
- (b) The Statement Balance specified on the Card Statement is due and payable by the Customer on the Due Date.
- (c) The Cardholder may elect to pay less than the Statement Balance provided that the Cardholder makes the Minimum Monthly Payment Due on the Due Date.
- (d) Where the Cardholder has more than one Credit Card and each Credit Card has its own Credit Limit, the Minimum Monthly Payment shall be applicable to each of the Credit Cards.
- (e) If the Cardholder pays the Bank less than the Statement Balance by the Due Date as prescribed in the current month's Card Statement, Finance Charge will be imposed on all outstanding balance (except taxes (if any) and, Late Payment Fee (if any)) from posting date until full settlement.
- (f) If the Cardholder settle the current month's Statement Balance in full on or before the Due Date, the Cardholder will enjoy Grace Period on the following month's outstanding balances.
- (g) A Late Payment Fee will be charged by the Bank if the Cardholder fails to pay the Minimum Monthly Payment by the Due Date. The Late Payment Fee will be charged on the day after the expiration of 4 days from the Due Date and will be specified in the following month's Card Statement.

## D. Verification of Card Statements

8. The Cardholder agrees to verify all entries in each Card Statement in respect of the Card Account and notify the Bank in writing within sixty (60) days from the date of the Card Statement of any alleged errors, discrepancies, inaccurate entries, forged and/or counterfeit transactions, unauthorised entries or debits (collectively "Irregularities"), if any. In the absence of any notification, the entries in the Card Statement shall be deemed correct, conclusive and binding upon the Cardholder of the amount due and owing to the Bank.

## E. Cash Advance

9. (a) The Cardholder may obtain cash advances at the Bank's discretion, where such cash advances will not cause the Cardholder's available Credit Limit to be exceeded, by:
  - (i) presenting the Credit Card at any of the Bank's offices or at any member institution of VISA International and/or Mastercard International together with evidence of the Cardholder's identity and signing the necessary transaction record; or
  - (ii) using the Credit Card at any Automated Teller Machines ("ATM") of the Bank or any member of the HSBC Group ATM Network or of any other bank or institution where the Bank has an arrangement(s) for the use of their ATM.

In both cases, the maximum amount that can be withdrawn from the Card Account by way of Cash Advance will depend on the prevailing limit set by the Bank from time to time. Where the Cash Advance is made via ATM, each cash advance will be subjected to the applicable daily withdrawal limit or the withdrawal limit per cash advance transaction of the ATM as well as Clause 9(d) below.

The Bank has the right to impose a ceiling in percentage terms on the quantum of Credit Limit and the Cardholder's available balance which can be utilised for cash advances. The Bank further has the right to vary such ceiling percentage from time to time as the Bank in its absolute discretion deems fit.
- (b) Cash advances will be subject to a cash advance fee of **5%** of the amount advanced or **RM15**, whichever is higher. The cash advance fee shall be debited to the Card Account as at the date of the cash advance.
 

The Bank also reserves the right, at its absolute discretion, to treat all Credit Card transactions relating to wire transfer and money order as cash advances and to impose a cash advance fee as stated above on all such transactions.
- (c) The Finance Charge shall be charged at a fixed rate of 18% per annum on the Cash Advances amount taken, calculated from the date of disbursement until payment in full.

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## E. Cash Advance (continued)

- (d) As provided in Clause 9(a)(ii), the Credit Card may be used at the Bank's ATMs or point-of-sale terminals, in which case the Cardholder agrees that transactions effected through the ATMs or point-of-sale terminals are subject to additional terms and conditions as follows:
- (i) Subject to this Clause 9, the Cardholder may transfer such advance from the Cardholder's Card Account to any other account maintained with any branch of the Bank or HSBC Amanah in Malaysia, provided that such advances do not cause the Cardholder's available Credit Limit to be exceeded and are within the ceiling percentage imposed by the Bank on the quantum of Credit Limit. Such advances will be governed by the terms of this Agreement.
- (ii) Settlement of outstanding amounts under the Card Account may be made by a deposit in cash or by cheque (subject to Clause 9(d)(vi) below) or by a funds transfer of up to RM20,000 from the Cardholder's account maintained with the Bank or HSBC Amanah encoded on the Credit Card.
- (iii) The Cardholder shall not use or attempt to use the Credit Card for a funds withdrawal or funds transfer unless there is sufficient available balance in the Credit Limit of the Card Account.
- (iv) The Bank shall debit the Card Account with the amount of any funds withdrawal or funds transfer effected with the use of the Credit Card whether with or without the Cardholder's knowledge or authority. The Cardholder is deemed to have given consent for the Bank to do so.
- (v) All inter-country transactions via ATMs are subject to the laws of the country where the transaction is done. For all such transactions, the exchange rates (if applicable) shall be the prevailing exchange rates as determined by the Bank at its sole discretion as at the date the transaction is posted into the Card Account.
- (vi) The Cardholder agrees that in addition to this Agreement, the Bank's Generic Terms and Conditions governing deposit accounts will also apply to the use of an ATM facility by the Cardholder when effecting banking transactions on deposit accounts by electronic means, whether at ATMs, point-of-sale terminals or otherwise.

## F. Payments Made To Card Account

10. (a) Any transaction for the deposit of cash, cheques, and other negotiable instruments, shall only be deemed as having been made:
- if by a deposit of cash, upon verification by two members of the Bank's staff of the deposit and of the amount of such deposit and the entry recorded in the Bank's records; and
  - if by a deposit of cheques or other negotiable instruments, upon verification by two members of the Bank's staff of the deposit and amount of such deposit and of the Cardholder's title to such cheques and other negotiable instruments for collection.
- The receipt issued by the Express Cash Deposit Machine and Cheque Deposit Machine and the amounts reflected on the ATM screens, at the time of the deposit transaction may confirm the deposit effected but not the amount deposited, hence will not be treated as conclusive.
- (b) Payments made by the Cardholder to the Bank in respect of the Card Account will be applied to the outstanding amount of the Card Transactions, the order of settlement starting from the amounts subject to the highest Rate to the amounts subject to the lowest Rate.

## G. Annual Fee and Service Tax

11. The Cardholder agrees to pay the Annual Fee and applicable tax for the Credit Card and for all Supplementary Credit Cards issued. This Annual Fee shall be determined and/or varied by the Bank from time to time. The Annual Fee will be billed to the Cardholder as specified in the Card Statement. All fees, charges and any applicable tax will be debited to the Card Account when due and are not refundable.

## H. Liability vis-à-vis Cardholder and Merchant

12. (a) The Bank is not liable for any act or omission of any merchant establishment including any refusal to honour the Credit Card, or any defect or deficiency in any goods or services supplied to the Cardholder by such merchant.
- (b) The Cardholder shall resolve all complaints, claims and disputes against the merchants directly and the Cardholder agrees not to involve the Bank in any such claims, disputes or legal proceedings.
- (c) Any claims and/or disputes which the Cardholder may have against the merchant establishment shall not relieve the Cardholder of the obligation to pay the amounts due to the Bank.

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## I. Loss, Stolen or Unauthorised Use of Credit Card and Disclosure of PIN to Unauthorised Persons

13. (a) In the situation of a card-present unauthorised transaction requiring PIN verification performed on the Cardholder's Card Account, the Cardholder shall not be liable for the disputed Card Transaction unless the Cardholder is proven to have:
- acted fraudulently;
  - delayed in notifying the Bank as soon as reasonably practicable after having discovered the loss or unauthorised use of the Credit Card;
  - voluntarily disclosed the PIN to another person; or
  - recorded the PIN on the Credit Card, or on anything kept in close proximity with the Credit Card, which could be lost or stolen together with the Credit Card.
- (b) In the situation of a card-present unauthorised transaction requiring signature verification or the use of a contactless card performed on the Cardholder's Card Account, the Cardholder shall not be liable for the disputed Card Transaction unless the Cardholder is proven to have:
- acted fraudulently;
  - delayed in notifying the Bank as soon as reasonably practicable after having discovered the loss or unauthorised use of the Credit Card;
  - left the Credit Card or an item containing the Credit Card unattended, in places visible and accessible to others, except at the Cardholder's place of residence. However, Cardholders are expected to exercise due care in safeguarding the Credit Card even at Cardholder's place of residence; or
  - voluntarily allowed another person to use the Credit Card.
- (c) The Cardholder shall not be held liable for any unauthorised transactions charged to the Credit Card after the Cardholder has notified the Bank, either verbally or in writing, of the lost, stolen or unauthorised use of the Credit Card.
- (d) The Cardholder shall not be held liable for losses incurred due to any of the following:
- the Bank fails to send reminders on Cardholders' responsibilities to the Cardholder;
  - the Bank fails to provide customer hotlines which are operational at all times for the Cardholder to notify the Bank of any lost, stolen or unauthorised use of the Credit Card;
  - a technical breakdown or other deficiency in the Bank's systems or equipment;
  - weaknesses or vulnerability in security features and controls adopted by the Bank;
  - the disputed Card Transaction was one that involved the use of a forged Credit Card;
  - for a Card Transaction requiring PIN verification, the disputed Card Transaction occurred before the Cardholder received the PIN or changed the default PIN for the first time;
  - fraudulent or negligent conduct of the employees or agents of the Bank or merchants; or
  - a transaction, excluding a recurring transaction, that occurred after the Cardholder has notified the Bank of the lost, stolen or unauthorised use of the Credit Card.
- (e) To facilitate the Bank investigating into any report of lost, stolen or unauthorised use of Credit Card, the Bank will require the assistance of the Cardholder to perform the following:
- notwithstanding that the Cardholder may have lodged a verbal report, the Bank will require the Cardholder to complete a written report, which may include the completion of a questionnaire; and
  - to provide the Bank with a copy of a police report filed in relation to the loss or theft of the Credit Card.
- (f) The Cardholder will not be required to pay the disputed Card Transactions pending investigation by the Bank without prejudice to the Bank's right to claim from the Cardholder the appropriate amount based on the outcome of the investigation.
- (g) Notwithstanding the above, the limitation of liability does not apply to situations where the disputed transactions were performed as a result of the Cardholder having disclosed the PIN for the Credit Card(s) to another person. The Cardholder shall act in good faith, exercise reasonable care and diligence in keeping the PIN in secrecy. For example, the Cardholder should not:
- Write or otherwise record the PIN in a way that can be understood by someone else either on the credit card, or on anything kept in close proximity with the Credit Card;
  - Disclose the PIN to someone else including, without limitation, the Bank's employees and any third parties providing account aggregation services;
  - Keep any advice from the Bank concerning the PIN promptly after receipt;
  - Use a PIN which may be easy to guess such as birthdays, telephone numbers, dates of birth, identity card number, passport number, driving licence or contact numbers etc;
  - Use the same PIN without regularly changing it;
  - Use PIN from other internet sites.

At no time and under no circumstances shall the Cardholder disclose the PIN to any other person.

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14. The Bank is not obliged to issue a replacement Credit Card to the Cardholder following its loss, theft or unauthorised use. Any replacement Credit Card is subject to a replacement fee applicable at the time of such replacement.

## J. Set-Off

15. The Cardholder and the Supplementary Cardholder(s) respectively authorise the Bank, whether before or after the termination of the use of the Credit Card, to place a hold on the money standing to the credit of any existing account(s) of the Cardholder, of whatever nature, type and description maintained with the Bank or HSBC Amanah Malaysia Berhad (and whether upon maturity or otherwise and whether in Ringgit Malaysia or in any currency) including any joint account(s) with a Supplementary Cardholder and at the end of seven (7) days written notice, to set-off or apply or transfer or utilise any sum standing to the credit of any one or more of such accounts (even if it involves uplifting/withdrawing any deposit/investment before maturity date and/or converting the same into Ringgit Malaysia at the Bank's spot rate of exchange on the day of conversion), in or towards satisfaction of the Cardholder's and/or the Supplementary Cardholder's liability to the Bank under this Agreement (including but not limited to outstanding amounts, legal costs, charges and expenses incurred, if any, in respect of enforcement of this Agreement or recovery of outstanding amounts).

## K. Termination of Credit Card and Supplementary Credit Card

16. (a) The Cardholder may terminate this Agreement at any time by written notice to the Bank. The Credit Card and the Supplementary Credit Card, if any, shall be cut up by the Cardholder and the Bank shall be absolved of all liability or losses as a result of the said Credit Card or Supplementary Credit Card being used by third parties. No refund of the annual fee or any part thereof will be made upon termination of the Credit Card and/or Supplementary Credit Card.

If only one of the Supplementary Credit Card(s) is to be cancelled, the Cardholder should advise the Bank in writing accordingly. The said Supplementary Credit Card shall be cut up by Cardholder and the Bank shall not be responsible for any losses resulting from the said Supplementary Credit Card being used by the Supplementary Cardholder and/or third parties.

The termination of any Supplementary Credit Card will not terminate the Credit Card, unless otherwise advised to the Bank in writing by the Cardholder.

- (b) The Bank may in its absolute discretion, at any time and in any circumstance deemed fit, including but not limited to death, bankruptcy, insolvency of the Cardholder, consecutive default by the Cardholder in the monthly repayments of the Card Account or non-adherence of the terms and conditions herein, and without any liability whatsoever to the Cardholder, terminate this Agreement.

- (c) The Premier World MasterCard®/Premier Travel Credit Card can only be held together with an HSBC Premier Account. Whereas, the Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card can only be held together with an HSBC Advance Account. In the event the Cardholder of Premier World MasterCard® Credit Card/ Premier Travel Credit Card/Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card no longer holds an HSBC Premier Account or HSBC Advance Account (as applicable), the Premier World MasterCard®/Premier Travel Credit Card/Advance Visa Platinum Credit Card shall be cancelled/terminated immediately upon termination of the HSBC Premier Account/HSBC Advance Account, or upon re-designation/auto-conversion of the HSBC Premier Account/HSBC Advance Account, as the case may be.

## L. Effects of Termination

17. (a) Subject to Clause 15, the entire outstanding balance on the Card Account and the amount of any outstanding Card Transactions effected (whether before or after the termination of this Agreement) that have yet to be posted to the Card Account including any outstanding payments/instalments not due but which the Cardholder is liable for arising from any Mail Order, Telephone Order Schemes, Credit Card Instalment Plans, Balance Transfer or Standing Instructions (recurring payment) made or allegedly made by the Cardholder to a merchant establishment for the supply of goods or services to be charged to the Card Account (collectively, "the outstanding amounts") shall become immediately due and payable in full to the Bank. All outstanding amounts due and payable shall be charged with a fee which shall be fixed at the sole discretion of the Bank on: termination of this Agreement; or the Cardholder's bankruptcy or death.

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- (b) Without prejudice to the Clause 17(a) above, the Cardholder agrees that he/she remains liable to the Bank for any recurring transactions billed into his/her Credit Card resulting from existing standing instructions/payment arrangements with the merchant establishment(s) involving the Credi Card notwithstanding that the Cardholder has terminated the Card. It is the Cardholder's sole duty and obligation to cancel or transfer such standing instructions/payment arrangements to another medium of payment before terminating his/her Credit Card. The Bank may reverse these transactions from the Card Account, although it is not obligated to do so, if the Cardholder provides proof of payment made by him/her to the merchant establishment(s) receiving payment under the standing instructions/payment arrangements.
- (c) The Cardholder or his/her estate will be responsible for all outstanding amounts and shall keep the Bank indemnified for all costs (including legal fees on a solicitor and client basis) and expenses incurred in recovering such outstanding amounts.

## M. Cardholder's Obligations

18. The Cardholder is to notify the Bank's Card Services promptly in writing of any changes in:
- employment or business; or
  - his/her office or residential address; a
- any of the Cardholder's contact particulars provided to the Bank.
19. (a) If the Cardholder leaves Malaysia for more than one month, he/she should make arrangements to settle the Card Account prior to his/her departure.
- (b) If the Cardholder leaves Malaysia to take up residence elsewhere, the Credit Card and any Supplementary Credit Card(s) are to be returned to the Bank for cancellation/termination prior to the Cardholder's departure and Clause 17 shall apply.

## N. Automated Phonebanking Service and Personal Internet Banking

20. Where the Cardholder links his/her Card Account for access through the Bank's Automated Phonebanking Service ("the ATB") or Personal Internet Banking ("the PIB"), the Cardholder agrees that the respective ATB and PIB Terms and Conditions shall form part of these Card Terms and Conditions. In the event of a conflict, these Card Terms and Conditions shall prevail.

## O. Service and Notification

21. (a) The Cardholder hereby irrevocably consents to the service of the Card Statement and any notices under this Agreement, other than service of a notice of demand and of any court process:
- by ordinary mail or courier to the Cardholder's address last known to the Bank. Such service shall be deemed to be effective three (3) days after the date of posting even though it is later returned undelivered; or
  - by electronic mail to the Cardholder's e-mail address last known to the Bank, electronic message to contact provided to the Bank or internet banking mailbox with the Bank. Such notification shall be taken to have been received at the time of transmission; or
  - by posting a notice onto the Bank's public website or any of its branches.
- (b) For any service of notice of demand and any legal process, the Cardholder irrevocably consents to the service by registered post (not being AR registered post) or courier to the Cardholder's address last known to the Bank. Such notice shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service three (3) days after the date of posting even though it is later returned undelivered.

## P. Conclusive Evidence

22. A certificate by an officer of the Bank as to the amount for the time being due and owing to the Bank from or by the Cardholder shall be conclusive evidence against the Cardholder for all purposes including any legal proceedings.

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## Q. Modification and Variation

23. (a) The Cardholder agrees that the Bank has the right to vary, add to or delete any of these Terms and Conditions from time to time. The Bank shall, before the effective date of such changes (other than change to Credit Limit), give the Cardholder at least 21 days notice of any such alterations or publish the change in any manner considered appropriate or as required by the regulatory bodies/agencies. The Cardholder agrees that he/she will be bound by such alterations and if the Cardholder does not agree with such alterations or amendments, the Cardholder must terminate the use of the Credit Card before the effective date of any such alterations or amendments in accordance with Clause 16(a) above by:
- giving prior written notice to the Bank; and
  - returning the Credit Card to the Bank.
- Upon termination of the Credit Card, the annual fee paid is not refundable and Clause 17 shall apply.
- (b) The Cardholder's retention or use of the Credit Card after the effective date of any change of Terms and Conditions is deemed acceptance of such changes without any reservation by the Cardholder.

## R. Collection, Processing and Sharing of Cardholder Information

24. Generic Terms & Conditions ("GTC") Shall Apply
- (i) GTC Clause 10 on "Collection, Processing and Sharing of Customer Information" is incorporated in this Cardholder Agreement, where all references to "Customer" shall be read as "Cardholder" and all references to "product" shall include "Credit Card".
- (ii) GTC Clause 10 is to be read together with GTC Clause 41 on "Definitions".
- (iii) GTC Clause 10 and Clause 41 may be amended from time to time in accordance with GTC Clause 7 on "Amendment of Terms & Conditions" and the prevailing version shall apply to this Cardholder Agreement.

## S. Foreign Exchange Administration Regulations

25. (a) The Cardholder authorises the Bank to take any steps to comply with the relevant Foreign Exchange Administration Regulations issued by Bank Negara Malaysia from time to time in respect of any overseas Card Transactions.
- (b) Where applicable, the Cardholder shall comply with the Foreign Exchange Administration Regulations of Malaysia and use the Credit Card within the limits imposed by the Foreign Exchange Administration Regulations Authorities. The Cardholder shall be responsible for complying with such regulations and limits, and amendments thereto and the Cardholder shall indemnify and hold harmless the Bank from and against all claims, liabilities and damages howsoever arising from the Cardholder's failure to so comply.

## T. Indemnity

26. (a) The Cardholder agrees to indemnify the Bank against any liability for loss, damage, costs and expenses (legal or otherwise including costs on a solicitor and client basis), which the Bank may incur by reason of the provisions herein or in the enforcement of its rights.
- (b) Subject to Clause 15, the Cardholder shall upon demand pay to the Bank all legal costs, charges and expenses which the Bank may incur in enforcing or seeking to enforce this Agreement or in obtaining or seeking to obtain payment of all or any part of the monies owing by the Cardholder.
- (c) This indemnity shall remain in full force and effect even after termination of the Credit Card in accordance with Clause 16 above.

## U. Disclaimer

27. The Bank shall not be liable for any loss, injury or damage howsoever arising including consequential and economic loss suffered by the Cardholder, as a result of:
- Card Transactions being rejected due to a "Card Referral", "Card Block" or "Card Declined" Status placed on the Credit Card by the Bank, as a security measure;
  - mechanical defect or malfunction of the Bank's ATMs or the HSBC Group's/VISA/Plus System and Mastercard/Cirrus ATM Network;
  - failure of the Credit Card;
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(v) any failure of performance, error, omission, interruption, defect, delay in operation or transmission, computer virus or line or system failure in connection with the usage of this Service, even if the Bank, its officers, servants, employees, representatives and/or agents are advised of the possibility of such damages, losses or expenses;

(vi) by any circumstances beyond the Bank's control or by strikes or other labour disputes.

28. In the event there are disputes on transaction(s) performed with the Credit Card, the Bank has the discretion to decide whether or not to effect a temporary refund and/or counterfeit refund of credit to the Cardholder pending further investigation by the Bank with the merchants, acquiring banks and/or any other relevant parties. Where the merchants, acquiring banks and/or relevant parties are able to prove with sufficient evidence that the disputed transaction(s) was/were genuinely incurred and/or participated by the Cardholder, the Bank has the right to reverse the temporary credit posted.

## V. Financial Crime Risk Management Activity

29. Generic Terms & Conditions ("GTC") Shall Apply

(i) GTC Clause 8 on "Financial Crime Risk Management Activity" is incorporated in this Cardholder Agreement, where all references to "Customer" shall be read as "Cardholder" and all references to "product" shall include "Credit Card"

(ii) GTC Clause 8 is to be read together with GTC Clause 41 on "Definitions".

(iii) GTC Clause 8 and Clause 41 may be amended from time to time in accordance with GTC Clause 9 on "Amendment of Terms & Conditions" and the prevailing version shall apply to this Cardholder Agreement.

## W. HSBC Visa Exclusive Privileges/Mastercard Moments Privileges

30. The list of Visa Exclusive Privileges/Mastercard Moments privileges associated with the Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card, including the Concierge Service, published in any of the Bank's Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card brochures or publications, are provided by Visa International and Mastercard International through third party organisations and/or services provided for the benefit of Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card Cardholders. The Visa Exclusive Privileges/Mastercard Moments privileges, including the Concierge Service are subject to change and to the Visa Exclusive Privileges/Mastercard Moments Terms and Conditions mentioned in the Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card brochures (a copy of which is supplied to the Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card Cardholder at the time the Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card is issued and thereafter available upon request). The Bank disclaims all warranties given by the said third party organisations and/or the service providers, both expressed and implied, including, but not limited to any implied warranty of merchantability and warranty of fitness for a particular purpose, for each of the products and services, or programmes referenced in any of the Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card brochures and any of the Bank's publications which are offered by the Visa Exclusive Privileges/Mastercard Moments, including the Concierge Service.

In addition, the Visa Signature Credit Card/Visa Platinum Credit Card/Platinum Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Advance Visa Platinum/HSBC Premier World Mastercard Credit Card/HSBC Premier Travel Mastercard Credit Card Cardholder undertakes to indemnify the Bank against all claims, liabilities, damages and expenses (legal or otherwise including costs on a solicitor and client basis) incurred by the Bank in relation to any act or omission of the Bank, its servants or agents (other than that resulting from its/their gross negligence) and in any event, third parties, as well as any loss or damage suffered by the Bank in relation to the Visa Exclusive Privileges/Mastercard Moments, including the Concierge Service.

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## **X. Authorisation or Instructions via Mail, Telephone and Electronic Medium (Online Communication)**

31. (a) The Cardholder authorises the Bank to rely upon and act in accordance with any notice, instruction demand or other communication that may be given by mail, telephone or electronic media (i.e. online communications including but not limited to instructions received via mobile banking applications) by the Cardholder or on his/her behalf ("Instruction") and the Bank shall be entitled to treat the Instructions as fully authorised by the Cardholder and the Bank shall be entitled to take such steps in reliance upon the Instruction as the Bank may consider appropriate.
- (b) The Bank under terms of this authorization is not obliged to accept and act upon the following Instructions:
- Change in Mandate
  - Change to authorised signatories
  - Power of Attorney to another person/entity
  - Closure of the account(s) and transfer to the remaining balance by any means
32. Subject to Clauses 8 and 28, any request by mail, telephone or electronic media (online communications) including without limitation, internet banking and bill payments, made by the Cardholder to a merchant or a provider of any services for the supply of goods and/or services to be charged to the Card Account shall constitute authority:
- (i) for the merchant or the provider of services to issue a sales draft for the amount to be charged; and
- (ii) for the Bank to debit the Card Account with such amount charged.
- The Bank shall take all reasonable steps to verify the identity of the person or persons giving the instructions.

## **Y. Tax Compliance**

33. Generic Terms & Conditions ("GTC") Shall Apply
- (i) GTC Clause 14 on "Tax Compliance" is incorporated in this Cardholder Agreement, where all references to "Customer" shall be read as "Cardholder" and all references to "product" shall include "Credit Card".
- (ii) GTC Clause 14 is to be read together with GTC Clause 41 on "Definitions".
- (iii) GTC Clause 14 and Clause 41 may be amended from time to time in accordance with GTC Clause 7 on "Amendment of Terms & Conditions" and the prevailing version shall apply to this Cardholder Agreement.

## **Z. Conflict & Order of Priority**

34. Generic Terms & Conditions ("GTC") Shall Apply
- (i) GTC Clause 33 on "Conflict & Order of Priority" is incorporated in this Cardholder Agreement.
- (ii) GTC Clause 33 is to be read together with GTC Clause 41 on "Definitions".
- (iii) GTC Clause 33 and Clause 41 may be amended from time to time in accordance with GTC Clause 7 on "Amendment of Terms & Conditions" and the prevailing version shall apply to this Cardholder Agreement.

## **AA. General**

35. This Agreement is governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Malaysia and applicable directives of regulatory bodies/agencies. Any term or condition in this Agreement which is unenforceable shall not affect the remaining terms and conditions.

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HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad ("HSBC Bank") Terms and Conditions for Mobile Wallet

The following terms and conditions apply when you add your HSBC Bank Credit Card ("Card") to a Mobile Wallet of your Eligible Device. A Mobile Wallet refers to any service which allows the use of your Card in an electronic format without presenting the physical Card such as but not limited to Samsung Pay.

**IMPORTANT!** Before you register, add, activate and use your Mobile Card within a Mobile Wallet, please read these Terms and Conditions and the HSBC Bank Credit Card Cardholder Agreement ("Cardholder Agreement") carefully. By registering, adding, activating and using your Mobile Card within a Mobile Wallet,

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you will be considered to have accepted these Terms and Conditions and the Cardholder Agreement and will be bound by them. The terms used in these Terms and Conditions, unless elsewhere defined, are defined at the end.

1. Terms and Conditions to supplement the Cardholder Agreement
  - (a) The Cardholder Agreement applies to your Card. References in the Cardholder Agreement to "Card" include your Mobile Card.
  - (b) These Terms and Conditions supplement the Cardholder Agreement and, together, they govern your Mobile Card. If there is any inconsistency between the provisions of these Terms and Conditions and the provisions of the Cardholder Agreement concerning the use of your Mobile Card, the provisions of these Terms and Conditions prevail.
  - (c) You may need to agree to separate terms with the Mobile Wallet Provider, which governs the registration and storage of your Card in the Mobile Wallet and the use of the Mobile Wallet (including the use of any data you provide to the Mobile Wallet Provider). Those separate terms you agree with the Mobile Wallet Provider will not change or override these Terms and Conditions and the Cardholder Agreement.
2. Registering, adding and activating Mobile Card
  - (a) You are eligible to add a digital version of a Card (i.e. Mobile Card) in your Mobile Wallet if your Card account is in good standing in accordance with HSBC Bank requirements and standards.
  - (b) Prior to adding the Mobile Card in the Mobile Wallet, the physical Card must be activated.
  - (c) You may add a Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet by following the instructions of the Mobile Wallet Provider (including installation of the latest operating system for your Eligible Device), and the registration and verification flow of your Mobile Wallet. You acknowledge that the Mobile Wallet Provider has the right to decline the addition of your Mobile Card or to suspend, delete or reactivate a Mobile Card added in the Mobile Wallet. We shall not be liable if you are unable to add a Card on a Mobile Wallet for any reason.
  - (d) By registering a Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet, you consent to us sending you an SMS message for verification and activation purpose based on your mobile number registered with us. For Supplementary Card registration, the SMS message will be sent to the Supplementary Cardholder mobile number registered with us. If we do not have a record of your mobile number, we will not be able to send an SMS message to you. In such scenario, you will need to call us on the number displayed in the verification screen and follow the required steps to verify and activate the Mobile Card.
  - (e) The Mobile Wallet Provider may limit the number of Mobile Cards that you may add in one Mobile Wallet from time to time. We may limit the number of Eligible Devices in which the same Mobile Card can be added from time to time and you should refer to our latest communications regarding such limit.
  - (f) One (1) Mobile Card can only be added one (1) Mobile Wallet on one (1) device. Adding the same Mobile Card to the same Mobile Wallet on a different device is not allowed.
  - (g) You agree and acknowledge that you are responsible for removing and disabling your Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet before servicing your Eligible Device, or if your Eligible Device is no longer in use by you, lost, stolen or compromised and/or you are no longer the owner of your Eligible Device.
3. Use of Mobile Card
  - (a) You may make and authorise transactions with your Mobile Card where Mobile Wallet is accepted for payment. We will not be responsible if any retailer refuses to accept your Mobile Card.
  - (b) To make and authorise a transaction, open your Mobile Wallet app and tap your Eligible Device on a Visa payWave or MasterCard contactless reader or terminal ("contactless reader"), and verify your identity via biometric or Mobile Wallet PIN as the Cardholder as determined by the Mobile Wallet Provider.
  - (c) You cannot use your Mobile Card for cash withdrawals or cash advance over the counter. A Mobile Card cannot be linked to a bank deposits account.
  - (d) Your Mobile Card may be used for purchase not exceeding RM250 per transaction or such other amount which we may be specified from time to time. The limit per transaction may vary from country to country.

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- (e) For Mobile Card transactions exceeding RM250, you will be required to insert your Card PIN to authorise the transaction.
  - (f) All Mobile Card transactions are treated the same as contactless card transactions. Therefore, all terms applied to contactless card transactions in Cardholder's Agreement shall apply to all Mobile Card transactions.
4. Card Account and credit limit
- (a) Your physical Card and in its digital version (i.e. Mobile Card) constitute one and the same Card and share the same Card Account.
  - (b) All Mobile Card Transactions will be billed to the same Card Account and appear in the same Card statement as your physical Card. There will not be a separate Card statement for your Mobile Card Transactions.
  - (c) You can view the Mobile Card related information, such as transaction history, through the Mobile Wallet. You acknowledge and accept that some of the listed transactions may be authorising transactions, which are temporary and are subject to reversal (e.g. low value authorisation for your verification and pre-authorisation at (but not limited to) petrol stations and hotels).
  - (d) You agree and acknowledge that any information pertaining to your Mobile Card as displayed on your Mobile Wallet may not necessarily reflect or indicate transactions that are yet to be processed and updated and therefore, should not be taken as conclusive. Only Mobile Card Transactions displayed in the Card statement shall be taken as conclusive.
  - (e) Your physical Card and your Mobile Card share the same credit limit set for the Card Account. There will not be a separate credit limit for your Mobile Card.
5. Acknowledgment of risk and your responsibility
- (a) You acknowledge and accept the risk of incurring any loss which may arise from or in connection with unauthorised transactions made on your Mobile Card. It is your responsibility to take security measures as we or the Mobile Wallet Provider may recommend from time to time, including the following:
    - i. take reasonable precautions to keep Card details and security details relating to your Mobile Card, Mobile Wallet and Eligible Device (including your Device Passcode, fingerprint and/or any other biometric credentials stored in your Eligible Device and/or any cloud storage platform) safe and to prevent loss, theft or fraudulent use of them;
    - ii. safeguard your Mobile Card, Mobile Wallet and Eligible Device and keep them under your personal control at all times;
    - iii. DO NOT allow anyone else to use or log on to your Eligible Device and Mobile Wallet;
    - iv. DO NOT store anyone else's fingerprint or biometric credentials in your Eligible Device;
    - v. DO NOT choose obvious numbers as Device Passcode (such as Identity Card number, date of birth, telephone number, number with same digits or others that can be easily guessed or identified by shoulder surfing) or tell anyone else your Device Passcode or write down or keep your Device Passcode close to your Eligible Device;
    - vi. DO NOT install or launch Mobile Wallet in a smartphone or other device with any pirated, hacked, fake or unauthorised application or where the software lockdown has been overridden (such as a "jailbroken" or "rooted" smartphone or device);
    - vii. change the Device Passcode regularly and use alphanumeric code for Device Passcode;
    - viii. if you have already set up access to your Eligible Device by way of Device Passcode or fingerprint or other biometric credentials, review this and ensure that you change any Device Passcode that can easily be guessed or that has already been shared with anyone else and delete any fingerprint or other biometric credentials that is not your own;
    - ix. delete your Mobile Card from the Mobile Wallet before you dispose of your Eligible Device by, for example, selling or giving it to someone else or pass your Eligible Device temporarily to someone else, for example, for it to be serviced or repaired;
    - x. remove the Mobile Card from the Mobile Wallet upon termination of your Mobile Credit Card as provided in Clause 10.
  - (b) You are fully responsible for any disclosure of your Card Details, Device Passcode or other security details relating to your Eligible Device, Mobile Wallet and Mobile Card to any other person, even if such disclosure is accidental or unauthorised. You are required to bear all risks and consequences of your Mobile Wallet and Mobile Card being used by unauthorised persons or for unauthorised purposes.

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- (c) You have to use an Eligible Device of a type or model specified by us from time to time to register, add and use Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet. We have the right to vary the type or model or withdraw an existing type or model of Eligible Device with 3 days' prior notice.
- (d) You will require internet connection, compatible telecommunications equipment and mobile phone service plan (if applicable) in order to register, add and use your Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet. You are responsible for any amount which may be charged by your mobile carrier and/or internet service provider and you agree to be solely responsible for such fees and charges.
6. Loss, theft or misuse
- Report promptly
- (a) You must notify us straight away and request that we deactivate your Card by calling our Customer Service Hotline at 1300-88-1388 (for HSBC Bank Malaysia Credit Cards) or 1300-88-9393 (for HSBC Premier Credit Cards) if you notice or suspect any loss, theft, unauthorised possession, control or use of your Mobile Card or Eligible Device, or if you believe someone else has used your Mobile Card or Eligible Device, or has discovered the security details of your Eligible Device, Mobile Wallet or Mobile Card or the security of your Card, Mobile Card, Mobile Wallet or Eligible Device has been compromised in any manner.
- If you report loss, theft, disclosure or unauthorised use of your Mobile Card or Eligible Device in accordance with Clause 6, you shall not be liable for the disputed Mobile Card transaction unless you are proven to have:
- acted fraudulently;
  - delayed in notifying the Bank as soon as reasonably practicable after having discovered the loss or unauthorised use of the Mobile Card;
  - left the Mobile Card unattended, in places visible and accessible to others, except at your place of residence. However, you are expected to exercise due care in safeguarding the Mobile card even at your own place of residence; or
  - voluntarily allowed another person to use the Mobile Card.
7. Limitation of our liability
- (a) You acknowledge and accept that the Mobile Wallet is made available to you by the Mobile Wallet Provider on compatible Eligible Device. We are not the provider of your Mobile Wallet, and we are not responsible for providing the Mobile Wallet service to you. We have no control over the Mobile Wallet platform or your Eligible Device. We are therefore not responsible for any failure of the Mobile Wallet, or your inability to use the Mobile Wallet for any transaction. We are also not responsible for the performance or non-performance of the Mobile Wallet Provider or any third parties that may impact your use of the Mobile Wallet. We are not responsible for any loss that you may suffer or incur in relation to your use or inability to use your Mobile Wallet (including your Mobile Card).
- (b) We are not liable to refund you for any unauthorised transactions where we are able to prove that appropriate security measures were not applied including those provided in Clause 5(a), Clause 6(a), Clause 10 herein or those provided in the Cardholder Agreement.
8. Your Personal Data
- By registering, adding and using the Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet, you agree and acknowledge that certain Card account information (related to usage of the Card on your Mobile Wallet) may be transmitted to and stored within your Eligible Device and/or SIM card, with the Mobile Wallet provider and/or on the system of a third party working with the Mobile Wallet Provider, for purposes of the Mobile Wallet. Such information may be used by the Mobile Wallet Provider and/or the third party working with the Mobile Wallet Provider. We shall not be responsible and have no control over the privacy and security of your personal data and information provided by you to the Mobile Wallet Provider and/or the third party working with the Mobile Wallet Provider which is governed by the privacy policy of and any agreement you may have with the Mobile Wallet Provider and/or third party working with the Mobile Wallet Provider. It is your responsibility to understand and accept the privacy policy of and any agreement you may have with the Mobile Wallet Provider and/or third party working with the Mobile Wallet Provider before you register, add or use the Mobile Card in your Mobile Wallet.
9. Fees and charges
- (a) All applicable interest, fees and charges that apply to your Card will also apply to the Mobile Card.
- (b) You will bear all fees, charges and expenses imposed by any mobile phone service provider, telecommunications provider, internet service provider, retailer or the Mobile Wallet Provider for or in relation to your adding, activating or using the Mobile Card or for making transactions using your Mobile Wallet and the Mobile Card.

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### 10. Termination of Mobile Card

- (a) You shall follow the instructions of the Mobile Wallet Provider to remove your Mobile Card from the Mobile Wallet should you wish to terminate the Mobile Card. Termination of the Mobile Card will not terminate the physical Card unless you also terminate it in accordance with the Cardholder Agreement.
- (b) If you are a primary Card cardholder, you cannot terminate the Mobile Card of the Supplementary Cardholder without terminating the physical Supplementary Card.
- (c) If you are a primary Mobile Card cardholder:
  - i. termination of primary physical Card will automatically terminate the primary Mobile Card and supplementary Mobile Card(s) (if any);
  - ii. termination of primary Mobile Card will not automatically terminate any supplementary Mobile Card(s).
- (d) We have the rights to suspend, freeze or terminate your Card under the Cardholder Agreement. These rights will be extended to your Mobile Card. Your Mobile Card will be suspended, frozen or terminated at the same time if your physical Card is suspended, frozen or terminated under the Cardholder Agreement. You agree that we will not be liable to you or any third party for any suspension, freezing or termination of your use of any Card or Mobile Card.
- (e) We will also have the right to suspend, freeze or terminate the use of a Mobile Card if your Mobile Wallet has been suspended, frozen or terminated by the Mobile Wallet Provider for any reason, or if you have made a report to us under Clause 6(a).
- (f) Upon termination of Mobile Card whether by you or by us, you must remove the Mobile Card from your Mobile Wallet based on the instructions provided by the Mobile Wallet Provider. You should contact the Mobile Wallet Provider if you have any question on how to remove the Mobile Card or the Mobile Wallet from your Eligible Device.
- (g) You are responsible for all Mobile Card Transactions whether or not authorised by you unless and until you have removed the Mobile Card from your Mobile Wallet and Eligible Device upon termination.
- (h) Termination of the Mobile Card on its own will not affect the physical Card which will continue to be governed by the Cardholder Agreement.

### 11. Variation of this Terms and Conditions

We have the right to vary these Terms and Conditions from time to time with 21 days prior notice. You will be bound by a variation unless your Mobile Card is terminated by you and removed from the Mobile Wallet and Eligible Device in accordance with Clause 10 before the date on which that variation takes effect.

### 12. Governing law, jurisdiction and version

- (a) These Terms and Conditions are governed by and will be construed according to laws of Malaysia.
- (b) You submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Malaysia.

### 13. General matters

If you have any questions or complaints about your Card, please contact us at 1-300-88-1388 (for HSBC Bank Malaysia Credit Cards) or 1300- 88-9393 (for HSBC Premier Credit Cards) . If your question or complaint is about the Mobile Wallet, please contact the Mobile Wallet Provider using the contact information provided by the Mobile Wallet Provider.

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**Supplementary Cardholder** means a Supplementary Cardholder referred to in the Cardholder Agreement.

**Card Account** means the Card Account referred to in the Cardholder Agreement.

**Cardholder Agreement** means the HSBC Bank Credit Card Cardholder Agreement governing the supply and use of your Card, as may be amended from time to time.

**Device Passcode** means the access passcode of your Eligible Device.

**Eligible Device** means such model of smartphone, tablet or other device (such as watch) with Mobile Wallet function in which a Mobile Card can be registered and added, as designated by us from time to time.

**Mobile Card** means a digital version of your Card which you add in the Mobile Wallet on your Eligible Device.

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**Mobile Card Transaction** means any transaction made using your Mobile Card.

**Mobile Wallet** means a wallet application provided by a Mobile Wallet Provider installed in an Eligible Device in which your Mobile Card is added.

**Mobile Wallet Provider** means provider of the Mobile Wallet, as designated by us from time to time.  
**these Terms and Conditions** means these terms and conditions as may be amended from time to time.

**we, us, our or HSBC** means HSBC Bank.

**you or your** means or refers to the primary cardholder and/or the supplementary cardholder.

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