

HSBC HOLDINGS PLC  
Form 6-K  
December 23, 2011

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

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

For the month of December  
HSBC Holdings plc

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

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

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

Yes.....  No

(If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-.....).

HSBC Holdings plc has today received from BlackRock Inc. a Corporate Substantial Shareholder Notice pursuant to s.324 of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571) ("The Notice").

To view The Notice click here:

[http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/6196U\\_-2011-12-23.pdf](http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/6196U_-2011-12-23.pdf)

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SIGNATURE

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

HSBC Holdings plc

By:

Name: P A Stafford

Title: Assistant Group Secretary

Date: 23 December 2011