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Report of Foreign Private Issuer

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For August 5, 2011

Commission File Number: 001-10306

The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc

RBS, Gogarburn, PO Box 1000 Edinburgh EH12 1HQ

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Structured Retail Products issued by RBS N.V.: Expected Part VII Scheme

On 19 April 2011, the Boards of The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc (RBSG), The Royal Bank of Scotland plc (RBS plc), RBS Holdings N.V. and The Royal Bank of Scotland N.V. (RBS N.V.) announced that they had approved the proposed transfers of a substantial part of the business activities of RBS N.V. to RBS plc (the "Proposed Transfers"), subject, amongst other matters, to regulatory and other approvals, further tax and other analysis in respect of the assets and liabilities to be transferred and employee consultation procedures. On 21 July 2011, RBS plc and RBS N.V. announced, subject to the disclaimer set out in that announcement, the publication of details of those securities issued by RBS N.V. which are eligible for the Part VII Scheme, indicating whether or not RBS plc is expected to become the issuer pursuant to the Part VII Scheme (subject to the relevant securities not having been exercised, redeemed or repurchased and cancelled prior to the implementation of the Part VII Scheme). For full details of these announcements, investors should refer to http://www.investors.rbs.com/RBS_NV.

In addition to the list of securities published on 21 July 2011, RBS N.V. and RBS plc hereby list the following further securities which are eligible for the Part VII Scheme indicating whether or not RBS plc is expected to become the issuer as a result of the Part VII Scheme (subject to the relevant securities not having been exercised, redeemed or repurchased and cancelled prior to the implementation of the Part VII Scheme).

| ISIN | WKN | Valor | RBS plc expected to become the issuer pursuant to the Part VII Scheme? |
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| XS0598127859 |) | 12606477 | Yes |
| XS0609216790 |) | 12607059 | Yes |
| XS0609252837 | 7 | 12606756 | Yes |
| XS0609255855 | 5 | 12606725 | No |
| XS0547255157 | 7 | 13420817 | Yes |
| NL000010537 | 7 | 2434671 | Yes |
| XS0251783436 | 6 | 2664980 | Yes |
| NL0009280817 | 7 AA13Y2 | 10649767 | Yes |
| DE000AA0MI | DX8AA0MDX | 3081702 | Yes |
| NL0009009919 | 9 | 2548894 | No |
| NL0000736122 | 2 AA0CRC | 2810898 | No |
| NL0000029809 | 9 ABN9SE | 2255925 | No |
| NL0000062198 | 8 ABN2K6 | 2347346 | No |
| NL0000771509 | 9 AA0D5H | 2873740 | No |
| 11L000077130 | 7111010311 | 2013140 | 110 |

Subject to the Disclaimer set out below, the information set out above is up-to-date as at the date indicated on this document and investors should refer to http://www.investors.rbs.com/RBS_NV from time to time for updated information. Details of RBS N.V.'s Fixed Income Securities (excluding Structured Retail Products) can also be viewed at http://www.investors.rbs.com/RBS_NV.

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Certain statements found in this document may constitute "forward-looking statements" as defined in the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such "forward-looking statements" reflect management's current views with respect to certain future events and financial performance and include any statement that does not directly relate to any historical or current fact. Words such as "anticipate," "believe," "expect," "estimate," "forecast," "intend," "plan," "project" and similar expressions which indicate future events and trends may identify "forward-looking statements". In particular, this document includes forward-looking statements relating, but not limited, to the Proposed Transfers (including the Part VII Scheme). Such statements are based on current plans, estimates and projections and are subject to various risks, uncertainties and other factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected or implied in the "forward-looking statements". Certain "forward-looking statements" are based upon current assumptions of future events which may not prove to be accurate. Other factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those estimated by the forward-looking statements contained in this document include, but are not limited to: the ability to complete restructurings on a timely basis; regulatory or legal changes (including those requiring any restructuring of the operations of RBSG, RBS plc, RBS Holdings N.V. or RBS N.V.) in the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, the United States and other countries in which these entities operate; changes in UK and foreign laws, regulations, accounting standards and taxes, including changes in regulatory capital regulations and liquidity requirements; and the success of RBSG, RBS plc, RBS Holdings N.V. or RBS N.V. in managing the risks involved in the foregoing.

Undue reliance should not be placed on "forward-looking statements" as such statements speak only as of the date of this document. Neither RBSG, RBS plc, RBS Holdings N.V. nor RBS N.V. undertake to update any forward-looking statement contained herein to reflect events or circumstances after the date hereof or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: 5 August 2011

THE ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND GROUP plc (Registrant)

By: /s/ Jan Cargill

Name: Jan Cargill

Title: Deputy Secretary