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## **GRANT OF SHARE OPTIONS**

This announcement is made pursuant to Rule 17.06A of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules").

Prudential plc ("Prudential") announces that on 1 October 2023, options were granted over a total of 31,493 new ordinary shares (the "Options") to certain eligible employees under the Prudential Sharesave Plan 2023 (the "Sharesave 2023") which was approved at the annual general meeting on 25 May 2023. A summary is set out below:

| Date of grant  | : | 1 October 2023  |
|--|---|---|
| Number of Options granted  | : | 31,493  |
| Exercise price of the Options granted                                      | : | GBP 7.75 per share, representing not less than 80% of the market value of the shares  |
| Closing price of a Prudential GBP 0.05 ordinary share on the date of grant | : | GBP 8.88 per share  |
| Exercise period of the Options granted                                     | : | The Options are exercisable during the respective maturity periods, 1 December 2026 to 31 May 2027 or 1 December 2028 to 31 May 2029  |
| Vesting period of the Options granted                                      | : | The vesting period is 3 or 5 years from the date of grant.  |
|  |   | The Sharesave 2023: In the case of a participant leaving as a good<br>leaver, early vesting allows the participant in compassionate leaver<br>circumstances to receive the value of their award in a prompt<br>fashion so they can benefit from it. The Remuneration Committee<br>is of the view that this early vesting event is in the best interests of<br>Prudential and align with the purpose of the plan to incentivise,<br>reward and retain employees. |
| Performance targets and clawback mechanism                                 | : | The Sharesave 2023 is a broad-based plan (in a form approved by<br>the UK tax authorities) intended to promote share ownership in<br>Prudential's wider workforce. The number of shares participants  |

may acquire is restricted by the amount of savings they make under the plan. The maximum amount of savings that a participant can make is in turn capped by the UK legislation governing the plan. The Remuneration Committee therefore considers it inappropriate to apply performance conditions or malus and clawback provisions to awards granted under the plan, the use of which, in any event, is restricted by the legislation governing the plan.

The Options were granted to the following category of grantees:

|           | Number of Options granted |
|-----------|---------------------------|
| Employees | 31,493                    |
| Total     | 31,493                    |

None of the grantees of the Options is a director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of Prudential, nor an associate (as defined in the Listing Rules) of any of them.

As at the date of this announcement, the maximum number of shares available for future grant under the scheme mandate of the above plans and any other plans of Prudential is 205,531,402.

## **About Prudential plc**

Prudential plc provides life and health insurance and asset management in 24 markets across Asia and Africa. Prudential's mission is to be the most trusted partner and protector for this generation and generations to come, by providing simple and accessible financial and health solutions. The business has dual primary listings on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong (2378) and the London Stock Exchange (PRU). It also has a secondary listing on the Singapore Stock Exchange (K6S) and a listing on the New York Stock Exchange (PUK) in the form of American Depositary Receipts. It is a constituent of the Hang Seng Composite Index and is also included for trading in the Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect programme and the Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect programme.

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By order of the Board **Prudential plc Tom Clarkson** *Company Secretary* 

3 October 2023, London and Hong Kong

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of Prudential plc comprises:

*Chair* Shriti Vinodkant Vadera

Executive Director Anil Wadhwani (Chief Executive Officer)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Jeremy David Bruce Anderson CBE, Arijit Basu, Chua Sock Koong, David John Alexander Law ACA, Ming Lu, George David Sartorel, Claudia Ricarda Rita Suessmuth Dyckerhoff, Jeanette Kai Yuan Wong and Yok Tak Amy Yip

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