

**23 March 2015**

**ACCOUNT NUMBER FORMAT FOR CUSTOMERS OF HSBC, OCBC & SBI**

Customers of The Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation (HSBC), Overseas-Chinese Banking Corporation Limited (OCBC) and State Bank of India (SBI) must now use the full account number. The full account number includes the branch code followed by the existing account number. It is a 10 or 12 -digit number for OCBC, 12- digit number for HSBC and 14- digit for SBI.

See below for an example of the account number change.

<b>Bank</b>	<b>Account Type</b>	<b>Branch Code</b>	<b>Before 23 March 2015</b>	<b>After 23 March 2015</b>
HSBC	Current & Savings	146	123456789	<b>146</b> 123456789
OCBC	Savings	550	1234567	<b>550</b> 1234567
	Current		123456789	<b>550</b> 123456789
SBI	Current	277	12345678901	<b>277</b> 12345678901