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## Recognition from the DHL / SCMP Hong Kong Business Awards 2013 Harold Wong, MD & CE of Dah Sing Banking Group, receives the "Executive Award"

Mr. Harold Wong, Managing Director and Chief Executive of Dah Sing Banking Group Limited ("DSBG" or "the Group"; SEHK: 2356) received the "Executive Award" from the DHL / SCMP Hong Kong Business Awards 2013.

The DHL / SCMP Hong Kong Business Awards was established in 1990 with the aim to encourage and sustain the region's entrepreneurial spirit and recognise excellent standards of corporate management and governance. Honouring individuals and companies who are maintaining and expanding the economic viability and international stature of Hong Kong and the Pearl River Delta is at the heart of the Hong Kong Business Awards mission. The "Executive Award" is given to candidates, among other criteria, for their managerial contribution to the financial success and harmonious operation, as well as to the reputation, image and branding of their company.

Accepting the "Executive Award" at the awards ceremony, Mr. Harold Wong said, "While the award is given to me as the executive in charge, full tribute goes to my management team, our Board and all colleagues. This award would not have been possible without the wise counsel and inspiration from my colleagues and fellow directors. They have helped me enormously in running this organisation, for which I am extremely grateful."

Mr. Harold Wong added, "Winning this award is a recognition of all of my colleagues' efforts in executing our corporate strategy, which has not only delivered solid improvements in the core business profitability of DSBG, but has also encouraged organizational growth, as we continue to improve our practices in areas such as human capital management and corporate social responsibility. I am both honoured and grateful that Dah Sing is now recognised as one of the winners of this prestigious award, which gives us the encouragement to work harder, and hopefully perform even better in the future."

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Mr. Harold Wong, Managing Director and Chief Executive of Dah Sing Banking Group (Right 2) receiving the Executive Award from Mr. Robin Hu, Chief Executive of SCMP Group (Right 1) and Mr. Ken Lee, Executive Vice-President of Commercial, Asia-Pacific, and Managing Director for Hong Kong & Macau at DHL Express (Left 1) at the DHL/SCMP Hong Kong Business Awards Presentation Ceremony at JW Marriott Hotel on 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2013.