These terms of reference are for the Remuneration Committee of the Board of Lloyds Banking Group plc.

1. SCOPE

1.1 PURPOSE

1.1.1 To oversee the design of, and recommend to the Board, an overall remuneration policy and philosophy for the Company that is aligned with its long-term business strategy, its business objectives, its risk appetite, values and the long-term interests of the Group and recognises the interests of relevant stakeholders (the “Group Remuneration Policy”).

1.1.2 To oversee the implementation of the Group Remuneration Policy, and to review performance and approve remuneration arrangements as set out in these terms of reference.

1.2 AUTHORITY

The Committee is a committee of the Board of the Company. The Committee is authorised by the Board to:

1.2.1 investigate any activity within its terms of reference and have such direct access to the resources of the Group as it may reasonably need;

1.2.2 seek any information that it needs from any employee or member of the wider workforce, and all employees and wider workforce members are directed to co-operate with any request made by the Committee; and

1.2.3 engage outside legal or other independent professional advisers and obtain appropriate funding for the payment of relevant fees and expenses.

The Committee may delegate all or any of its responsibilities to one or more sub-committees including one established solely for that purpose.

2. RESPONSIBILITIES

The responsibilities of the Committee will be to:

2.1 SET THE REMUNERATION POLICY

2.1.1 to review and make recommendations to the Board on the Directors’ Remuneration Policy and the Group Remuneration Policy, taking into account the long-term business strategy, the Group Values, Group Culture framework, regulatory requirements, as well as the need to promote effective risk management. Alignment between the two policies must also be considered;

2.1.2 ensure the Group’s policies, practices and procedures and all remuneration arrangements comply with all relevant regulation, legislation, codes of conduct and good remuneration practice and have regard to the remuneration trends for all Group colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable. When determining remuneration policy and procedures, the Committee should consider the principles of clarity, simplicity, risk, predictability, proportionality and alignment to culture;
2.2 MONITOR REMUNERATION POLICY
2.2.1 review annually the report from the Group People & Productivity Director on the operation of the Remuneration Policy and its effectiveness including procedures and processes to avoid conflicts of interest and to note the arrangements in place to ensure employees receive adequate information to understand the requirements of the Remuneration Policy and regulatory requirements;
2.2.2 monitor the application of the authority delegated to the Group Chief Executive to ensure that policies and principles are being consistently and effectively applied, seeking support and input from the People & Productivity function and Risk Division as appropriate;
2.2.3 liaise as needed with the Board Risk Committee and Risk Division in relation to risk-adjusted performance measures to confirm that the Remuneration Policy is in line with sound and effective risk management;
2.2.4 commission an annual review of the risks arising from the Lloyds Banking Group remuneration policies for the purposes of the Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process;
2.2.5 periodically review the general principles of the Remuneration Policy and its implementation including compliance with the Remuneration Part of the PRA Rulebook and FCA Handbook SYSC 19 and the UK Corporate Governance Code;

2.3 REPORT AND DISCLOSURE
2.3.1 report annually to the Board the substance of the Group Remuneration Policy and propose any substantive changes. This report will be supported by independent commentary from the Chief Risk Officer in the context of the Group's risk appetite and by positive assurance from each Group Executive Committee Member that all remuneration arrangements within their business area/function reflect fully the Group's overall approach;
2.3.2 at least annually report to the Board on how the Committee has ensured that colleagues, and the wider workforce where applicable, have received enough information to understand how the Director's Remuneration Policy and Group Remuneration Policy align;
2.3.3 at least annually ensure that the Remuneration Policy is subject to central and independent internal review for compliance;
2.3.4 at least annually review the 'LBG Performance Share Approach' document and Deferral and Performance Adjustment policy;
2.3.5 consider and note the contents of the annual Remuneration Policy Statement for each of Lloyds Bank plc and Bank of Scotland plc for the PRA and FCA;
2.3.6 consider and approve the Directors Remuneration Report in the annual report and accounts; and
2.3.7 consider and make recommendations to the Board on remuneration-related shareholder resolutions.

2.4 DIRECTORS
2.4.1 propose fees payable to the Chair and Deputy Chair to the Board for approval. Non-Executive Director fees for the Company (and each of the Banks) will be determined by the relevant Board and will take into consideration time committed and responsibilities. Share options or performance related elements should not be included;
2.4.2 determine and approve the contracts of employment and the terms of service, including all aspects of remuneration (including the terms and any other commitments to be made on retirement, resignation or dismissal to ensure fairness, avoid reward for
failure and recognise the duty to mitigate loss) in respect of Executive Directors and the Company Secretary, ensuring the reward and conditions available to colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable are taken into account;

2.4.3 determine the pension policy considering pension provisions available to colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable, and consider the individual pension impact and associated costs of salary increases for the Executive Directors and Company Secretary;

2.4.4 determine the design and targets for any annual performance-related variable remuneration plans and review individuals' performance against these targets and determine any payments proposed, considering variable remuneration plans of colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable;

2.4.5 determine the design of, eligibility for and targets for, any longer-term performance-related remuneration plans, including determining the size of awards considering long-term variable remuneration plans of colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable. Subsequently, review performance against such targets and agree any payments proposed;

2.4.6 determine whether an appropriate level of risk management and performance adjustment has been applied in performance assessments and remuneration awarded to the Executive Directors and Company Secretary;

2.4.7 agree the policy for authorising claims for expenses incurred by the Group Chief Executive, Company Chair and Deputy Chair, considering expenses provisions available to colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable;

2.4.8 no director will be involved in determining their own remuneration;

2.5 GROUP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

2.5.1 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration (including the terms of employment and any other commitments to be made on retirement, resignation or dismissal to ensure fairness, avoid reward for failure and recognise the duty to mitigate loss) for each Group Executive Committee member and attendee including the Company Secretary (who is not also an Executive Director), ensuring the reward and conditions available to colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable are taken into account;

2.5.2 determine the design and targets for any annual performance-related variable remuneration plans and review individuals' performance against these targets and determine any payments proposed considering variable remuneration plans of colleagues and the wider workforce where applicable;

2.5.3 determine the design of, eligibility for and targets for, any longer-term performance-related remuneration plans, including determining the size of awards taking into account long-term variable remuneration plans of colleagues the wider workforce where applicable. Subsequently, review performance against such targets and agree any payments proposed;

2.5.4 determine whether an appropriate level of risk management and performance adjustment has been applied in performance assessments and remuneration awarded to these colleagues;

2.6 HIGH EARNERS AND BUY-OUTS

2.6.1 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration (including the terms and any other commitments to be made on retirement, resignation or dismissal to ensure fairness, avoid reward for failure and recognise the duty to mitigate loss) in respect individuals whose Total Compensation (defined as base salary, benefits, fixed share awards, Group Performance Share awards and Group Ownership Share awards) exceed £1,000,000 per annum (“High Earners”);
2.6.2 determine whether an appropriate level of risk management and performance adjustment has been applied in performance assessments and remuneration awarded to these colleagues;

2.6.3 approve any buy-out award or guarantee exceeding £500,000;

2.7 SENIOR MANAGER FUNCTIONS
2.7.1 monitor the performance assessments and remuneration (including the terms and any other commitments to be made on retirement, resignation or dismissal to ensure fairness, avoid reward for failure and recognise the duty to mitigate loss) in respect of any colleagues performing a Senior Manager Function;

2.7.2 determine whether an appropriate level of risk management and performance adjustment has been applied in performance assessments and remuneration awarded to these colleagues;

2.8 RISK AND AUDIT FUNCTIONS
2.8.1 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration (including the terms and any other commitments to be made on retirement, resignation or dismissal to ensure fairness, avoid reward for failure and recognise the duty to mitigate loss) in respect of any direct reports of the Chief Risk Officer and Chief Internal Auditor at Grade H or above;

2.8.2 determine whether an appropriate level of risk management and performance adjustment has been applied in performance assessments and remuneration awarded to these colleagues;

2.9 OTHER MATERIAL RISK TAKERS
2.9.1 set and monitor the policy and principles to be applied by the Group Chief Executive in relation all aspects of remuneration for all other individuals who are considered to be Material Risk Takers or Identified Staff in accordance with the Remuneration Part of the PRA Rulebook or FCA Handbook SYSC 19;

2.9.2 set and monitor the policy and principles to be applied by the Group Chief Executive in relation to any annual performance-related variable remuneration plans;

2.10 ALL COLLEAGUES
In respect of all colleagues being all persons engaged under a contract of employment:
2.10.1 determine the pension policy;
2.10.2 monitor annual base salary increase budgets;
2.10.3 review pay and benefit principles;
2.10.4 review financial and non-financial reward policies and procedures;

2.11 WIDER WORKFORCE
In respect of the wider workforce being all persons engaged under any arrangement other than a contract of employment to do work or provide services to the Group:
2.11.1 review and oversee pay and benefit principles;
2.11.2 review and oversee financial and non-financial reward policies and procedures;

2.12 OTHER MATTERS
The Committee should:
2.12.1 give due consideration to all relevant laws and regulations including the provisions of the Corporate Governance Code and associated guidance, the FCA and PRA rules, guidance and sourcebooks and any other rules or regulation as applicable.
2.12.2 work and liaise as necessary with the Board and all other Board Committees ensuring such interaction is reviewed regularly, taking particular account of the impact of risk management and internal controls being delegated to committees.

3. ACCESS TO ADVICE
3.1 The Committee may seek advice from any internal source, and all colleagues and members of the wider workforce are directed to co-operate with any request made. The Committee will take into account any additional feedback or advice received from colleagues or the wider workforce either directly or through a Group internal method for collating or receiving feedback. The Committee may also engage with union representatives annually in relation to base salary increase budgets.
3.2 The Committee may engage any external advisers, as it deems necessary, at the expense of Lloyds Banking Group plc. Any advisers engaged by the Committee will not also be engaged by management for the purposes of obtaining remuneration advice without the consent of the Committee Chair. Any advisers engaged by the Committee will be subject to at least annual review by the Committee.
3.3 The Chief Risk Officer and the Chief Financial Officer will each attend meetings at least twice a year to advise on the setting and review of performance targets.
3.4 The Committee will meet with the Chief Risk Officer, as needed, without management being present.
3.5 The Committee will receive a report from the Chief Risk Officer on the implications of the Remuneration Policy for risk and risk management, at least annually.

4. MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE
4.1 MEMBERSHIP
Members of the Committee will be exclusively Non-Executive Directors and will be appointed by the Board on the recommendation of the Nomination & Governance Committee in consultation with the Chair of the Remuneration Committee and will comprise at least three independent Non-Executive Directors.

The Chair of the Board may also serve on the Committee as an additional member provided, he was considered independent on his appointment as Chair.

Membership will include at least one member of the Board Risk Committee and at least one member of the Audit Committee.

Appointments to the Committee will be for a period of up to three years, which may be extended for two further three-year periods, provided the director still meets the criteria for membership of the Committee. The Committee should be provided with appropriate and timely training, both in the form of an induction programme for new members and on an ongoing basis for all members.

4.2 CHAIR\(^1\)
An independent Non-Executive Director who has served at least 12 months as a member of a Remuneration Committee will be appointed by the Board to act as Chair of the Committee.

The Chair of the Board may not chair the Remuneration Committee.

The Chair’s primary responsibility is to chair and oversee the performance of the role of the Remuneration Committee. The Chair’s other responsibilities include:
- ensuring that the Committee meets with suitable frequency;
- fostering an open, inclusive discussion which challenges executives, where appropriate;

\(^1\) The Chairman of the Committee (insofar as it considers issues on behalf of or in relation to an SMCR Entity) is a Senior Manager for the purposes of the SMCR. This role needs approval by the PRA/FCA.
• ensuring that the Committee devotes enough time and attention to the matters within its remit;
• helping to ensure that the Committee and its members have the information necessary to discharge its and their duties and tasks;
• reporting to the Board on the Committee's activities;
• facilitating the running of the Committee to assist it in providing independent oversight of executive decisions;
• safeguarding the independence and overseeing the performance of the Committee; and
• ensuring that the regulatory requirements in relation to the Committee are satisfied.

The Chair will engage with the following stakeholders on behalf of the Committee, in relation to the business of the Committee:
• the PRA and FCA;
• Shareholders, including attending the AGM and responding to shareholder questions on the Remuneration Policy and related matters at the AGM; and
• recognised Unions in relation to Remuneration Policy and related matters.

The Chair will be available, wherever possible, at the Group’s Annual General Meeting.

4.3 ATTENDEES
Only members of the Committee have the right to attend Committee meetings. However, all other independent Non-Executive Directors have an open invitation to attend meetings.

The Committee Chair may invite others to attend all or part of a meeting including (but not limited to):
• The Group Chief Executive;
• Chief Financial Officer;
• Chief Risk Officer;
• Group People & Productivity Director; and
• Group Reward Director

External advisers may be invited to attend all or part of the meeting as appropriate.

No person will be in attendance when matters concerning their own remuneration or fees are discussed.

4.4 QUORUM
The quorum will be any two members.

4.5 NOTICE
Meetings of the Committee will be called by the Secretary of the Committee at the request of the Committee Chair.

Unless otherwise agreed, notice of each meeting confirming the venue, time and date together with an agenda of items to be discussed, will be forwarded to each member of the Committee, any other person needed to attend and all other Non-Executive Directors, no later than 4 working days before the date of the meeting. Supporting papers will be sent to Committee members and to other attendees, as appropriate, at the same time.

4.6 DELEGATION
The Committee has delegated authority to the Group Chief Executive to establish, implement and maintain remuneration policies, procedures and practices that adhere to the Group
Remuneration Policy and are consistent with and promote principles of effective risk management.

5. COMMITTEE MANAGEMENT
5.1 SECRETARY
The Secretary to the Committee will be the Company Secretary or their nominee.

5.2 PAPERS/AGENDA
Group Secretariat will support the Chair in managing the business of the Committee. The agenda and papers will be circulated to all members of the Committee at least 4 working days before the meeting. Such circulation of agenda and papers may be in paper or electronic format as preferred.

5.3 MINUTES/REPORTING
The Secretary will minute the proceedings of all meetings of the Committee, including recording the names of those present and in attendance. Minutes of Committee meetings will be circulated promptly to all members of the Committee, and the Committee Chair will report formally to the Board on the Committee's proceedings.

The minutes of the meeting will clearly identify the issues being considered as discussed by the meeting and any potential RFB Conflict Matter and any action to be taken in relation to any potential RFB Conflict Matter.

5.4 FREQUENCY
The committee will meet as often as is necessary to fulfil its responsibilities but not less than four times a year.

6. TERMS OF REFERENCE
6.1 REVIEW REQUIREMENTS
These terms of reference are drafted and amended (as necessary) by Group Secretariat and must be approved by the Board. These Terms of Reference are subject to review annually by the Committee, along with a review of its own effectiveness and then be subject to review by the Nomination & Governance Committee at least annually, or as needed by the Board.

6.2 APPROVAL
These Terms of Reference were approved by the Board of the Company November 2020.
These terms of reference are for the Remuneration Committee (the “Remuneration Committee”) of the Boards of each of Lloyds Bank plc, Bank of Scotland plc and HBOS plc. HBOS plc is not a regulated bank and does not need a Remuneration Committee, should one be needed for any reason these terms of reference will be amended accordingly. Where necessary or appropriate the terms of reference set out any aspect unique to either Lloyds Bank plc, Bank of Scotland plc or HBOS plc.

1. SCOPE

1.1 PURPOSE

The Remuneration Committee is responsible for reviewing and making recommendations to the Board on the remuneration policy for the Bank and for performing such other duties as may be prescribed for remuneration committees by the regulators of the Bank, taking into account the principles, policies and governance requirements of Lloyds Banking Group plc and the recommendations of the Group Remuneration Committee.

1.2 AUTHORITY

The Committee is a committee of the Board of the Bank. The Committee is authorised by the Board of the Bank to:

1.2.1 investigate any activity within its terms of reference and have such direct access to the resources of the Group as it may reasonably need;
1.2.2 seek any information that it needs from any colleague, and all colleagues are directed to co-operate with any request made by the Committee; and
1.2.3 engage outside legal or other independent professional advisers and obtain appropriate funding for the payment of relevant fees and expenses.

The Committee may delegate all or any of its responsibilities to one or more sub-committees including one established solely for that purpose.

2. RESPONSIBILITIES

The Committee will review and make recommendations to the Board of the Bank on the remuneration policy of the Bank and on such other matters on which the Board relies on recommendations from the Committee in accordance with the matters reserved for the Board of the Bank.

The Committee will perform such other duties as may be prescribed for remuneration committees by the Regulators of the Bank and in performance of its duties, review (and, if considered appropriate by the Committee, recommend to the Board of the Bank) the recommendations of the Group Remuneration Committee always taking into account the principles, policies and governance requirements of the Group.

The responsibilities of the Committee will be to:

2.1 periodically review the Remuneration Policy as set by the Group Remuneration Committee and determine whether it will apply in whole or in part to the respective Banks;
2.2 review annually the report from the Group People & Productivity Director on the operation of the Remuneration Policy and its effectiveness;
2.3 monitor the application of the authority delegated to the Group Chief Executive to ensure that policies and principles are being consistently and effectively applied, seeking support and input from the People & Productivity function and Risk Division as appropriate;
2.4 liaise as needed with the appropriate Board Risk Committee and Risk Function in relation to risk-adjusted performance measures to confirm that the Remuneration Policy is in line with sound and effective risk management;

2.5 periodically review the general principles of the Remuneration Policy and its implementation including compliance with the Remuneration Part of the PRA Rulebook and FCA Handbook SYSC 19;

2.6 at least annually ensure that the Remuneration Policy is subject to central and independent internal review for compliance;

2.7 consider and note the contents of the annual Remuneration Policy Statement for each of Lloyds Bank plc and Bank of Scotland plc for the PRA and FCA;

2.8 propose fees payable for Non-Executive Directors for the relevant Bank Board to consider;

2.9 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration for Group Executive Committee members and attendees who hold executive roles within Lloyds Bank plc or Bank of Scotland plc;

2.10 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration in respect of individuals with Total Compensation (defined as base salary, benefits, fixed share awards, Group Performance Share awards and Group Ownership Share awards) exceed £1,000,000 per annum (“High Earners”);

2.11 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration in respect of individuals performing a senior manager function;

2.12 approve the performance assessments and determine all aspects of remuneration in respect of direct reports of the Group Chief Risk Officer and Group Chief Internal Auditor performing a Chief Risk Officer or Chief Internal Auditor role for Lloyds Bank plc or Bank of Scotland plc;

2.13 set and monitor the policy and principles to be applied by the Group Chief Executive in relation all aspects of remuneration for all other individuals who are considered to be Material Risk Takers or Identified Staff within Lloyds Bank plc or Bank of Scotland plc in accordance with the Remuneration Part of the PRA Rulebook or FCA Handbook SYSC 19; and

2.14 set and monitor the policy and principles to be applied by the Group Chief Executive in relation to any annual performance-related variable remuneration plans for individuals considered to be Material Risk Takers or Identified Staff within Lloyds Bank plc or Bank of Scotland plc,

2.15 OTHER MATTERS
The Committee should:

2.15.1 give due consideration to all relevant laws and regulations including the provisions of the Corporate Governance Code and associated guidance, the FCA and PRA rules, guidance and sourcebooks and any other rules or regulation as applicable.

2.15.2 work and liaise as necessary with the Board and all other Board Committees ensuring such interaction is reviewed regularly, taking particular account of the impact of risk management and internal controls being delegated to committees.

3. MEMBERSHIP & ATTENDANCE
3.1 MEMBERSHIP
Members of the Remuneration Committee will be appointed by the Board of the Bank on the recommendation of the Nomination Committee. Members will be independent Non-Executive Directors. For each of Lloyds Bank plc and Bank of Scotland plc at least two members will be Bank Only Non-Executive Directors. Appointments to the Committee will be for a period of up to three years, which may be extended for two further three-year periods, provided the director still meets the criteria for membership of the Committee. The Committee should be provided with appropriate and timely training, both in the form of an induction programme for new members and on an ongoing basis for all members.
Each of the Bank Only Non-Executive Directors may appoint an alternate (who must be a Bank Only Non-Executive Director) to attend a meeting of the Committee on his/her behalf. In exceptional circumstances where a Bank Only Non-Executive Director or his/her alternate cannot attend the Board or Committee meeting the Chair will, in so far as possible, seek to obtain the views of the Bank Only Non-Executive Director on any potential RFB Conflict Matter which is to be considered at that meeting, in so far as possible, also ensuring that the PRA is notified should such a situation arise.

3.2 CHAIR
The Chair of the Committee will be appointed by the Bank Board and will be an independent Non-Executive Director. The role of the Chair may be held by the Chair of the Lloyds Banking Group Remuneration Committee. In the Chair’s temporary absence, one of the Committee members nominated by the Chair or elected by the other members of the Committee will act as Chair. The Chair may not perform a similar role for any of the Group's other subgroups.

The Chair's primary responsibility is to chair and oversee the performance of the role of the Committee. The Chair of the Remuneration Committee is also responsible for overseeing the development of, and implementation of, the firm’s remuneration policies and practices.

The Chair’s other responsibilities include:

- ensuring that the Committee meets with suitable frequency;
- fostering an open, inclusive discussion which challenges executives, where appropriate;
- ensuring that the Committee devotes enough time and attention to the matters within its remit;
- helping to ensure that the Committee and its members have the information necessary to discharge its and their duties and tasks;
- reporting to the Board on the Committee’s activities;
- facilitating the running of the Committee to assist it in providing independent oversight of executive decisions;
- safeguarding the independence and overseeing the performance of the Committee;
- ensuring that the regulatory requirements in relation to the Committee are satisfied; and
- reporting to the Group Remuneration Committee at the request of the Chair of the Group Remuneration Committee, on matters with the responsibility of the Remuneration Committee and escalating matters to the Group Remuneration Committee as appropriate.

3.3 ATTENDEES
Only members and alternates have the right to attend meetings. The Committee may invite such attendees as it deems necessary to fulfil its duties.

3.4 QUORUM
The quorum for meetings of the Committee will be any three members.

4. COMMITTEE MANAGEMENT
4.1 SECRETARY
The secretary to the Committee will be the Company Secretary or their nominee.

4.2 PAPERS/AGENDA

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2 In relation to discharging this role for the SMCR Entities, the Chair is a Senior Manager for the purposes of the SMCR. This needs prior approval of the individual by the PRA/FCA.
Group Company Secretariat will support the Chair in managing the business of the Committee. The agenda and papers will be circulated to all members of the Committee at least 4 working days before the meeting. Such circulation of agenda and papers may be in paper or electronic format as preferred.

Where appropriate relevant agenda items and meeting papers will be clearly identified as being for consideration by the relevant Committee of the appropriate entity. Active consideration will be given to the distribution of meeting papers, to ensure that the correct papers are provided to the relevant Board and Committee members.

4.3 MINUTES
The secretary will minute the proceedings of all meetings of the Committee, including recording the names of those present and in attendance. Minutes of Committee meetings will be circulated promptly to all members of the Committee, and the Committee Chair will report formally to the Board on the Committee's proceedings.

The minutes of each meeting will be produced as separate documents and will clearly identify the issue being considered as discussed by the meeting(s) and any potential RFB Conflict Matter and any action (in particular escalation) to be taken in relation to any potential RFB Conflict Matter.

4.4 FREQUENCY
The Committee will meet as often as is necessary to fulfil its responsibilities and at least twice a year the Remuneration Committee will meet to consider matters that relate to the Bank alone.

5. TERMS OF REFERENCE
5.1 REVIEW REQUIREMENTS
These terms of reference are drafted and amended (as necessary) by the Company Secretary and must be approved by the Board. These terms of reference are subject to review annually by the Nomination Committee or as needed by the Board taking into account, in both cases, recommendations from the Group Remuneration Committee and from the Group Nomination & Governance Committee.

5.2 APPROVAL
These Terms of Reference were approved by the Board of the Company November 2020.