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HSBC WARNS AGAINST PHISHING EMAIL

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited would like to alert its customers to the phishing email purported to be sent by HSBC. The phishing email suggests that recipients should open the attachment.

HSBC would like to remind its customers that it has no connection with the phishing email involved. Customers are advised not to open the attachment in this email.

Below is the screen capture of the phishing email:

Phishing Email

From: Commercialbanking@hsbc.com.hk
Subject: Payment Advice from HSBC Bank International
Attachment: payment advice ref[xxx].html

Dear Customer,

Thank you for using our i-banking/ Online transfer service.

As requested, attached please find payment e-Advice for your=20 reference. Kindly download attachment to view payment e-Advice.

Should you have any queries, please call our Direct Banking=20 Hotline [REDACTED] for assistance (press "0" after language=20 selection)*.

Yours sincerely,

If customers are concerned, they should call the HSBC Commercial Banking service hotline at 2748 8288 or report to the Police.

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Note to editors:**The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited**

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