

ARTICLE 8 NOTIFICATION

Abbey National Treasury Services plc (the "Issuer")

This notification refers to:

- (1) the Base Prospectus dated 28 January 2014 (the **Base Prospectus**) for notes to be issued by the Issuer;
- (2) the supplementary prospectuses to the Base Prospectus dated 7 February 2014, 6 March 2014 and 6 May 2014 (the **Supplements**); and
- (3) the Final Terms dated 30 May 2014 (the **Final Terms**) in respect of the Issue of up to GBP 50,000,000 Capital-at-risk Equity Index Linked Automatic Early Redemption Notes due August 2020 – Series 981 (the **Note Issue**),

the Base Prospectus as completed by the Final Terms and the Supplements to it, together constituting a base prospectus for the purposes of Directive 2003/71/EC and Directive 2010/73/EU (the **Prospectus Directive**).

Pursuant to our obligations under Article 8 of the Prospectus Directive, we confirm in respect of the Note Issue the following information:

Final Aggregate Nominal Amount: £800,000

Paragraphs 4.1 and 4.2 of Part A to the Final Terms shall be read accordingly.

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