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			supplement dates septement 20, 2010)								
Aggregate	Price								1st		
Principal	to	Selling	Net	Coupon	Coupon	Coupon	Maturity	1st Coupon	Coupon	Survivor	'sPı
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Redemption Information: Non-Callable/Non-Puttable

Lead Manager and Lead Agent: RBS Securities Inc.

Offering Dates: 06/20/2011 through 06/27/2011

The Royal Bank of Scotland plc Trade Date: 06/27/2011 @ 12:00 PM ET

Settlement Date: 06/30/2011

Minimum Denomination/Increments:

\$1,000.00/\$1,000.00

Guaranteed in full by The Royal Bank of Scotland

Group plc

Initial trades settle flat and clear SDFS: DTC

Book-Entry only

DTC Number 2230 via RBS Securities Inc.

The Royal Bank of Scotland plc

Retail Corporate Notes Prospectus dated May 18,

2010

and Prospectus Supplement dated September 20, 2010

If the maturity date or an interest payment date for any note is not a business day (as that term is defined in the prospectus supplement), principal, premium, if any, and interest for that note is paid on the next business day, and no interest will accrue from, and after, the maturity date or interest payment date.