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Prudential announces allotment results for its concurrent Hong Kong public offer and international placing

Reference is made to the Prospectus and formal notice published by Prudential plc ("**Prudential**") on Monday, 20 September 2021. Capitalised terms used below shall have the same meaning as given to them in the Prospectus.

On 25 September 2021, Prudential announced the final offer prices for both the Public Offer and Placing in respect of approximately 130.8 million new shares, representing approximately 5 per cent. of its issued share capital.

Based on the final offer prices for both the Public Offer and the Placing of HK\$143.8 per Offer Share, the net proceeds from the Share Offer to be received by Prudential, after deduction of the underwriting fees and other estimated expenses payable in connection with the Share Offer, are estimated to be approximately HK\$18.5 billion or US\$2.4 billion.

The approximately 6.5 million Public Offer Shares initially available under the Public Offer have been over-subscribed. Of the approximately 130.8 million total Offer Shares to be allotted under the Share Offer, approximately 6.5 million have been allocated to the Public Offer and approximately 124.2 million have been allocated to the Placing.

Dealings in the Offer Shares on the Main Board of the HK Stock Exchange are expected to commence at 9:00 am (Hong Kong time) on Monday, 4 October 2021, subject to approval from the HK Stock Exchange for the listing of and permission to deal in the Offer Shares.

The Offer Shares are expected to be admitted to the premium listing segment of the Official List and the Main Market of the London Stock Exchange at 8:00 am (UK time) on Monday, 4 October 2021, subject to approvals from the Financial Conduct Authority and the London Stock Exchange for the listing of the Offer Shares. Admission to listing of the Offer Shares on the Singapore Stock Exchange is expected to take effect at 9:00 am (Singapore time) on Monday, 4 October 2021, subject to confirmation from the Singapore Stock Exchange for the listing of the Offer Shares.

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The UK Target Market Assessment is without prejudice to the requirements of any contractual, legal or regulatory selling restrictions in relation to the Placing. Furthermore, it is noted that, notwithstanding the UK Target Market Assessment, the Placing Underwriters will only procure investors who meet the criteria of professional clients and eligible counterparties. For the avoidance of doubt, the UK Target Market Assessment does not constitute: (a) an assessment of suitability or appropriateness for the purposes of COBS; or (b) a recommendation to any investor or group of investors to invest in, or purchase, or take any other action whatsoever with respect to the Placing Shares. Each distributor is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Placing Shares and determining appropriate distribution channels.

Potential investors of the Offer Shares should note that the Joint Global Coordinators (for themselves and on behalf of the Public Offer Underwriters) are entitled, by giving a joint notice in writing to Prudential, to terminate the Public Offer Underwriting Agreement upon the occurrence of any of the events set out in the section headed "Underwriting — Underwriting arrangements and expenses — Public Offer — Grounds for termination of the Public Offer Underwriting Agreement" in the Prospectus, at any time prior to 8:00 a.m. (Hong Kong time) on the Listing Date (which is currently expected to be on Monday, 4 October 2021).

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