



***COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT***

**The following is a Company Announcement issued by HSBC Bank Malta p.l.c. pursuant to Listing Rules of the Malta Financial Services Authority.**

***Quote***

HSBC Bank Malta p.l.c. (the “Bank”) announces that Mr. Mark Watkinson has relinquished his post of Executive Director of the Bank with effect from 20 November 2015, following his recent appointment as Chief Executive Officer, HSBC Bank Bermuda Limited.

The Board of Directors has expressed its gratitude towards Mr Mark Watkinson for his sterling service to the Bank.

***Unquote***

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Brancaleone".

**Dr. George Brancaleone LL.D.**  
**Company Secretary**  
**20 November 2015**

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