

29 September 2014

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BlackRock Holdco 5, LLC (the "**Company**") has issued the following notes which are each listed on the Cayman Islands Stock Exchange:

US\$1,680,000,000 Fixed Rate Notes due 30 September 2014

US\$1,400,000,000 Fixed Rate Notes due 30 September 2016

US\$500,000,000 Fixed Rate Notes due 30 September 2019

The Company hereby announces that, pursuant to the terms of an amendment and restatement to the instrument constituting US\$1,680,000,000 fixed rate notes due 30 September 2014 (the "**Tranche 2 Notes**") dated 29 September 2014, the terms of the Tranche 2 Notes be amended such that:

- (a) the interest rate applicable to the Tranche 2 Notes be modified from 3.08% to 3.81%; and
- (b) the maturity date of the Tranche 2 Notes be extended from 30 September 2014 to 30 September 2019;

Any queries in respect of this announcement should be addressed to the Company at the address stated above.